



Course Details		A Level Film Studies	
Exam Board	WJEC Eduqas		
Syllabus title	WJEC Eduqas GCE A Level in Film Studies		
Course Code			
Course Content	<p><b>External assessment</b></p> <p><b>Component One:</b> <u>Varieties of film and film-making.</u> Studying a range of English language films from US and UK.</p> <p>Films that can be chosen include: <i>Some like it Hot; Blade Runner; Do the Right Thing; Boyhood; Selma; Carol; Trainspotting; This is England</i></p> <p><b>Component Two:</b> <u>Global film-making perspectives</u> A study of narrative, short and documentary films from around the world.</p> <p>Films that can be chosen include: <i>Vivre sa Vie; Pans Labyrinth; The Diving Bell and the Butterfly; Ida; Amy; Strike</i></p> <p><b>Internal Assessment</b></p> <p><b>Component Three:</b> Production Creation of a short film <u>or</u> screenplay of a short film. Practical assessment and evaluation.</p>		
	Assessment and weighting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• External assessment –70%</li> <li>• Internal assessment- 30%</li> </ul>	
	Trips/visits	<p><b>British Film Institute A Level Study Days</b></p> <p><b>Visits to local independent and mainstream cinemas.</b></p>	
Future opportunities/career	<p>The studying of Film could lead to possible careers within the industry, such as Film production and distribution.</p> <p>Film studies is also a subject that goes well with any other essay based subject that uses analytical skills.</p> <p>The study of Film can be continued at degree level and several local universities offer Film and Media courses.</p>		



Person Specification	<b>A Level Film Studies</b>	
	<b>Essential</b>	
Qualifications/ School record	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 5 grade in English or grade B or above in Film Studies GCSE.</li><li>• 95% attendance in year 11</li><li>• Good attitude to learning in English KS4 (and Film Studies GCSE if applicable)</li></ul>	
Attitude/Qualities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Hard working</li><li>• Committed</li><li>• Positive/Enthusiastic</li><li>• Enquiring</li><li>• Analytical</li></ul>	
Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Creative</li><li>• Organised and able to meet deadlines</li><li>• Competent at essay writing</li></ul>	
Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Have a wide knowledge of and enjoy watching a wide range of films.</li></ul>	
	<b>Desirable:</b>	
Qualifications/ School record	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• B or above in Film Studies GCSE</li></ul>	
Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Practical ability with camera technology</li><li>• Self-motivated</li></ul>	
Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No experience necessary</li></ul>	