



Welcome to Hampstead Fine Arts

Founded in 1978 as a specialist college for the study of the creative and academic arts and humanities.

A creative environment that offers an alternative to traditional art schools.

Focus on encouragement and recognition of students' individual talents and aspirations.

Encouraging students to explore their ideas and develop their talents.

Teachers are experts in their subjects, with many practising artists among the members of staff.

Students enjoy specialist classrooms including artists' studios and dark rooms, opportunities to showcase their artwork and talents and explore local and international sites of cultural interest.

New Performing Arts Centre for dance, drama and music.

'Pupils were fulsome in their praise for the liberal ethos of the college, which they say has quietly guided them to more positive attitudes, because they felt they can now 'be themselves' and discover their individual interests and talents.'

(ISI Inspection)



Fine Art



*Faith Hughes-Stevenson, Portfolio Course
(Studying Fine Art at Goldsmiths, University of London)*

Express personal ideas visually through a wide range of techniques and media.

Build an ambitious portfolio.

Visit London Art Galleries and European cities.



Candida Cave, Principal, Hampstead Fine Arts

Principal

Founded Hampstead Fine Arts in 1978.

Trained at Ruskin School of Art at the University of Oxford.

Teacher and practising painter with regular exhibitions in London and Brighton.

Active playwright, with plays performed in London, Florence, Bologna, and Rome.



Fashion and Textiles

Flora Bray
(Studying Graphics at Falmouth University)

Explore the creation and development of fashion design ideas, illustration, textile design, and associated techniques.

Learn from specialist tutors in both disciplines.

Produce final projects ranging from garments and accessories to interior design.

Key Facts

Number one pre-degree arts college in London for students aged 13-19 years.

230 students (85% British, 15% international).

Over 29 subjects in the Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences with flexible timetabling.

Located in upmarket Hampstead with close access to all the amenities of the capital.

Arts subjects taught by industry professionals.

Individual approach to learning with students encouraged to experiment and explore interests.

Good Schools Guide awards for Media, TV, Film Studies, Photography, and Art and Design.

Quality of teaching and learning ranked as outstanding by OFSTED.

Famous alumni.

Excellent careers progression onto leading Art Foundation and degree programmes, Music and Drama schools, and universities.

'Study skills within the classroom are excellent: pupils engage in a mature, thoughtful and analytical manner. Pupils show strong ability to work independently. Pupils take ownership of learning and time and have high aspirations of success.'

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Music and Music Technology

Louis Chapple
 (A-levels: Music, History of Art, English Literature.
 Studying History of Art at Goldsmiths, University of London)

- Perform, compose, and study of a wide range of music genres.
- Take part in student concerts and other gigs.
- Watch professional London performances.
- Explore a combination of artistic and technological creativity.
- Prepare for music careers in live venues, radio, television, and theatre.

Academic Courses

Art Portfolio

Personalised syllabus.
 One, two, or three-term programme.
 Post A-level.
 Preparation of general portfolio for an Art Foundation course or subject-specific portfolio for a university art degree.
 Specialisms: Fine Art, Graphics, Textiles, Photography, Contextual Studies

A-level

One and two-year A-level options.
 29 subject choices in any combination:
 Biology, Business Studies, Classical Civilisation, Dance, Drama, Economics, English Literature, Film Studies, Fine Art, French, Geography, German, Graphics, History of Art, History, Italian, Mathematics, Media Studies, Music, Music Technology, Philosophy, Photography, Politics, Psychology, Religious Studies, Russian, Sociology, Spanish, Textiles.
 Average class size of eight students.
 Fortnightly reports, weekly personal tutor sessions and regular testing
 Talks from outside speakers.

