

BTEC Creative Media Tech Award Level 2

Students have already achieved grades for:

Component 1 – Exploring Media Products

Component 2 – Developing Digital Media production skills

Students will need to complete a controlled assessment in May

Component 3 is a Controlled assessment, students will sit this at the beginning of May.

Component 3 - counts heavily towards the final outcome

January – BTEC release the controlled assessment brief. Assessment will take place in **May**.

Students will be asked to produce a print based Media product. Students will need to come up with ideas for a Media product and mock up by hand what it will look like then work in Photoshop and Indesign to create a finished product

There are three parts to the Component 3 assessment

- Ideas log – 15 marks
- Planning materials - 15 marks
- Finished Product – 30 marks
- Total marks – 60 marks

Component 3 is sent away to be marked by an examiner

Grade boundaries for Component 3 – based on last years calculations. *(please note these could change)*

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| U | 0 |
| Level 1 Pass | 12–17 |
| Level 1 Merit | 18–23 |
| Level 1 Distinction | 24–29 |
| Level 2 Pass | 30–35 |
| Level 2 Merit | 36–41 |
| Level 2 Distinction | 42–48 |

Grades / points for component 1 & 2

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| U | 0 |
| Level 1 Pass | 9 |
| Level 1 Merit | 15 |
| Level 2 Pass | 22 |
| Level 2 Merit | 29 |
| Level 2 Distinction | 36 |

Grades / points for component 3 (controlled assessment)

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| U | 0 |
| Level 1 Pass | 12-17 |
| Level 1 Merit | 18-23 |
| Level 1 Distinction | 24-29 |
| Level 2 Pass | 30-35 |
| Level 2 Merit | 36-41 |
| Level 2 Distinction | 42-48 |

Calculation of qualification grade table

| Grade | Points threshold |
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| Level 1 Pass | 30 |
| Level 1 Merit | 44 |
| Level 1 Distinction | 58 |
| Level 2 Pass | 72 |
| Level 2 Merit | 95 |
| Level 2 Distinction | 105 |
| Level 2 Distinction* | 114 |

Below are final grade scenarios

If a student achieves a Merit in their Component 1 and a Merit in Component 2 they will have to achieve a Level 2 Merit in Component 3 (37 marks) to achieve a Merit over all.

If a student achieves a Merit and a Distinction in their Component 1 and Component 2 they will need to achieve a High Merit (41 marks) in Component 3 to achieve a Distinction over all.

If a student achieves a Distinction in Component 1 and a Distinction in Component 2 they will need to achieve a Distinction (42 marks) to achieve a Distinction* over all.