

# Level 3 Performing & Production Arts (Musical Theatre)

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## Course Overview

This Musical Theatre course at Mechanics' Performing Arts, is for those who wish to pursue a career in the ever expanding and increasingly popular industry of musical theatre. It is a unique course that focuses on rigorous training in the three art forms of dance, drama and singing, alongside vocational and academic study that supplements and supports the practical learning. There will be a wide range of opportunities for you to perform in our professional theatre, alongside chances to attend professional performances in both regional and national venues. You will be taught by industry experienced tutors alongside visiting professionals working in the West End and nationally.

This is a practical, industry-related course with theoretical exploration threaded throughout. You will develop through weekly technique classes in the three main disciplines and undertake performance work that is based on realistic industrial activities within the specialism of musical theatre.

You will develop your abilities to learn and perfect musical theatre work and be supported in working towards your own career aspirations. You will have the opportunity to show your work in public performances, at our 160-seat professional theatre, and at other performance venues.

## What You Will Study

Level 3 Extended Diploma in Performing and Production Arts (Musical Theatre):

- Jazz technique
- Singing skills
- Acting styles
- Audition preparation
- Choreographic projects
- Performing Arts industry
- Devising performance material
- Historical context of performance
- Live performances
- Industry related work experience

## How You Will Be Assessed

You'll be assessed through performances, practical and theoretical based project work.

### START DATE

September

### LEVEL

Level 3

### STUDY MODE

Full-time

### DURATION

2 years

### AWARDING BODY

UAL (University of  
Arts London)

### LOCATION

Wakefield College



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

## Need More Information?

For additional course information please contact the Course Information Team on **01924 789111** or email [courseinfo@heartofyorkshire.ac.uk](mailto: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](http://www.heartofyorkshire.ac.uk).

## Quick Links



How to  
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Student  
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## Entry Requirements

4 GCSEs at Grade 9-4, including English or Maths and a Grade 3 in either English or Maths.

OR

4 GCSEs at Grade 9-4 and Level 2 in either English or Maths.

OR

GCSE English or Maths at Grade 4 or Level 2 English or Maths and successful completion of Level 2 Performing & Production Arts or equivalent at Merit Grade.

PLUS

Satisfactory interview/audition.

## Interview Information

All interviewees to have joint warm up. Casual loose clothing should be worn, please no jeans, skirts dresses or tights and be prepared to take shoes and socks off. When you attend interview at our Waterton Building (Wood Street, Wakefield, WF1 2EW) please bring along your latest school report, your predicted grades. Your audition will be a dance workshop (technical exercises and short combination sequences) plus a prepared song of your own choice from a musical with a backing track.

## Further Study

On completion with the appropriate pass and English and Maths grades you can progress through the levels.

HND Diploma in Musical Theatre, Dance or Acting, offered at Wakefield College. Other HE courses in musical theatre, acting, dance, performing arts, education and the arts.