OTUMOETAI COLLEGE NCEA PERFORMING ARTS TECHNOLOGIES LEVEL 2 (L2PART) 2018

PERFORMING ARTS TECHNOLOGIES – L2PART Course Relationship to the National Vocational Pathways						
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Course Entry	Entry is subject to HOD (Mrs Rowe) approval and dependent on a proven interest in Performing Arts/Design. This course is aimed at those students who are keen to explore predominantly backstage roles within the Performing Arts.					
Course Overview	In Performing Arts Technologies students will study backstage roles within theatre. The design and manufacture of set, props, costume, make-up and lighting will be explored, also key backstage roles during a theatre performance (Stage Manager, Director, Front of House Manager) will be studied and undertaken. Students will work on various projects including, the Stage Challenge competition at Baycourt Theatre.					
Assessment	The course is assessed to a range of Unit Standards. Students will be assessed for approximately 15 credits in total, with additional credits available for co-curricular activities.					
Cost	Course					
Time out of class	1 day for theatre trip					

Unit Standards

Unit Standard	Title	Credits	Dates
US27701 V2	US27701 V2 Make-up		Term 1
US27702 V1	US27702 V1 Production Role (optional)		Term 1
US27699	Costume Design	4	Term 2
US27702	US27702 Production Role (optional)		Term 2 – begins Term 3 - completed
US27000	Stage Lighting	4	Term 3
US27702	US27702 Production Role (optional)		Term 3
US27704	Making Props (Mask Making)	4	Term 4

Some assessment opportunities are offered at different times during the year; however, the credits can only be achieved once. All students will create their own personal pathway through the course. Most students will be assessed to approx. 19 credits selected from the above options.

Each Unit Standard will be assessed separately. Students will be awarded – Not Achieved, Achieved, Merit or Excellence for each standard. Achieved, Merit or Excellence all receive the same number of credits, i.e. US27699 is worth 4 credits and students will gain these credits if they are awarded Achieved, Merit or Excellence.

Unit Standards are all internally assessed, moderated within the Department, and externally moderated.

Whilst all Internals have a practical emphasis, students will be expected to complete written work in their portfolio.

Explanatory Notes

- If a student is genuinely absent for a scheduled internal assessment, every effort will be made to provide a further assessment opportunity. However, due to the nature of the subject, this will not always be possible.
- Students' portfolios will be retained by the teacher at the end of the year as written evidence, for moderation purposes, and can be claimed back after 3 years.
- Students wishing to appeal a grade should first discuss their results with the subject teacher and the Head of Department. If still unsatisfied students may lodge an appeal. Forms are available from the Deputy Principal in charge of curriculum. Students wishing to appeal a grade must do so within 48 hours of receiving notification of their assessed grade.
- Deadlines will be set by the class teacher and must be adhered to.
- For each Unit Standard a student instruction sheet will clearly explain how work is assessed.