

## Lighting Design Equipment List

Please note:

- You will be required to pay £150 for theatre tickets at the beginning of your first year (you will be required to pay for theatre tickets at the beginning of each academic year)
- You should also set aside £50 per term approximately for books, play texts, art materials and model making.

Before you arrive		
Quantity	Description	If you are unsure about where to purchase items, please consult with your course tutor at the start of term.
1	USB Flash drive	
1	Mini jack to phono lead	
1	Scale rule 1:25	
1 set	Technical Drawing Equipment - pens, pencils, protractor, rule, compass etc.	
1 set	Art materials – coloured pencils, crayons, paints and general materials	
1	Chinagraph pencil	
1	Sharpie marker pen	
1	Scalpel and blades	
1	Trousers - black	Any clothes store i.e. primark, Shoezone (for boots)
1	Long sleeved top - black	
1 pair	Steel toe capped boots (black)	
1	Digital camera – good quality	
1	Lee & Rosco filter swatch book	

1	Head torch	
1 set	Range of screwdrivers – insulated handles	
1	Pliers – insulated handles	
1	Wire strippers	
1	Side cutters	
1	Retractable knife e.g. Stanley	
1	Soldering iron & Solder	
1	8" Adjustable spanner	<a href="http://www.flints.co.uk/acatalog/bahco_adjustable_spanners">http://www.flints.co.uk/acatalog/bahco_adjustable_spanners</a>
1	5m Carpenters tape measure	
1	Sturdy lockable toolbox	

**1<sup>st</sup> year – Wait for course start**

Quantity	Description	
1 set	Lighting Stencils	
1	Hard hat	
1	Light meter	
1	Continuity test meter	
1	Soldering iron & Solder	

**Other Useful Things**

Description
Student Membership of the Association of Lighting Designers
AutoCAD 2016 or Vector Works 2016 Free Educational Version
Adobe Photoshop
Adobe After effects

## **Other recommendations**

Past experience has shown that students find a laptop computer (Mac or PC) to be a very valuable additional item of equipment. This is an expensive item and not all students will be able to afford one but it is useful if you can afford it – the college has wireless provision throughout campus (including the lighting labs).

You are also recommended to insure such valuable items; there are many good insurance deals available to students.

All equipment should be clearly marked with your name. It will be your responsibility to maintain your equipment and to replace it if mislaid. We have limited locker facilities.

It is essential that all students attend professional theatre productions, (in addition to those arranged by the College) throughout their course.

You are required to purchase a production play text for each production you are assigned to.

The College projects and productions that you work on, particularly in levels 5 and 6, may take place in theatres and venues away from the College's main Sidcup campus. While you are working at them these venues effectively become an extension of the College's campus, and the College does not pay your travel costs to get to them, so you will need to budget for this. Similarly, when you undertake work placements, you will need to budget for travel to the site of the placement.

Students are required to present all their written assignments in word processed form. The College has a limited number of personal computers for study purposes. Students who have a dyslexia statement may be entitled to equipment grants from their local authority. If you think you may be dyslexic or already have a statement please contact the college's Disability Adviser, Ros Platton for further information.