



South
Nottinghamshire
Academy

A-Level Media Studies

Why Media Studies?

A Level Media Studies is a great choice for creative students with an interest in the world of media, as it casts a spotlight on the society in which we live today and the fundamental part that media plays in it. As the technological world continues to expand, Media Studies provides both academic and practical skills which will undoubtedly be used in the workplace of today and tomorrow.

Media Studies offers a unique blend of theoretical study and creativity enabling students to respond to a variety of media products with flair, criticality and originality. Students will study a range Broadcast, Print and E-Media and have the opportunity to create media products of their own using Photoshop.

What can I expect?

The course will encourage you to become an active reader of media and to develop understanding of moral, political and sociological issues. Media Studies is so much more than watching TV!

The course will provide you with an opportunity to develop your analytical, research and creative skills.

What do I need?

A grade 4 in GCSE English and/or 4 in Media Studies

What about the future?

Skills gained through the study of Media are particularly useful for careers in publishing and printing, journalism, public relations, teaching, design, editing and information management.