GCSE

One and two-year GCSE courses.
 English Language, Maths, and Biology, alongside three to five other subjects: Ancient History, Biology, Drama, English Literature, Fine Art, Geography, History, Latin, Media Studies, Modern Languages, Music, Photography, Physics, Religious Studies, plus General Studies and Citizenship.
 Up to 10 choices from 20 subjects
 Small class sizes of 12 students.
 Weekly afternoon sport clubs include basketball, football, netball, personal training, tennis and yoga.
 Emphasis on essay writing skills, examination time management, and self-guided study.
 Supervised daily homework sessions, regular testing and January mock exams.
 PSHCE course.
 Weekly personal tutor sessions.

Extended Project Qualification

Offered to all students in addition to A levels.
 Prepares students for independent study at university.
 Enables pupils to study a subject of interest in-depth.
 Carries UCAS points.



Graphic Design



Cordelia Jhu
(A-levels: Photography, Art, Textiles.
Studying Textiles at Kingston University)

Develop skills sought after in the commercial worlds for game design, illustration, advertising, creative industry graphics, and packaging.

Work towards briefs as well as projects of choice.

Visit art galleries and degree shows to explore contemporary projects and digital techniques.



Higher Education

Experienced staff advise students on progression to Art Foundation and undergraduate courses, Drama school, Music conservatoire, as well as university.

Weekly personal tutor sessions.

Advice on UCAS applications, personal statement guidance, interview practice.

Regular talks hosted by external speakers, alumni, and staff. Talks and careers advice seminars from Dukes Education's Oxbridge and US Application consultancies.

Work experience in galleries, fashion houses, and photography studios.

Student Work

Coursework of A-level
Fashion and Textile Design students



Manu Daniaud, A-level student
Fine Arts work



Man sculpture, part of Film
A-level work by Evie Elliott,
entitled 'The Vulnerable Man.'
Accepted for the RA Young Artists'
Summer Show



Coursework of A-level
Photography students



Gigi Grunberg, Portfolio Course
Photography collage



Drama



Finn Wheeler
(A-levels: Photography, Film Studies, Drama.
Currently taking a Gap year)

Engage in this collaborative and practical course for those interested in watching, participating in, and discussing drama.

Benefit from workshops with theatre professionals and opportunities to see leading stage productions.

Extra-curricular Activities

Drama, Music and singing - LAMDA and Guildhall examinations.

Sports including football and basketball.

Debating.

Outings to London galleries, theatres, concerts, libraries, gardens, film centres and exhibitions.

Music and theatre workshops, recitals and performances.

Film Club with student films shown at the Everyman Cinema.

Weekly talks by external speakers, alumni and staff.

History of Art, Photography, Fine Art, and History visits to Paris, Florence, Rome, Vienna, Madrid, and Berlin.

Annual Art exhibition.





Film and Media Studies

*Jaspar Cumiskey
(A-levels: Theatre Studies, Media Studies, and
Film Studies. Now working in the film industry)*

Explore a broad range of global cinema and film production techniques.

Develop creative and practical skills by making films and writing screenplays with digital storyboard images.

Practise usage of contemporary media, including social and digital media.



Off-campus Living

Independent Halls of Residence 20-minute walk through safe and leafy Hampstead.

Premises offer 24-hour security (students must be in by 11pm).

Single en-suite bedrooms.

In-house gym and cinema with shared catering, laundry, and common room facilities.

Photography



*Isobel McCabe
(Studying Events Management at
Oxford Brookes University)*

Work using analogue and digital techniques, conventional film and dark room processing, lighting studios, and Photoshop manipulation.

Easily access professional photography exhibitions in London.

Good Schools Guide and department awards for best Photography at A-level.

University Destinations

Annual acceptance to leading London Art and Design Schools including Central Saint Martins, London College of Fashion, Camberwell College of Arts and Kingston University, leading US universities such as Parsons School of Design, Pratt Institute, New York University, and California Institute of the Arts, as well as UK universities including the University of Oxford, University College London, London School of Economics, King's College London, University of St Andrews, and University of Bristol.

