

# Open Awards Qualification Unit



This unit forms part of a regulated qualification.

## 1 Unit Details

Unit Title:	Materials Exploration
QAC Code:	L/504/4652
Level:	Level 2
Credit Value:	3
Minimum GLH:	24

## 2 Learning Outcomes and Criteria

Learning Outcome (The Learner will):	Assessment Criterion (The Learner can):
1. Understand how to manipulate a variety of media and materials	1.1 Use elements of line, tone, colour, texture, pattern, shape and form in the manipulation of media and materials
2. Understand the importance of developing an individual approach to the collection and recording of information	2.1 Describe methods of collating and documenting research
	2.2 Use methods of collating and documenting research
3. Know how to experiment with ideas, techniques and materials	3.1 Select a range of techniques and materials and use these in the development of ideas
	3.2 Assess the selection of materials
4. Understand the current market trends and preferences within design applications	4.1 Describe current market trends and preferences within design applications
	4.2 Comment on potential development
5. Be able to recognise conventions	5.1 Describe the conventions giving differing views, both historical and contemporary
6. Understand health and safety procedures and safe studio practice	6.1 Carry out identified health and safety procedures and safe studio practice