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The Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 Tech Award in Music Practice is for learners who want to acquire sector-specific applied knowledge and technical skills through vocational contexts by studying and developing their musical skills and techniques, and by responding to a music industry brief as part of their Key Stage 4 learning. The qualification enables learners to develop their skills, such as using musical elements, music creation, performance and music production, using realistic vocational contexts, and their personal skills, such as self-development, responding to a brief, planning and time management through a practical and skills-based approach to learning and assessment.

Assessment

Assessment is by means of practical performances, coursework and controlled conditions examination.

Facilities and Equipment used

- Bespoke music classrooms equipped with a wide range of musical instruments, amps, headphones and microphones as well as software to enable students to compose and record their own music.
- Two music practice rooms, both with pianos and portable instruments to support rehearsals of songs.

Outside Learning Opportunities

- Workshops with outside agencies such as Plymouth University and local musicians.
- Peripatetic lessons with a well respected teacher to develop musical specialist skills.
- Opportunity to participate in events such as *The Big Sing*, Concerts, and shows.

Related Careers

- Musician
- Music Producer
- Composer
- Sound Technician
- Recording Engineer
- Songwriter
- DJ
- Events Manager
- Marketing
- Music Journalism
- Teacher

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