

To: SQA Coordinators
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Dear Colleague

Photography Update

Please forward this letter to the members of staff responsible for Higher National Photography qualifications.

HNC/HND Photography Review

The review of the HNC/D Photography is now complete and the revised awards were launched at an event in March this year.

G86M 15 and G86W entered a lapsing period in August 2012. Entries will continue to be accepted during this period: 3 years for HNC and 4 years for HND.

The codes for the revised awards are: GG3C 15 and GG3D 16.

The Course Arrangements document for this award is available on SQA's Website:

<http://www.sqa.org.uk/sqa/25288.html>

The revised frameworks are attached to this letter along with a document giving details of the new/revised Units.

Assessment Support Packs are being produced for the following Units and will be published on the SQA secure website shortly:


Image Editing
Moving Image
Applied Techniques

I hope you find the contents of this update letter helpful. Should you require any further information regarding the content of this letter or any other matter relating to Art and Design or Photography Courses, please contact me.

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Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lesley Clark". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized 'L' and 'C'.

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Group Award framework HNC Photography

Total SQA credits needed for the Group Award	12
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Mandatory Units		Total SQA credits needed from the mandatory section	7
4 code	2 code	Unit Title	Credit
DW8E	34	Photography: Theory	1.0
H1LK	34	Photography: Portraiture	2.0
H37X	34	Photography: Image Editing	1.0
DW7T	34	Photography: Studio Still Life	2.0
DW91	34	Photography: Graded Unit 1	1.0

Optional Units		Total SQA credits needed from the optional section	5
4 code	2 code	Unit Title	Credit
DW81	34	Photography: Darkroom Techniques	1.0
H37W	34	Photography: Applied Techniques	1.0
H37Y	34	Photography: Moving Image	1.0
DW80	34	Photography: Corporate	2.0
DV5T	34	Art and Design: Creative Process	1.0
DW83	35	Photography: Environment	1.0
H1LM	34	Photography: Social Photography	1.0
H1LL	34	Photography: Stock	1.0
DW88	35	Photography: Large Format Imaging	1.0
H382	34	Art and Design: Desktop Publishing and Layout	1.0
H383	34	Web Design: An Introduction	1.0
DW82	35	Photography: Documentary	2.0
FD69	34	Digital Imaging	1.0
FD63	35	Art and Design Context	1.0

Group Award framework HND Photography Code

Total SQA credits needed for the Group Award	30
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Mandatory Units		Total SQA credits needed from the mandatory section	15.0
4 code	2 code	Unit Title	Credit
DW8E	34	Photography: Theory	1.0
H1LK	34	Photography: Portraiture	2.0
DW7T	34	Photography: Studio Still Life	2.0
H37X	34	Photography: Image Editing	1.0
DM0V	34	Creative Industries: An Introduction	1.0
DW84	35	Photography: Exhibition	1.0
DW8A	35	Photography: Photojournalism	2.0
DW7V	35	Photography: Advertising	2.0
DW91	34	Photography: Graded Unit 1	1.0
DX0D	35	Photography: Graded Unit 2	2.0

Optional Units		Total SQA credits needed from the optional section	15.0
4 code	2 code	Unit Title	Credit
Group 1 (Mandatory): from 5.0 to 9.0 credits needed			
DW83	35	Photography: Environment	1.0
H37V	35	Photography: Advanced Image Editing	1.0
H37Y	34	Photography: Moving Image	1.0
DW82	35	Photography: Documentary	2.0
DW7W	35	Photography: Alternative Processes	1.0
DW85	35	Photography: Fashion	2.0
DW7Y	35	Photography: Architecture	1.0
DW88	35	Photography: Large Format Imaging	1.0
H37W	34	Photography: Applied Techniques	1.0
Group 2 (Mandatory): from 6.0 to 10.0 credits needed			
DW81	34	Photography: Darkroom Techniques	1.0
H1LL	34	Photography: Stock	1.0
DW80	34	Photography: Corporate	2.0
H1LM	34	Photography: Social Photography	1.0
DV5T	34	Art and Design: Creative Process	1.0
H383	34	Web Design: An Introduction	1.0
D77G	34	Communication: Practical Skills	1.0
DV0M	34	Work Experience	1.0
DK2K	34	Getting Started in Business	1.0
DX34	35	Digital Video for Artists and Designers	1.0
H382	34	Art and Design: Desktop Publishing and Layout	1.0
FD69	34	Digital Imaging	1.0
FD63	35	Art and Design Context	1.0
DE3R	34	Personal Development Planning	1.0

HNC/HND Photography Revision

Unit Title	Code	Candidate Registration Available From	New Unit/ Revision	Mandatory/ Optional	Exemplar	Old Unit Code and Title (if different)	Old Unit Finish Date
Photography: Image Editing	H37X 34	01/08/2013	Revision	Mandatory	Yes	DW86 34 Photography: Image Editing 1	31/07/2015
Photography: Advanced Image Editing	H37V 35	01/08/2013	Revision	Optional (HND only)	Yes	DW87 35 Photography: Image Editing 2	31/07/2015
Photography: Applied Techniques	H37W 34	01/08/2013	Revision	Optional	Yes	DW7X 34	31/07/2015
Photography: Moving Image	H37Y 34	01/08/2013	New	Optional	Yes	N/A	N/A
Photography: Portraiture	H1LK 34	Available	Minor Revision	Mandatory	Yes	DW8C 34	31/07/2014
Photography: Stock	H1LL 34	Available	Minor Revision	Optional	No	DW89 34 Photography: Location Stock	31/07/2014
Photography: Social Photography	H1LM 34	Available	Minor Revision	Optional	No	DW8D 34	31/07/2014

Unit Title	Code	Candidate Registration Available From	New Unit/ Revision	Mandatory/ Optional	Exemplar	Old Unit Code and Title (if different)	Old Unit Finish Date
Art and Design: Desktop Publishing and Layout	H382 34	01/08/2013	Minor Revision	Optional	No	DV95 34	31/07/2015
Web Design: An Introduction	H383 34	01/08/2013	Minor Revision	Optional	No	DV5M 34	31/07/2015