## **BTEC Tech Award in Music**

This course is for learners interested in taking a practical course that will offer them an insight into what it is like to work in the Music sector, a vibrant exiting and competitive industry that offers many different and exiting new work opportunities, whether in composing, performing or producing music. This course allows learners to explore the sector and try out new skills, techniques and styles allowing them to make an informed decision about their future learning and career.

A BTEC in Music is a great choice for learners looking for a practical and creative qualification. The course aims to provide learners with the relevant skills and knowledge that employers value and the confidence to progress into a fulfilling provide learners, exciting career in a creative industry whether that be in music performance, education, wellbeing or even business. This course provides a strong foundation for a Level 3 qualification in Music.

## Programme of Study & Assessment

| Year 10   |                                       | Year 11   |  |
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| Component   | Assessment<br>Method                  | Unit  | Assessment<br>Method                             |
| Component 1: Exploring Music Products and Styles (30% of final grade) | Internal<br>Pearson Set<br>Assignment | Component 2: Music Skills Development (continued)                   | Internal<br>Pearson Set<br>Assignment            |
| Component 2: Music Skills Development (30% of final grade)            | Internal<br>Pearson Set<br>Assignment | Component 3:<br>Responding to a Music Brief<br>(40% of final grade) | External Synoptic<br>Task (Externally<br>marked) |

## Useful links

Specification - Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 Tech Award in Music Practice 2022