Overall Pass: 98%

Percentage A*- A: 27.9%

Percentage A*- B: 59.6%

Percentage A*- C: 79.4%

- 15% offered places from Russell Group universities.
- Two students got offers from Guildhall School of Music and Drama.
- 25% of students went straight onto UK Creative Art degrees.
- 83% into first choice university in 2023 (average 79%)
- One student has a place at London College of Fashion to study Fashion Photography BA.
- Three students have got into the Courtauld Institute of Art, University of London, to study History of Art BA
- 93.4% into their first or second choice university in 2023 (average 90%)
- Five students have international places as follows:
 - *Amsterdam University of the Arts (Foundation Art)*
 - *National College of Art & Design, Dublin (Foundation Art)*
 - *Northeastern University Boston (Majoring in Sociology)*
 - *Berklee College of Music Boston (Music and Music Technology)*
 - *Lee Strasberg Theatre and Film Institute New York (Acting)*



University Destinations 2023

A-level subjects

English, Textiles, Photography

Fine Art, Graphics, Photography

Film, Media, Sociology

Film, Geography, Sociology

Fine Art, Graphics, Music, Music Technology

Business, Drama, Music Technology

Media, Music Technology, Psychology, Russian

Media, Music Technology, Photography

Fine Art, Media

Fine Art, Graphics, History of Art

English, Textiles, Photography

Fine Art, Graphics, Photography

Fine Art, History of Art, Sociology

English, Film, Fine Art

English, Textiles, Fine Art, History of Art

Textiles, History of Art, Photography

Fine Art, Graphics, History of Art

Textiles, Fine Art, Graphics, History of Art, Russian

English, Fine Art, History of Art

Textiles, Graphics, Sociology

Fine Art, History of Art, Photography

Drama, Fine Art, Graphics

Graphics, Media

Business, Fine Art, History of Art

Latin, Photography

Drama, Film, Music Technology

Graphics, Philosophy

Drama, Textiles, History of Art

Geography, Graphics, Sociology

English, Film, Fine Art

Fine Art, Graphics, Photography

Graphics, Media

Textiles, Fine Art, History of Art

English, History, Photography, EPQ

Mathematics, Drama, Music, Music Technology

Textiles, Fine Art, Photography

Textiles, Fine Art, History of Art

Business, Textiles, Fine Art

University destination

Amsterdam University of the Arts

Anglia Ruskin University

Arts University Bournemouth

Bath Spa University

Berklee College of Music, Boston

BIMM University

BIMM University

Bournemouth University

Bristol UWE

Camberwell College, UAL

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Camberwell College, UAL

Central St Martins, UAL

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Central St Martins, UAL

Chelsea College of Arts, UAL

City & Guilds of London Art School

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Gap Year

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Goldsmiths University of London

Guildhall School of Music & Drama

International School of Creative Arts

Istituto Marangoni London

Istituto Marangoni London

Course

Foundation Art

Illustration BA

Film Studies and Production BA

Geography (Human) BA

Music Technology BA

Popular Music Performance and

Music Business BA

Electronic Music Production BA

Media Production BA

Fine Art BA

Fine Art: Sculpture BA

Graphic Design BA

Fine Art BA

Fine Art: Painting BA

Foundation Art

Fashion Communications: Journalism BA

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Culture, Criticism and Curation BA

Textile Design BA

Fine Art BA

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Music Technology with Game Design BA

