

COURSE OVERVIEW

The course is designed to give opportunities for those returning to education or mature (19+) students, to achieve a higher education qualification.

DURATION:

One year - 2.5 days a week

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

You must be aged at least 19 years old

FEES:

If you are aged 19-23 and this is not your first Level 3 course or you are aged 24 or over you will not be entitled to fee remission and will pay the fees in full.

If you are aged 19-23 and this is not your first level three course or you are aged 24 or over the course fee is £3928*. You may be able to obtain an FE loan to cover the costs of this course. This is like a student loan and if you successfully go on to complete a university level course, this FE loan debt is wiped.

ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION IN ART & DESIGN

Students will cover on the course a wide range of disciplines whilst gaining a strong understanding of the design process such as drawing, textiles, 2D and 3D communication, digital arts and art history. Students will be given support with research, essay writing, UCAS applications and create a progression portfolio.

Throughout the course professional expertise will guide students through the portfolio building processes essential for university interviews. The whole course will culminate in a final exhibition of work in our Summer Show.

Although there are no formal entry requirements, students will be required to provide evidence of their commitment, motivation and life skills to cope with the level of the course by providing such things as drawings, photographs, ideas development, Concept art, embroidery, craft items and evidence of written work.

Successful completion gives students a qualification and the skills to progress to a wide range of Degree level courses at university, including MA's if you already have a degree in a non-Art & Design subject).



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— CHLOE WHITTLE
FIRST YEAR STUDENT

* 2017 fee may be subject to rise for 2018

STUDENT PROFILE

CHLOE WHITTLE

FOUNDATION - FIRST YEAR - AGE: 24
PREVIOUS COLLEGE:
NEW COLLEGE DURHAM

What's your favourite thing about CCAD?

This seemed like the best way to get back into education as I've been out of the educational loop for 5 years and this college seemed like the best one to come to. I wanted to get myself university ready and no other place seemed good enough to do that.



Can you tell us something about your course that you didn't know before coming here?

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What do you enjoy most about your course?

Concept art is my area and with the diversity that this course offers it was also perfect to develop myself in an area whilst also learning some new things that I wouldn't normally think to try.

What are you going to do after college?

I'm looking to do concept art at university once I have finished my course here.



