# School of

# WELCOME

Welcome to the School of Art & Design. The following pages give brief details of our courses. Full details for all courses can be found on our website.

Some of our courses require you to attend for an interview and/or submit a portfolio or examples of your work. Portfolio guidance notes are available on the website. All course entry is subject to the outcome of discussion at the interview. If you don't have the required qualifications, we'll consider you for a place based on your experience - contact course leaders for more information.

Students studying for a two year HND can choose to leave after one year of study with an HNC.

Once you've finished your course, you have the option to move on to a higher level course:

- NC/NQ Apply for HNC/HND courses at the college
- HNC/D Apply for degree level courses

Alternatively, you can go into related employment.

Below we've given you some examples of the career options available if you complete one of our Art & Design courses:

Independent Exhibiting Artist, Self Employment, Variety of jobs in the Communication Industry including Ad Agencies, Design Consultants, Newspaper Publishing, Interior Design, Space Planning, Property Development, Model Makers, Product Design, Jewellery Maker, Designer/Maker, Craftsperson, Furniture Maker/Restorer, Display Design.

Full details on opportunities available after you've completed your course are available on the website: **www.cityofglasgowcollege.ac.uk** 



# COURSES

NC Art & Design HNC Art & Design: Portfolio Development HNC/D Fine Art NC Graphic Design and HND Graphic Design NC Illustration and HNC/D Illustration BA (Hons) Contemporary Art Practice NC Art & Design: Interior Design HND 3D Design: Interior Design BA (Hons) Interior Design NC Model Making for TV & Film HND 3D Design: Model Making for the Creative Industries NC Product Design HND 3D Design: Product Design NC Jewellery and HNC/D Jewellery Design NC Applied Arts HNC Applied Arts HND Display Design for Retail HNC/D Art Glass Design NC Furniture HNC Furniture HNC Furniture Craftsmanship with Design HNC/D Furniture Restoration

# NC Art & Design

# About this course (SCQF 5/6)

This one year programme offers an introduction to the practice of art & design. The course encourages you to take responsibility for your own creative development.

### What you need

- English and Art & Design at Intermediate 2 or Credit level Standard Grade
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# HNC Art & Design: Portfolio Development

# About this course (SCQF 7)

This one year course is project-based and you'll be able to explore your own creativity through a range of art and design subjects. You'll develop your skills on projects that include drawing, colour, visual communication, expressive art and cultural studies.

### What you need

- NC in Art & Design subject, OR
- Art & Design at Higher and English at minimum Intermediate 2
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# HNC/D Fine Art

# About this course (SCQF 7/8)

This two year course includes traditional and innovative practices, giving you a broad visual education in contemporary art practice. Students who successfully complete this course will achieve the HNC/D Contemporary Art Practice (SCQF 7/8).

### What you need

- NC in Art & Design or Illustration OR
- Art & Design at Higher and English at minimum Intermediate 2
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# NC Graphic Design

# About this course (SCQF 5/6)

This one year programme offers an introduction to the practice of Graphic Design. You will also study additional specialist subjects to develop your skills and creativity relating directly to your chosen specialism.

### What you need

- English and Art & Design at Intermediate 2 or Credit level Standard Grade
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# **HND** Graphic Design

### About this course (SCQF 7/8)

The two year HND course develops your creative ability and technical skills mainly through practical projects in the studio and encourages you to take responsibility for your own development. Students who successfully complete the course will achieve the HNC/D Visual Communication (SCQF 7/8).

### What you need

- NC in Art & Design, Illustration or Graphic Design OR
- Art & Design at Higher and English at minimum Intermediate 2
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# NC Illustration

# About this course (SCQF 5/6)

This one year programme offers an introduction to the practice of illustration and encourages you to take responsibility for your own creative development.

### What you need

- English and Art & Design at Intermediate 2 or Credit Level Standard Grade
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# **HNC/D** Illustration

# About this course (SCQF 7/8)

The two year Illustration course develops your creative ability and technical skill in a programme which is mainly based in the studio. Your projects are developed from initial ideas and sketchbook drawings, through to illustration artwork ready for presentation to a client. Students who successfully complete the HNC/D course will achieve the HNC/D Visual Communication (SCQF 7/8).

