

Art and Design

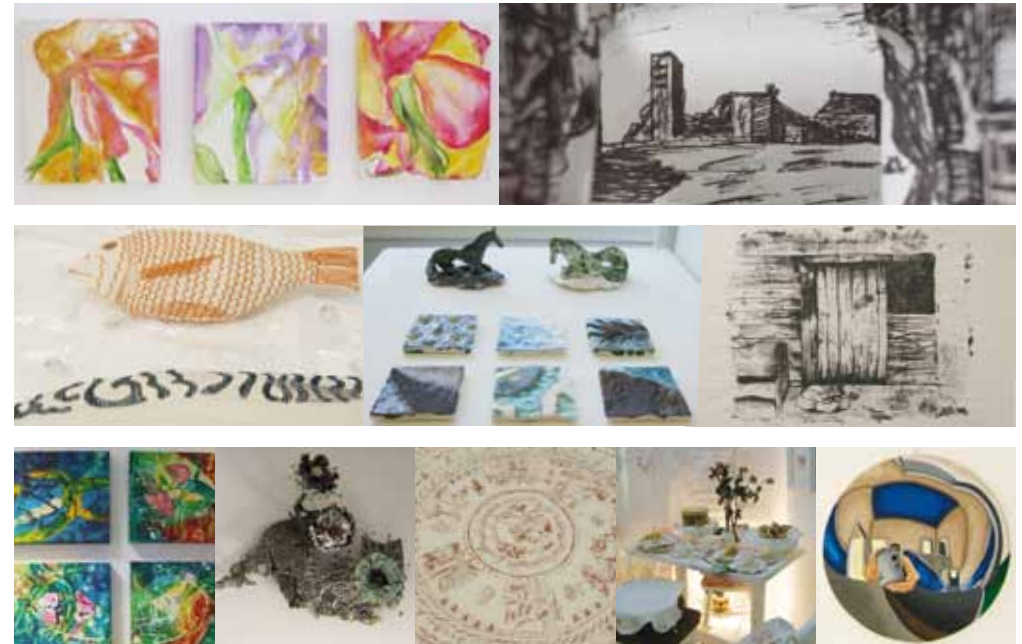
Come and be creative at Leicester College, where our impressive facilities can match your aspirations and talent. Staff are all experienced artists and designers who practise in their specialist subject in their own time and can offer up-to-date and relevant advice and support throughout the course.

The Foundation Studies course is geared towards choosing your specialist area with a view towards Higher Education. You will have plenty of opportunities to exhibit your work and build up a substantial portfolio appropriate for your chosen Degree.

Pip Norton, Foundation Studies: Art and Design (Pre-Degree)

Pip decided to continue her education at Leicester College after completing her A levels. With a love of art, she decided to study the Foundation Studies course.

Pip said, "Through taking this course, I've learnt more about art. I've tried out jewellery making and ceramics for instance, and it has inspired and motivated me to want to carry on to study at university, specialising in Fine Art. It is a lovely College with wonderful tutors and a good, motivating atmosphere."



Foundation Studies: Art and Design (Pre-Degree)

As the bridging course between A level study and Degree level Art, this is the perfect start to your creative career.

What is this course about?

This course is ideal if you want to build on your Art and Design studies within Higher Education.

You will have the opportunity to explore a wide range of disciplines including painting and drawing, life studies, 3D studies in sculpture, design and ceramics, textiles, printmaking, photography, graphic communications and contextual studies.

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What do I need to start?

You will require four GCSEs at grade C or above, plus one of the following:

- an A level or National Diploma in Art and Design
- a suitable National Diploma
- a portfolio of art and design work.

How long is the course?

One year, full-time.

How will I be assessed?

Assessment is continuous throughout the year.

What is the fee?

In 2009, the fee was £350 per year. There may be an inflation-linked increase for 2010. Please call 0116 224 2240 for further information.

Who is the awarding body?

The course is awarded by Edexcel.

What else do I need to know?

The course is intensive and requires your full commitment to the exploration and development of creative thinking.

What can I progress to?

You can choose to continue your Art and Design studies within Higher Education, possibly progressing on to a full Degree at a university of your choice or progressing internally to a Leicester College Art and Design course. Alternatively, you may want to start your career within the creative sector.

How do I apply?

Please apply to Leicester College.
Call 0116 224 2240 for further information.



Key Facts

Course Code A0396
Course Starts September
Course Ends June
Location St Margaret's Campus

If you are interested in this course and would like more information please email info@leicestercollege.ac.uk or call 0116 224 2240 to speak to an adviser.