Foundation Art

Fashion Design BA

Fashion Business, Digital Communication

and Media BA

A-level subjects

Business, Textiles, Fine Art

English, Fine Art, Textiles

Textiles, Fine Art, Graphics

Business, Textiles, Graphics

Textiles, Film, Graphics

Fine Art, History of Art, Psychology, EPQ

Media, Photography, EPQ

English, Textiles, Photography, EPQ

Business, Geography, Sociology

Media, Photography, Sociology

Film, History of Art, Media, Russian

Business, Textiles, Photography

Textiles, Fine Art, Psychology

Textiles, Graphics, Photography, EPQ

Textiles, Media, Sociology

Business, Textiles, French

English, Classical Civilisation, Drama

Business, Textiles, History of Art

Fine Art, Graphics, History of Art

English, Drama, Sociology

History of Art, Religious Studies, Sociology

Film,, Fine Art, Graphics, Media

Biology, Textiles, Graphics, EPQ

Business, Media, Photography

English, Film, Music Technology

English, Classical Civilisation, Religious Studies

Graphics, Media, Photography

Drama, Textiles, Film

Mathematics, Business, Music, Music Technology, Russian

English, Fine Art Sociology

French, Geography, Graphics

Business, Media, Philosophy

Textiles, French, History of Art, Photography

English, Fine Art, Graphics, Media

Drama, Film, Politics

Graphics, Photography, Economics

English, Drama, Textiles

Fine Art, History of Art, Religious Studies

English, Media, Music Technology

Fine Art, Media, Psychology

Music Technology, Philosophy, Psychology

Business, Classical Civilisation, Music Technology

English, Photography, Sociology

English, Philosophy, Sociology

Business, Graphics, Sociology

Business, Drama, Politics

Graphics, History of Art, Religious Studies

English, Fine Art, History of Art

English, Fine Art, History

University destination

Istituto Marangoni London

Kings College London

Kingston University

Kingston University

Kingston University

Kingston University

Lee Strasberg Theatre and Film Institute, New York

Leeds Arts University

Leeds Beckett University

London College of Communication, UAL

London College of Communication, UAL

London College of Fashion, UAL

London College of Fashion, UAL

London College of Fashion, UAL

London College of Fashion, UAL

London Metropolitan University

Middlesex University

Morley College

National College of Art and Design, Dublin

Northampton University

Northeastern University USA

Norwich University of the Arts

Nottingham Trent University

Nottingham Trent University

Point Blank Music School

Queen Mary University of London

Ravensbourne University

Ravensbourne University

Regent's University London

Royal Holloway University

University of Aberdeen

University of Bristol

University of Bristol

University of Bristol

University of Essex

University of Leeds

University of Leeds

University of Leeds

University of Portsmouth

University of Reading

University of Sussex

University of Sussex

University of Sussex

University of Sussex

University of Sussex

University of Sussex

University of Wales Trinity St David

University of Westminster

University of York

Course

Foundation Art

English BA

Fashion Promotion and Communications BA

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Fine Art BA

Acting BA

Fashion Branding with Communication BA

Sociology BA

Commercial Photography BA

Film Production BA

Fashion Textiles: Embroidery BA

Fashion Textiles: Embroidery BA

Fashion Pattern Cutting BA

Critical Practice in Fashion Media BA

Fashion Textiles BA

Dance BA

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

Criminology BA

Sociology BA

Games Art and Design BA

Textile Design BA

Content Creation BA

Music Production and Sound Engineering BA

English with Creative Writing BA

Foundation Art

Foundation Art

International Business BA

