

High Aspirations
High Expectations



Film & Media Studies

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There is so much more to A Level Film Studies than simply watching films.

When watching a film, we might regard it as relaxation or escapism. However, the in-depth study of film involves coming from a very different starting point. As well as gaining an appreciation of film as an art form in terms of its visual storytelling, studying film can enhance your understanding of the world in terms of competing values, attitudes and beliefs. Film Studies also incorporates a creative production element where you will be able to put what you have learnt into practice by making a short film or writing a screenplay.

Covering 9 different disciplines in A Level Media Studies, you don't just learn to analyse texts; you also get to make them. Starting from magazines, straight through to TV dramas and video games, you learn about the industries of each and how this then shapes the products and the audiences they reach. Media Studies has a strong academic grounding with theories and essay writing skills embedded throughout.



Danny Brocklehurst, BAFTA and International Emmy winning English screenwriter

Courses available:

A Level Film Studies / A Level Media Studies

For each A Level course there are two exams, each worth 35% and a piece of coursework worth 30% and the exam board is Eduqas

Learning experience:

International trips to New York, Berlin Film Festival and London

Guest speakers from the BBC, including screenwriters such as Danny Brocklehurst

Fully equipped TV and Film studio and PC/Mac suites

Progression routes:

Most students go onto university to study film production, directing, teaching, journalism, film and media studies or media related higher apprenticeships.

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STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

Kelsey Batty



Attended:
All Saints Catholic College

Study Programme:
Film Studies – A*
English Literature – A*
Media Studies – B

Progression:
York University
English Literature with Screenplay

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