



Hartismere College

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arts
award

**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN DOING
A GOLD ARTS AWARD?
DO YOU ENJOY DOING ANY OF
THE ABOVE?
DO YOU WANT TO EARN EXTRA
UCAS POINTS?**



What is a Gold Arts Award?

Gold Arts Award is a recognition of your ability as a creative arts leader. At gold level, you show that you are capable of working as an arts practitioner while broadening your horizons within the arts world.

Working at this level will extend your creativity, communication, planning, teamwork and leadership skills, and will support your progression through any education, training or career pathway.



Frequently asked questions:

Q. Do I need to do a bronze and silver award before I do my gold Arts Award?

A. No you don't. The gold Arts Award is the highest Arts Award at Level 3 on the Qualifications and Credit Framework (QCF) and develops young people's creativity, communication, planning, teamwork and leadership skills.

Q. Will achieving an Arts Award help me gain a place at university or a job after I leave college?

A. Yes definitely. The gold Award is recognised on the UCAS Tariff and is worth 35 points.

Employers, universities and colleges know that the Arts Award is a qualification that shows young people's level of commitment and progress in the arts and in developing new skills.



Q. How old do you have to be?

A. Gold has been designed for young people aged 16 to 25.

Q. What will I have to do?

A. You will need to plan your work with our Arts Award adviser, and keep a record by creating your own Arts Award portfolio. You can pick your own style of portfolio – this could be a diary, video, website blog – or something different altogether.

**Gold has two units – Unit 1: Personal arts development
Unit 2: Arts projects leadership**



Q. Can anyone do a Gold Arts award?

A. Yes, There are no entry requirements or set time limit for completing the award. It will take young people around 90 hours to complete, working with your adviser and independently.



For more information about the Arts Award go to:

www.artsaward.org.uk

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