

COWLEY

SIXTH FORM COLLEGE

A-LEVEL

PHOTOGRAPHY

Overview

The A-Level is a two year programme of study.

For your first term, you are given a project title - you may interpret this as you wish; you may look at other Photographer's work of course, but you may also be inspired by artists' work and perhaps, cultural influences. Experience in Photoshop, or other image manipulation software is essential as is a camera or high spec phone.

Your independent research will lead directly to improving your skill levels and will prepare you for the university of your choice.

What to expect in lessons

Lessons are practice based with lots of time for one-to-one discussions.

Your independent learning is most important and you must be driven to learn more about art and photography.

Support

There are no charges for standard sketchbook or display wallets.

We have immediate access to research facilities within the department and you have access to at least one residential educational visit per year.



I enjoy taking photography as it allows me to be creative and express any ideas I have.

I have loved photography from a young age and therefore choosing it to study at Sixth Form was something I had considered since being in Year 7.



Progression

The majority of our students go on to further education and study a creative based subject; Architecture, Animation, Art Restoration, Theatre Design, Photography, Interior Design, Commercial Textiles, Events Management etc.

Equipment that you will need

As a Photography student, you will be encouraged to experiment with any media you are comfortable, and not comfortable with; you may be the world's best at it, but how would you know if you don't try?

A camera is essential.