

Study with us

About your course

Courses covered

Code	Title	UCAS Code
CTDIGA	BA (Hons) 2D Digital Animation	W618

You can find full details of your course in the *Programme Specification*.

Important points

This course teaches students about 2D animation, from traditional paper-based methods through to modern digital workflows. It includes training in character design, narrative, storyboarding, concept art and interactive design for gaming, web and mobile outcomes.

Academic Year

Academic Year 2024 – 2025

The University's academic year is made up of 3 Semesters (A, B and C). Semester A and B are made up of teaching weeks followed by exams, where applicable (the re-sit period falls within Semester C). Semester C is normally used for final dissertations and projects.

- *Semester A runs from Monday 23 September 2024 to Friday 17 January 2025*
- *Semester B runs from Monday 20 January 2025 to Friday 9 May 2025*
- *Semester C runs from Monday 12 May 2025 to Friday 5 September 2025*

Expected workload

In the UK, a full time student is expected to spend 1200 hours on their studies each year. Please find below an estimate of how your time will be spent on this course during each year of study.

	Lectures, seminars, tutorials	Independent study	Placement
Year 1	34%	66%	0%
Year 2	28%	72%	0%
Year 3	15%	85%	0%

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Method of assessment

	Written Exam	Coursework	Practical
Year 1	0%	100%	0%
Year 2	0%	100%	0%
Year 3	0%	100%	0%

Additional expenses

Description	Year	Mandatory/ Optional	Estimated cost
Initial kit including scissors, A2 cartridge pad, pencils, masking tape, eraser, 30cm metal ruler, pastels or conte crayons, charcoal (compressed), ink, pencil sharpener, assorted brushes, USB memory stick, A3 black portfolio, writing pen, fine line drawing pens.	1	Mandatory	£40
Consumable art supplies, including A4 hardback sketchbooks, A3 hardback sketchbooks, A4 lined notepad, glue, masking tape, eraser, basic set of acrylic paints, coloured pencils, Sellotape, double sided tape, basic set of drawing pencils, highlighter.	Ongoing	Mandatory	£50.00*
Contribution towards final year degree show costs and promotional materials for Animation Exposé (Film Day).	3	Optional**	£25.00

* This is an indicative cost – how much you use and need to replace these supplies will depend on your own style of working and process.

** Taking part in the final year degree show is optional. If opting to take part, this cost then becomes mandatory.