

As a largely digital course we will be working for the most part in the newly completed Digital Skills Centre. These facilities will provide you with the software required to produce the work required on the course.

The equipment below will be useful in helping you work in this space and should last the duration of the 3-year course if taken care of. These could be good ideas for birthday gifts to give you a good start on the course.

- 2Tb solid state external hard drive for storage of work and files and transferring between teaching spaces.
- A set of over ear headphones – depending on how you like to work you may wish to purchase noise cancelled headphones for focussed process development. – Note, if required you can loan basic headphones from the college on a daily basis but having your own would be more convenient.
- An A3 hardback sketchbook for concept drawing and hand rendered designs.
- A set of soft pencils for sketching and concept designs.
- A notebook and set of pens for lecture notes.
- A Home Gaming PC would be advised, as specs change yearly and funding can be different for everyone, we will recommend PCs based on your budget, if you would like to discuss your options with your available funds, please feel free to contact your course leader to get a rough outlay on what would be useful to you before you proceed. Your machine will be your home link to your future world, do not worry if this is a stretch right now, we will provide you compatible hardware on site and in class hours.