



Portfolio Preparation



This unique, tailored programme is designed especially for students who want to develop a digital portfolio.

WHAT'S INCLUDED



TUITION

25+ Hours of tuition comprised of creative practical workshops working towards the completion of your portfolio



ACTIVITIES

5 evening activities per week, designed to be fun and interactive and provide our students the opportunity to socialise and make new friends.



EXCURSIONS

Full day excursions allow students to really get to know the UK. We use major destinations such as London as a classroom, where students will find creative and cultural information through guided walks and visits to museums and other places of interest.



CERTIFICATE

Awarded for the successful completion of the course and digital portfolio.

LEARN FROM ART AND DESIGN PROFESSIONALS

Our lecturers are all working artists and bring valuable industry experience to the programme.

DEVELOP YOUR SKILLS

Our specialist lecturers and tutors will teach you new methods and practices to improve your work and develop your skills base

BUILD YOUR PORTFOLIO

Learn how to construct your own digital portfolio, what to include and what to leave out and how to show your work at its best.

BROADEN YOUR ART & DESIGN UNDERSTANDING

Workshops will give you practical experience of a wide range of new techniques, skills and disciplines.

SUBJECTS COVERED INCLUDE

Fashion | Graphic Design | Illustration | 3D Design | Moving Image | Drawing | Theatre Arts

PROGRESSION AT CSVPA

Completion of the course can enable progression on to our University of the Arts London Awarding Body Extended Diploma or Foundation Diploma if you meet the UAL entry criteria for the course.

Average class size

18 students

Accommodation

Single en-suite room

Meals are included (breakfast, lunch and dinner)

Excursions are also included

Requirements

Age: 15-18

Minimum English standard:

Equivalent to IELTS 4.5+/ Intermediate

Start Dates:

Sunday 2nd July 2023 (three weeks)

Sunday 23rd July 2023 (three weeks)

Price:

£4,290 (three weeks)

Programme Outcomes

1. You will have gained all the skills you need to create a winning portfolio.
2. You will have developed your own digital portfolio.
3. You will have experienced a wide range of Art & Design subjects and disciplines.
4. You will have gained the portfolio experience required to guarantee entry to our UAL Level 3 Extended Diploma in Art & Design or UAL Level 4 Foundation Diploma at CSVPA should you choose to do so.

| Week 1 | MORNING 08:00-12:00 | | 12:00-13:00 | AFTERNOON 13:00-16:00 | 16:30 - 18:00 | EVENING 19:30-22:00 | | |
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| Sunday | Arrival, induction and campus tour | | | | DINNER | Evening Activities | | |
| Monday | BREAKFAST | Studio drawing using non-traditional materials. Lighting and composition. Share and discuss. | LUNCH | Use collage to experiment with tonal observation. Create a tonal collage from life. | | City View Ferris Wheel | | |
| Tuesday | | Colour workshop. Use acrylic paints to create a colour wheel. Create abstract piece using only colour to evoke emotions. | | Walking excursion to Zoology Museum. Explore museum, studying an area using complimentary colouring pencils. | | Bowling | | |
| Wednesday | | Create self-portrait using technique learned this week. Choose contrasting technique to create second self-portrait. | | Complete self-portrait projects. Share with group, explaining choices and outcomes. | | Talent Show | | |
| Thursday | | Introduction to various exercises in 2D and 3D. Introduction to casting techniques. Exploration of casting using the workshops. | | Continue and finish casting project. | | Cinema | | |
| Friday | | Excursion to Kettle's Yard, focusing on observing sculptures. Introduction to relief sculpture. Demonstration of relief casting. Student project using clay. | | Sculpting through touch. Share pieces with other students. | | CSVPA Disco | | |
| Saturday | | Included Full Day Excursion: London (including gallery or museum visit and shopping time) | | | | Selfie Orienteering Challenge | | |
| Sunday | | Free Day | | | | Free Evening | | |

| Week 2 | MORNING 08:00-12:00 | | 12:00-13:00 | AFTERNOON 13:00-16:00 | 16:30 - 18:00 | EVENING 19:30-22:00 |
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| Monday | BREAKFAST | Icebreakers and overview of the week ahead. Intro to Photoshop. | LUNCH | Colour separation workshop. | DINNER | Park Social Time |
| Tuesday | | Observational drawing. | | Visit Fitzwilliam museum to sketch. | | Ice Skating |
| Wednesday | | Colour separation artwork. | | Markmaking workshop. | | Trashion Show |
| Thursday | | Intro to GIF/frame by frame animation. | | The exposure triangle. Understanding the aperture shutter speed. | | Punting |
| Friday | | Photography project to demonstrate understanding of exposure triangle. Present photographs in digital sketchbook. Learn how to enhance photographs. | | Continuation of Photography project. Share work with other students. | | Dance Party |
| Saturday | | Included Full Day Excursion: London (including gallery or museum visit and shopping time) | | | | Tie Dye Arts & Crafts |
| Sunday | Free Day | | | | Free Evening | |

| Week 3 | MORNING 08:00-12:00 | | 12:00-13:00 | AFTERNOON 13:00-16:00 | 16:30 - 18:00 | EVENING 19:30-22:00 |
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| Monday | BREAKFAST | Introduction to typography. Presentation of different examples. Workshop on typography and design. | LUNCH | Exploration of different mediums and techniques to create typography. Introduction to InDesign and Illustrator. | DINNER | Evening Activities |
| Tuesday | | Walking excursion to Cambridge Botanic Gardens. | | Botanic posters using drawings and hand lettering/ typography. | | Rock Climbing |
| Wednesday | | Fashion introduction. Research various concepts and moods. | | Construction of Fashion Design using various design techniques. | | Tie Dye Arts & Crafts |
| Thursday | | Constructing a fashion collection. Present board and illustration to help present designer's ideas. | | Materials and tools to bring ideas to life. | | Talent Show |
| Friday | | Continuation of Fashion project. | | Finalise work. Create digital records. Certificate presentation. | | Cinema |
| Saturday | | Included Full Day Excursion: London (including gallery or museum visit and shopping time) | | | | Farewell Party |
| Sunday | Departure | | | | | |

Sample timetables are illustrative only. We reserve the right to make changes without notice.