Liberal Arts BA

Geography BA

Liberal Arts BA

History of Art and French BA

Film and English BA

Global Politics BA

Graphic and Communication Design BA

Theatre and Performance BA

History of Art BA

Music Technology BA

Art and Psychology

Philosophy and Sociology BA

Arts & Humanities Foundation BA

Sociology BA

Liberal Arts BA

Business and Management Studies BA

International Relations BA

Bible & Theology BA

Fine Art Mixed Media with Foundation BA

English Literature BA

University Destinations 2022

A-level subjects

English Literature, Media, Photography
 Textiles, Fine Art, History of Art
 Fine Art, History of Art, Psychology, Spanish
 Film Studies, Music
 Fine Art
 Textiles, Media, Photography
 Fine Art, Philosophy, Physics
 Textiles, Graphics, Sociology
 Textiles, Media, Photography
 Textiles, Business, Fine Art
 Textiles, Fine Art, History of Art
 English Literature, Fine Art, French
 Graphics, History of Art, Photography
 Fine Art, History of Art, Italian, Photography
 Fine Art, Photography, Media
 Business, Media, Sociology
 Portfolio (A levels at previous school)
 History of Art, Music Tech, Sociology
 Photography
 English Literature, Film Studies, French
 History of Art, English Literature, History, EPQ
 Textiles, Graphics, Photography
 Textiles, Fine Art, History of Art
 English Literature, Drama and Theatre Studies, Film Studies
 Textiles, Fine Art, Media
 Geography, Media , Photography
 Textiles, Media, Psychology
 English Literature, Fine Art, French, History of Art
 Textiles, Graphics, Sociology
 Business, Drama and Theatre Studies, Media, Music Tech
 Fine Art, Media, Politics, Sociology
 Textiles, Graphics
 Textiles, Photography ,Psychology
 Textiles , Philosophy
 Maths, Business, Fine Art
 Film Studies, Fine Art, Philosophy
 Textiles, Fine Art, Photography
 English Literature, Business, Graphics
 Business, Music Tech, Politics
 History of Art, Photography

University destination

Paris School of Art
 Central St Martins, UAL
 University College London
 Guildhall School of Music & Drama
 Camberwell, UAL
 Bristol, University of the West of England
 Wimbledon School of Art, UAL
 Gap Year
 Bristol, University of the West of England
 Ravensbourne University
 University of Newcastle
 University of Warwick
 Central St Martins, UAL
 Ravensbourne University
 Parsons, The New School, New York
 Manchester Metropolitan University
 University of Cardiff
 Goldsmiths, University of London
 London College of Communication, UAL
 Canterbury Christ Church University
 University of Manchester
 Glasgow School of Art
 Leeds Arts University
 Gap Year
 Ravensbourne University
 London College of Communication, UAL
 Retail Fashion Academy
 Gap Year
 Wimbledon College of Art, UAL
 University of Sussex
 University of Sheffield
 Paris School of Art
 Ravensbourne University
 Gap Year
 Bristol, University of the West of England
 Chelsea College of Art, UAL
 Manchester Metropolitan University
 University of Hertfordshire
 BIMM University
 Kingston University

Course

Foundation Art
 Foundation Art
 Social Anthropology BA
 Music Composition BA
 Interior and Spatial Design BA
 Media Production BA
 Costume for Theatre and Film BA
 Product and Furniture Design BA
 Foundation Art
 Fine Art BA
 English Literature and Creative Writing BA
 Fashion Communication BA
 Architecture BA
 Photography BA
 Business Administration and Management BA
 Psychology BA
 Music BA
 Photography BA
 History with Foundation year BA
 English Literature BA
 Fine Art Photography BA
 Fine Art BA
 Foundation Art
 Photojournalism and Documentary Making BA
 Garment Technology
 Theatre Design BA
 Business and Management BA
 Politics and Sociology BA
 Fashion BA
 Foundation Art
 Business Management BA
 Fine Art BA
 Fashion BA
 3D Games Art and Design BA
 Electronic Music Production BA
 Photography BA

