

# BFI Residential Film Academy – VFX & animation



Dear student

We are looking for young people (16-19) who are interested in a career in the film industry. The Film Academy is based on 2 online sessions then a residential week over the spring half term 2023. The course is subsidised but there is a [fee](#) (sliding scale starting at £25) and a [bursary](#)

scheme for those who need it. Currently there is a 3:1 success rate for applicants so there is a good chance of getting on. Deadline - 5th December 2022 - 5pm. [Academy details](#)



## For young aspiring filmmakers aged 16-19

The BFI Film Academy offers high quality training to the next generation of UK talent. If you are interested in learning or improving your skills in animation or VFX, this is the place for you. Please note – university students cannot apply.

### Timeline:

Application deadline –  
Monday 17:00 5<sup>th</sup> Dec 2022

**Online –**

Saturday 21/1/23

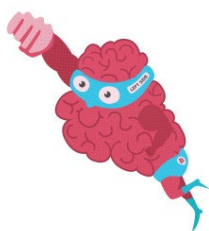
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**BFI Residential Film Academy –**

Spring half term - Sun 12<sup>th</sup> to Sat 18<sup>th</sup> Feb 23.



You will be staying and training at a beautiful [location](#) deep in the countryside near Cirencester. The venue boasts comfortable rooms, places to relax as well as amazing rooms for the course. We are especially pleased to be partnering with [Blinkink](#) and the [London International Animation Festival](#): both leaders in their field.



The academy is an intense creative experience where 40 applicants develop their talent and make films. The selection will be based on ability, talent and willingness to work hard. Here's some [films](#) from last year. Go to [filmworkshop.com](#) for more info and a quick online application.

During the BFI Film Academy, you will:

- **Make an animated film or VFX sequence**
- **Be offered bespoke careers and training sessions**
- **Build your professional on-line portfolio**
- **Work with BAFTA winning industry specialists to hone your skills**
- **Understand how to find work and training in this sector**
- **Receive 1 year follow up careers and training support**
- **..... have a fantastic time**



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