

Fine Art



A Level Fine Art is a traditional and long standing A Level that underpins all art specialisms. At Runshaw College, we teach core skills such as drawing, critical art history analysis and idea development that will give students the foundation to progress in other areas within the creative sector. Many students combine academic 'facilitating' subjects with A Level Fine Art if they have a strong creative ability. This gives students the opportunity to stand out from the crowd and demonstrate their creative and practical ability and thinking skills. It also has different deadlines and structure to exam driven A Levels which can often balance well in the academic year.

Our students achieve places from A Level Fine Art directly on to prestigious Degree courses at Cambridge, Edinburgh, Manchester and UCLAN amongst others. Some students choose to apply to art foundation from A Level Fine Art, and have secured places at oversubscribed courses at Central St Martins, Falmouth, Glasgow School of Art and Manchester. We also have our own foundation course that students can progress to from A Level Fine Art. In specialist circumstances, for example Architecture, the degree courses

will ask for a portfolio of drawings to take to interview, of which we teach in Fine Art.

A Level Fine Art leads to many challenging, exciting and lucrative careers such as Architecture, Interior Design, Art Therapist, Gallery Curator, TV and Magazine Art Directors, Practising Artist, Fashion Design and Buyer, Art Lecturer, Education Development Officer, to name just a few!

To complement academic studies, Runshaw has an extra-curricular Arts Academy. Students from Fine Art are invited to work with tutors from the foundation course to develop portfolios for university, explore diverse media and strengthen analytical thinking and interview skills during these sessions. Furthermore, our students have had exciting trips to a variety of museums and galleries to gather primary source imagery to base their work on, as well as looking at the work of other artists to inspire their own.

If you are excited reading all the above, and want to let your creativity flourish, A Level Fine Art at Runshaw College is definitely for you!

80%

High grades

27%

A*-A grades

- Prestigious academic links
- Exciting career pathways
- Specialist help and guidance
- Exciting trips
- Art Academy

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