



APPLICANT PACK

Welcome to MetStudios! This guide will help you get ready for your Applicant Day, outlining what to expect and how to make the most of your experience. We'll also provide tips on creating and presenting your portfolio.

The Applicant Day is your chance to explore our studios, get your hands on our state-of-the-art equipment, attend interactive workshops, and receive valuable feedback on your portfolio from an industry professional. Most importantly, this day will help you find out about the course you are most interested in.

WHAT TO EXPECT ON THE DAY

Workshops

Our workshops give you the opportunity to check out the wide range of high-quality equipment we use at MetStudios. You'll be able to explore our facilities, studios, and editing suites, and you'll get to work with industry-standard technology.

Workshops may include:

- Character design
- Animated sequences
- Storyboard creation

Portfolio review

As part of the Applicant Day, you'll attend a one-to-one session with a member of the team, where you'll present a portfolio of your work and ideas. Here are some components you may wish to include:

- Character animation:

This could include walk cycles, facial expressions, games animation, or performance-based animation.

- Storyboards:

Develop and showcase visual narratives that highlight a character's interactions with their world.

- Environmental animation:

Showcase moving elements in your world (e.g., weather, machinery, fauna).

- Experimental work:

Explore experimental styles or techniques inspired by your own experiences or from animation's rich history.

To present your portfolio, we recommend bringing a hard drive or hosting your images, sketches or recordings on a Google Drive or OneDrive account. You may also include physical copies as part of your portfolio.

We will send over a full schedule of the Applicant Day in advance, so keep an eye on your emails.

Next steps

Once you've attended an Applicant Day and completed your portfolio review, our Admissions Team will be in touch with the outcome.

If you receive an offer, you will need to apply via UCAS (or directly via our website, if you're an international applicant) if you have not already done so. Then, you can formally accept your offer.

We can't wait to meet you! If you have any questions about the Applicant Day or your application, please email us at admissions@metfilm.ac.uk.