A-level subjects

Textiles, Fine Art, History of Art
 Fine Art, Media, Psychology
 Music Tech, Psychology, Russian, Economics
 English Literature, Drama and Theatre Studies, Graphics, Music
 English Literature, Textiles, History of Art
 Film Studies, Fine Art, History of Art, Media
 English Literature, Film Studies, Media
 English Literature, Drama and Theatre Studies, Fine Art
 English Literature, Business , History of Art
 Drama and Theatre Studies, Graphics, Media
 Textiles, Film Studies, History of Art, Photography
 Business
 Chinese, Film Studies, Photography
 English Literature, Classical Civilisation, Fine Art, Graphics
 English Literature, Business, Fine Art, French
 English Literature, Drama and Theatre Studies, Film Studies
 English Literature, History of Art, Photography
 Graphics, Media, Photography, EPQ
 Film Studies, History of Art, Sociology
 Textiles, History of Art ,Philosophy
 Textiles, Fine Art, History of Art
 Textiles, Fine Art, Music
 History, Music, Music Tech
 Textiles, Photography ,Psychology
 English Literature, Film Studies, Psychology
 Portfolio
 Business, Turkish,
 English Literature, Graphics, History of Art
 Business, Textiles, Graphics
 Textiles, History of Art, Media
 Maths, Fine Art, Graphics, Photography
 Fine Art, Maths, (Pre-U English, Pre-U French)
 Film Studies, Music Tech, Media
 Fine Art, Graphics History of Art
 Drama and Theatre Studies, Film Studies, Media
 Fine Art, Graphics, Russian
 English Literature, Graphics, Psychology
 Film Studies, Fine Art , Media, Religious Studies
 Fine Art, Graphics

University destination

Courtauld Institute of Art
 London College of Communication, UAL
 London College of Communication, UAL
 University of East London
 Central St Martins, UAL
 Courtauld Institute of Art
 Kings College London
 University of Leeds
 University of Glasgow
 Leeds Arts University
 University of Leeds
 Gap Year
 Camberwell College of Art, UAL
 School of Visual Arts, New York
 Queen Mary University of London
 University of East London
 Bath Spa University
 Glasgow School of Art
 Film Industry work
 Oxford Brookes University
 Ravensbourne University
 Camberwell College of Art, UAL
 University of Glasgow
 Parsons, The New School, New York
 Loyola Marymount, Los Angeles
 Gap Year
 Gap Year
 Brighton University
 University of Westminster
 Gap Year
 Architectural Association School of Architecture
 University of Leeds
 Met Film School
 Camberwell College of Art, UAL
 Met Film School
 University for the Creative Arts
 Ravensbourne University
 University of Warwick
 Gap Year

Course

History of Art BA
 Film Practice BA
 Music Production BA
 Musical Theatre BA
 Fashion Communication BA
 History of Art BA
 Film Studies BA
 Theatre and Performance BA
 History of Art BA
 Graphic Design BA
 Fine Art with History of Art BA
 Fine Art: Photography BA
 Animation BA
 English Literature BA
 Acting for Stage and Screen BA
 Filmmaking (Production) BA
 Communication Design BA
 History of Art BA
 Foundation Art
 Foundation Art
 Film and Television Studies BA
 Photography BA
 Film BA
 Illustration BA
 Marketing Communication BA
 Architecture Foundation
 Global Creative Industries BA
 Practical Filmmaking BA
 Fine Art BA
 Practical Filmmaking BA
 Games Arts BA
 Foundation Art
 Liberal Arts BA



History of Art

*Bache Hiscox
(Studying History of Art at Edinburgh University)*

Study and analysis of painters, sculptors, and architects through the ages.

Focus on particular periods from the Renaissance to the present day.

Take the course as an A-level or extra-curricular course for those going on to Art school.



Admissions

Students selected for academic and creative potential rather than prior academic performance.

1. Complete registration from by clicking this link:
https://dukeseducation.secure.force.com/Application/?recordType=Fine_Arts_College&pageLayout=Application%20Layout
2. We will then invoice you for the £250 registration fee
3. Send school reports and academic reference from previous school plus passport and birth certificate
4. Interview with the Principal by Skype/Zoom
5. A minimum of IELTS 5.0 for GCSE and 5.5 for A Level
6. Send art portfolio for Art Portfolio course
7. Offer of a place
8. Fill out acceptance form and pay deposit

Scholarships

The college offers a small number of scholarships off tuition fees which can be applied for by emailing the Registrar: meena.sunner@hampsteadfinearts.com



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