

What could I do with ...

Art and Design

This subject will develop your practical / creative abilities and skills. It will also improve your:

- Ability to work independently
- Attention to detail
- Communication skills
- IT skills
- Organising skills
- Project skills
- Research skills
- Teamwork

These skills are important for Art and Design jobs and lots of other careers too

Many careers in Art and Design require a strong portfolio of work and higher education qualifications such as a degree

The lists below are just some job ideas using Art and Design, can you think of others?

Jobs which usually expect at least some GCSEs / Level 1 qualifications

- Cake Decorator
- Florist
- Furniture Maker
- Hairdresser
- Photographic Processing Assistant
- Retail Display Assistant
- Screen Printer
- Sewing Machinist

Jobs which usually expect at least 4 or 5 GCSE grades A*- C / Level 2 qualifications

- Art Gallery Attendant
- DTP Operator
- Engraver
- Machine Printer
- Photographic Technician
- Signmaker / Signwriter

Jobs which usually expect Advanced / Level 3 and often Higher Education qualifications

- Advertising Art Director
- Architect
- Arts Administrator
- Art Therapist
- Art Gallery Worker
- Auctioneer / Valuer
- Community Arts Worker
- Exhibition Designer
- Fashion Clothing Designer
- Graphics Studio Assistant
- Illustrator
- Interior Designer
- Landscape Architect
- Medical Illustrator
- Multimedia Specialist
- Photographer
- Printmaker
- Fashion Retail Buyer
- Silversmith
- Teacher / Lecturer
- Textile Designer



What to do next

- Research these job ideas
- Think about:
 - What the job involves
 - What sort of a person you need to be
 - What qualifications you might need
 - What routes lead into the job

Useful Websites

www.connexions-direct.com/jobs4u

www.yourcreativefuture.org.uk

www.skillset.org