

Course Facts & Figures at a glance...

Subject Leader
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Course Title
A-Level Applied ICT

QAN Code
100/4434/6

Awarding Body
OCR

Number of Units
2 per year

Unit Titles
Using ICT to communicate
How organisations use ICT
ICT solutions for individuals and society
Working to a brief

Number of Entrants
Last Year
AS: 24 A2: 8

Percentage Pass Rate
Last Year
100%

The Applied ICT AS Level and A Level qualify for UCAS points.

Students who complete the course successfully can move on to study for a degree or BTEC Higher National Diploma in related subjects such as *ICT, Computer Science, Information Systems, Multimedia, Software Engineering, Computer Networking, e-business and Information Management.*

In today's workplace, those with the knowledge and skills to use ICT creatively have the opportunity to pursue new and exciting careers, with whole industries emerging around the ICT revolution.

To meet these career challenges, students must be self-reliant as well as good communicators and problem solvers. They require interpersonal, academic, and technical skills, and must demonstrate an ability to work independently and as part of a team. They also need to develop an ethical approach to the use of information.

This course provides a focus to develop these skills while ensuring that students acquire a sound knowledge of ICT.

Assessment

The Applied ICT AS Level will be assessed by 2 Portfolio Units which will be marked by the staff teaching you and 1 Externally set assignment and examination. The ICT Department at St Julie's is an Accredited Assessment Centre for Applied ICT.

Teaching and Learning

You will develop your skills in software you may have used before as well as other industry standard applications. You will be expected to put your skills to good use in the planning and completion of your portfolio units.