

Working with a small group of young people to deliver alternative curriculum provision and the Arts Award qualification.

Location:	Stevenage, Hertfordshire
When:	September – June 2011
Numbers participating:	3 children
Target age groups:	Year 10 at Key Stage 4



Outcomes:

All the participating students achieved their bronze and silver Arts Award, as accredited by Trinity College London.

Impact:

By the end of the project, the young people had grown in confidence and curriculum knowledge.

“These pupils had been very reluctant to complete work within a small group in the past...the opportunities to work in a team during this project have encouraged them to participate and this in turn has boosted hugely boosted self-esteem.”

(Special Educational Needs Coordinator)

What did we do?

Future Creative is a recognised provider of alternative curriculum provision for Hertfordshire County Council. We worked with pupils with special educational needs that were not engaging in lessons and were displaying challenging behaviours.

Throughout the programme, the students used drama, theatre and World War I history to help them better engage with the Key Stage 3 curriculum. After being inspired by a visit to a local museum, the young people wrote a script based on World War I scenarios, designed a set and performed in front of their school peers, teachers and visitors from the local authority.