WAKEFIELD COLLEGE COURSE INFORMATION:

HND Music Production

In Partnership with Theatre Royal Wakefield and Long Division

MUSIC
Wakefield College

START DATE
September/October 2026

LEVEL
Level 5

DURATION
1 year

STUDY MODE
Full-time

LOCATION
Wakefield College

AWARDING BODY
Pearson

For further information about this course, including Entry Requirements, Assessments and Further Study, scan the QR code.

Course Overview

The Higher National Diploma (HND) in Music (Production) is a natural progression from the Higher National Certificate (HNC) and is designed for students who wish to further develop their creative, technical, and professional skills in music production. Building on the foundations of recording, mixing, and digital production established at HNC level, the HND enables learners to work at a more advanced and independent level.

What You Will Study

The course focuses on advanced production techniques, sound design, mixing and mastering, and large-scale creative projects that reflect professional industry practice. Students will refine their artistic identity, strengthen critical and analytical skills, and develop a professional portfolio suitable for employment or self-employment within the music industry. Successful completion of the HND also provides a clear route to progression into the final year of a relevant undergraduate degree.

Attendance Expectations

3 days per week.

How You Will Be Assessed

Students are assessed using a mix of practical, theoretical, and professional tasks designed to reflect real-world music industry practices.

Entry Requirements

Applicants are normally expected to have successfully completed the Higher National Certificate (HNC) in Music Production or a closely related subject. Students should demonstrate appropriate practical skills, technical knowledge, and creative development gained during their HNC studies.

Alternative qualifications may be considered, such as a relevant Level 4 qualification, a foundation degree, or equivalent industry experience.

Applicants may be required to attend an interview and provide evidence of prior learning, such as a portfolio of music production work.

Need More Information?

For additional course information please contact the Course Information Team on **01924 789111** or email **courseinfo@heartofyorkshire.ac.uk**.

To learn more about Wakefield College, our facilities and how we can support you please visit our website **www.heartofyorkshire.ac.uk**.

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Further Study

This course is recognised as a qualification in its own right or can be combined with a top-up degree such as our BA (Hons) Creative Industries (Top-Up) course to obtain a full honours degree.

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