



Media Studies

AS Course Overview: Learners will explore how the media language of media products construct different representations and how media products are used by institutions to communicate messages to different media audiences.	Unit	Title
	1	Investigating the Media 35% 1 hour 45 mins Exam
	2	Investigating Media Forms and Products 35% 2 hour exam
	3	Media Production 30% Non- Exam
How will I be assessed? 70% Exam (3 hours 45 mins) 30% coursework		

A Level Course Overview: Learners will explore how media products are used by institutions to construct different representations and how media audiences interpret these products. Topics include: Television in the Global Age Magazines Media in the Online Age	Unit	Title
	1	Media Products 35% 2 Hours 15 mins Exam
	2	Media Products in depth 35% 2 Hours 30 mins Exam
	3	Cross Media Production 30% Non-exam assessment
How will I be assessed? 2 Written exams 70% (two exams: 4 hours 45 mins) Coursework 30%		

What do I need to join?
 A minimum of a grade 4 in GCSE English Language would be accepted to start this course. A grade 5, however, is preferred.

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Where could this A Level take me in the future?

 A course in Higher Education.
 Careers in PR and Marketing, Journalism, Advertising, TV and Film Production.