

# Media and Film Studies Resources

There are a wealth of materials and resources available to support your learning outside of the classroom. These are designed to deepen your knowledge and understanding of specific topics, as well as broadening your knowledge by introducing you to other useful material. There is a clear expectation that, in order to achieve your potential, you will be using these materials outside of lessons.

## **Media Studies Fact Sheets**

A wide ranging collection of Fact Sheets on topics of interest to Media and Film students. These are available on the 'Media Fact Sheets' Classroom. Look through the Index to see which Fact Sheets are relevant to the individual topics you are studying.

# Media Magazine

A magazine produced specifically for A Level Film and Media students. This is available via the website, for which you have a student login. Read PDF versions of the magazine or use the Archive Search facility to find articles on specific topics.

## **Film Texts**

All A Level Film texts are available on the 'Film Texts' Classroom for you to study outside of lessons.

# **Sight and Sound Magazine**

Copies of the magazine are available from the Media Studies Office. Some articles are available on the BFI website. Search for articles on the website and then collect the relevant edition from the office. <a href="https://www.bfi.org.uk/news-opinion/sight-sound-magazine">https://www.bfi.org.uk/news-opinion/sight-sound-magazine</a>

## The Guardian

An excellent resource for materials related to Media and Film Studies. Again, use the search facility to find articles and materials relating to specific topics. https://www.theguardian.com/uk/culture

# Media and Film Studies Classrooms

Extension activities, materials and revision aids are available on the Classroom. Make sure you print off and use these materials.

## **Course Textbooks**

Textbooks are available for both A Level Media and Film Studies. Relevant sections will be shared with you, but you may choose to purchase your own copy. WJEC/Eduqas Media Studies for A Level Year 1 & AS - Bell and Johnson (Illuminate Publishing) WJEC/Eduqas Media Studies for A Level Year 2 & A2 - Bell and Johnson



(Illuminate Publishing) WJEC/Eduqas Film Studies for A Level and AS - Cheshire, Ramey, Stewart and Wardle (Illuminate Publishing).

## Mrs Fisher's Media Studies Revision Channel

A very useful series of short videos on A Level Media units. https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCUKrxp4BcJrGLzmqAhCjASg

## **Studio Binder**

Sign up to receive emails from this website that are excellent in terms of techniques and methods used by filmmakers. Excellent to support understanding and analysis of texts and your own production work. https://www.studiobinder.com/

# **BBC Radio 4 - The Film Programme**

An excellent resource for A Level Film Students. Search and listen to back episodes on the BBC website, and/or subscribe and follow on the BBC Sounds ap. https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b006r5jt

## **BBC Radio 4 - The Media Show**

As above, an excellent wide-ranging resource for A Level Media Students. https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b00dv9h