



The Cardinal Wiseman School
BTEC course 2026-28

BTEC LEVEL 3 NATIONAL EXTENDED CERTIFICATE IN CREATIVE DIGITAL MEDIA PRODUCTION

(Equivalent to 1 A level)

Entry Requirements

4 x Level 9 to 4 GCSE passes including English Language to level 4

What will I study?

2 Externally assessed units (exams) in YR12:

- UNIT 1: Media Representations
- UNIT 8: Responding to a commission

2 internally assessed units (coursework) in YR13:

- UNIT 4: Pre-production Portfolio
- UNIT 10: Film Production



What skills will I develop?

- Critical thinking
- Research and communication skills
- Teamwork/collaboration
- Practical production skills – our focus is **film production & the moving image**
- Presentation skills
- Creative thinking & application

How will this subject help me with my future career?

Studying Media provides students with both practical skills in the field of digital media and analytical skills. As a vocational course, it will prepare students for higher education in arts based subjects as well as specific media and film based jobs.

This course has been developed to give students the opportunity to gain an understanding of employment opportunities, job requirements and working practices in the film & media sector. It will also enable students to start building the technical skills and knowledge relevant to an industry (or industries) in the various creative media sectors.

Furthermore, it will develop the critical thinking & study skills to confidently prepare you for all work situations or other subject qualifications in higher education.

If you have any further questions, please contact Mr Norton-Taylor nortons@wiseman.ealing.sch.uk