

Arts Award: Performing Arts



The course is made up as follows:

Part A: Explore the arts as a participant

Part B: Explore the arts as an audience member

Part C: Arts inspiration

Part D: Arts skills share

Student Comments

“Arts Award is great because I can link my special interests and choose where my learning takes me.”

“I can really express myself through drama.”

“Lessons allow me to be creative and develop different skills.”

Course description

Trinity College London Arts Award is a course consisting of four units which take students on a creative journey with a focus on the performing arts: drama, music and/or dance. It enables students to explore the arts world, discovering potential as artists, developing leadership skills – and gaining a recognised qualification along the way.

The qualification is either gained in Explore (equivalent to Entry Level 3) or Bronze/Silver (equivalent to GCSE). This is dependent on the students prior knowledge and skillset. The following aspects are studied:

- **Creating and participating in arts activities**
Through Arts Award, students get actively involved in creative activities and produce their own work using an arts skillset of their choice (for example: drama, art, music, dance).
- **Experience arts events and explore the work of artists**
Arts Award connects students with the arts world – as the audience or visitor, behind the scenes, learning from creative professionals, or researching the work of artists and arts organisations.
- **Gain 21st century skills for success in education and employment.**
Completing Arts Award gives students a wide range of transferable skills.
- **Develop leadership skills through practical involvement.**
Students share an arts skill with others and demonstrate the skills needed in leadership.