

# BTEC Level 1/2 Tech Award

## DIGITAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY



### Why study this course?

- This course has been designed to provide you with the knowledge and understanding of one of the world's fastest growing industries.
- It will allow you to develop skills in a range of software packages and develop your understanding of digital information technology.
- It will allow you to progress into employment, further education or onto the Level 3 IT course in the sixth form at Astley.

The course is equivalent to one GCSE grade 8 to 1 but marked as a BTEC Pass, Merit, Distinction or Distinction Star.

### Units you will study (Year 10)

Unit 1: Exploring User Interface Design Principles and Project Planning Techniques  
(Assessed using Internal Coursework Assignment)

Unit 3: Effective Digital Working Practices  
(Assessed using an External Examination)

### Units you will study (Year 11)

Unit 2: Collecting, Presenting and Interpreting Data  
(Assessed using Internal Coursework Assignment)

### Who will do the course?

This is a Level 1/2 course and is open to all students.

### What styles of teaching and learning will be used?

A variety of styles will be used to enable you to complete the course. You will research the DIT industry through group work, individual assessment, the internet and teacher led activities.

**For further information contact your ICT teacher or Mr Armstrong**