### What you need

- NC in Art & Design, Illustration or Graphic Design OR
- Art & Design at Higher and English at minimum Intermediate 2
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# BA (Hons) Contemporary Art Practice

### About this course (SCQF 9)

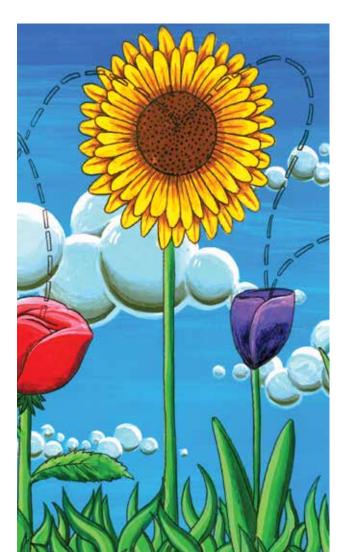
This two year honours course (or one year for a BA) is offered by the University of the West of Scotland (UWS) in collaboration with City of Glasgow College. You'll have opportunities to explore two and three-dimensional creative strategies as well as lens-based and digital disciplines. Critical reflection on creative practice is central to the course.

### What you need

- HND in Contemporary Art Practice (or equivalent) with a 'B' in Graded Units, or relevant professional experience
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# NC Art & Design: Interior Design

# About this course (SCQF 5/6)

This one year course gives you a foundation in the skills needed by a professional interior designer. You'll progress interior design projects from research to 'idea' stage, then sketch design, and finally to technical drawings and interior perspectives ready for presentation to a client.

### What you need

- Two Standard Grades at Credit Level in Art & Design and English
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# HND 3D Design: Interior Design

# About this course (SCQF 7/8)

This two year course is about designing spaces & places for people - creating interior schemes and solving problems to improve the world around us. It enables you to develop the creative, analytical and technical skills for jobs in the interior design profession.

### What you need

- NC in Interior Design or related subject, OR
- Higher Art & Design and English at minimum Intermediate 2
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# BA (Hons) Interior Design

# About this course (SCQF 7/8)

Glasgow Caledonian University (GCU) offers this course, in association with the College. As an Interior Designer you will need a range of technical expertise and professional knowledge, as well as creativity and a 'good eye'. This course underpins the skills and knowledge required by Industry.

### What you need

 HND 3D Design: Interior Design - minimum of a 'B' in Graded Units

### Applications should be made via UCAS

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# NC Model Making for TV & Film

# About this course (SCQF 5/6)

TV and film are using model making more and more. On this one year course there are specific units for prop making, miniatures and a variety of SFX Model Making techniques. Model Making is a growing, multi-discipline industry with career paths leading into all areas of the creative industry.

### What you need

- Two Standard Grades at Credit Level in Art & Design, Craft & Design, Product Design or English
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# HND 3D Design: Model Making for the Creative Industries

# About this course (SCQF 7/8)

On this two year course you'll develop projects from research to complete prototype model, using initial concepts, sketch designs and sketch models, as well as presentation artwork to support your finished model. You'll learn a variety of traditional hand skills as well as the use of industry standard technology.

### What you need

- NC Model Making or a related discipline, OR
- One Higher from Art, Craft & Design, Product Design or Graphic Communication, and English at minimum Intermediate 2
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# NC Product Design

### About this course (SCQF 5/6)

Designing products that may include bottles for drinks companies, promotional items, furniture, public art, recycling materials and lots more enjoyable and interesting projects will help you use your imagination and have fun while learning on this one year course.

### What you need

- Two Standard Grades at Credit Level in Art & Design and English
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# HND 3D Design: Product Design

# About this course (SCQF 8)

The two year HND offers you a nationally recognised qualification in product design. You'll develop product design projects from research to idea stage to sketch design - before going on to product development and making presentation boards for clients to review.

