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A-Level Product Design

Course information

Why choose A-Level Product Design?

Learning styles: Practical skill sessions, visuals, DVD films, demonstrations, independent work.

Compatibility with Maths, Physics & Art.

Careers: Product Designer, furniture designer, automotive design, Industrial Design and Architecture.

Skills: Sketching, modelling, making final product from wood, metal, plastic and other modern and smart materials

Course Outline:

Exam board: AQA – 2 units per year (Each unit is worth 25%)

Assessment Format: 1 Exam (50%), 1 piece of coursework (50%).

Resources and facilities:

A-level textbooks, library books & DVDs. A dedicated workshop with all the machines and materials required, including CAD CAM facilities, the new AutoCAD 2008 drawing and modeling package and experienced staff with industrial experience.

Careers and progression:

Weblinks:

<http://www.aqa.org.uk/qual/gceasa/desp.php>

<http://www.designandtech.com/>

Links to University Courses:

[BA \(Honours\) - **Product Design** - Sheffield Hallam **University**](#)

[Product Design - **University** of Salford...](#)

[Cambridge University - Undergraduate Engineering **Courses**](#)

[Cambridge University - Undergraduate **degree** in **Architecture**](#)

Entry requirements:

Grade C in a relevant subject area, such as Product Design, Resistant Materials or Graphics.

A Level results:

This is a new course for September 2008.

Enquiries:

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