

# Digital and IT

## Preparing for Digital Design

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### What are the entry requirements?

No formal requirements, but students will need existing basic digital skills or to have completed the First Steps with Computers course. Ideally, they will be familiar with video and image editing packages, skills that can be learned on the college's Introduction to Digital Photography and Introduction to Video Editing courses.

### Need more information?

You can find out more about Northern College and the courses on offer by calling us on 01226 776000 or emailing us [courses@northern.ac.uk](mailto:courses@northern.ac.uk)

## Course description

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Students will study the principles of digital design, working with photos, videos, images, and animation to produce multimedia content. They will use tools such as digital cameras, photo editing software, and their own imagination to create eye catching, ear grabbing, visual and audio files for social media and other platforms.

## What can this course lead to?

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The course could lead onto accredited courses in the subject, or onto other Northern College digital courses, such as software development, where the material created in this course could be used.

## Want to learn more?

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## Location

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On-site

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