### What you need

- NC Product Design or related discipline (e.g. Furniture Design) OR
- One Higher from Product Design, Graphic Communication or Art & Design, and English at minimum Intermediate 2
- Portfolio/examples of work

### Contact

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# NC Jewellery

### About this course

The one year NC course gives you a strong foundation in contemporary jewellery design and manufacture. It's an introduction to practical workshop skills and you use a wide range of tools and machinery.

### What you need

- Two Standard Grades at Credit Level 1 or 2 in Art & Design and English
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# HNC/D Jewellery Design

# About this course (SCQF 7/8)

This two year HND course offers a range of skills in jewellery design and manufacture. The units are project and design-led which allows candidates to develop specialisms appropriate to their own interests and the current business environment. Students who successfully complete this course achieve the HNC/D Jewellery (SCQF 7/8).

### What you need

- Two Highers, one of which must be in Art & Design, OR
- An NC/NQ in an Art & Design subject
- Portfolio/examples of work

### Contact

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# NC Applied Arts

### About this course (SCQF 5/6)

This one year course develops your skills in the various techniques of handling ceramic, jewellery and art glass materials. It also develops drawing skills, and your ability to design in two and three dimensions.

### What you need

- Two Standard Grades at Credit Level 1 or 2 in Art & Design and English
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# HND Display Design for Retail

# About this course (SCQF 8)

Outside London, this is the UK's only further education course in Retail Display Design at this level. This two year course provides a wide understanding of all aspects of design necessary for a career in Retail Display Design. Students who successfully complete the HND course will achieve the HND Display Design (SCQF 8)

### What you need

- Two Higher Grade passes at Grade C or above, preferably including Art and English and two other passes at Standard Grade (or equivalent) at band 3 or above, OR
- NQ Art & Design (or equivalent)
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# **HNC** Applied Arts

# About this course (SCQF 7)

This one year course is project-based, and you'll explore your own creativity. Projects concentrate on designing, exploring and making, drawing and personal expression in Art Glass, Applied Ceramics, Jewellery and Performance Costume. Students who successfully complete this course achieve the HNC Art & Design (SCQF 7).

### What you need

- An NC/NQ in an Art & Design subject, OR
- Two Highers one of which must be in Art & Design
- Portfolio/examples of work

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## HNC/D Art Glass Design

# About this course (SCQF 7/8)

This two year course offers a broad education working in two and three dimension design with a balance between creative, practical and core skills. You'll learn contemporary warm glass techniques. Students who successfully complete this course, will achieve the HNC/D Art Glass Production (SCQF 7/8).

### What you need

- Two Highers, one of which must be in Art and Design, OR
- NC/NQ in an Art and Design subject
- Portfolio/examples of work

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# NC Furniture

# About this course (SCQF 5/6)

On this one year course you'll cover all the main skills used in the furniture manufacturing industry to craft timber and upholstery, and in wood finishing. You'll gain experience in both modern and traditional methods of furniture production.

### What you need

• Two Standard Grades at Credit level

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# HNC/D Furniture Craftsmanship with Design

# About this course (SCQF 7/8)

The two year HND encourages you to develop practical skills through manufacture, and to express yourself through design. You'll be encouraged to study in depth the construction of furniture, to develop and build designs, and hone your skills in cabinet making, upholstery and woodfinishing.

### What you need

- NC Furniture Making, OR
- One Higher in Craft and Design, and English at minimum Intermediate 2

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# **HNC** Furniture

# About this course (SCQF 7)

This one year course encourages you to develop practical skills through manufacture, and to express yourself through design. You'll be encouraged to study in depth the construction of furniture, to develop and build designs, and hone your skills in cabinet making, upholstery and woodfinishing.

### What you need

- NC Furniture Making, OR
- One Higher in Craft and Design, and English at minimum Intermediate 2

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# HNC/D Furniture Restoration

# About this course (SCQF 7/8)

This two year course develops your skills in furniture analysis and practical solutions, through workshop activities. You'll study the history of furniture design and materials as well as the construction, upholstery and finishing of period furniture. You'll also restore items of furniture throughout this course.

### What you need

- NQ in Furniture Making OR
- One Higher Craft and Design, and English at minimum Intermediate 2

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