Introduction to Digital Media is an introduction to the Animation pathway. Students in the Introduction to Digital Media course will learn the basic components of 2D and 3D animation development, utilizing industry standard software including the Adobe Suite applications, Toon Boom, and Maya. Instruction in this course will focus on storyboarding, 2D and 3D modeling, character development, physics of motion, cameras and lighting, video production, and career awareness. This course provides a structure for digital literacy as well as development of technical knowledge and intellectual skills for analytical thinking; in addition, students will work productively and responsibly in individual and collaborative settings. This introductory pathway course of three sequenced courses will give students the opportunity to earn an industry credential in animation.

Pathway Skills Diploma Seal: completion of Pathway + passing the End Of Pathway Assessment