

## ISTITUTO MARANGONI LONDON ADDITIONAL COURSE MATERIAL FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2025/2026

MA FASHION BUYING & MERCHANDISING	COURSE PURCHASES
<p><b>MA Fashion Buying &amp; Merchandising</b></p>	<p>When undertaking MA Fashion Buying &amp; Merchandising, investment in appropriate materials is essential. The following list is a good starting point to build upon.</p> <p>Laptop with MS Office for presentations and documents, charger and external hard drive needed for storage of images particularly.</p> <p>During Professional Development in Term 4 whereby you may complete an internship this could incur additional travel expenses.</p> <p>Your other areas of expenditure will be in printing, access to certain journals and some fabric samples as well as costs of visiting any exhibitions or trade shows that may be required.</p> <p>Adobe creative suite / cloud is recommended for software use of Photoshop, illustrator and InDesign. Many students pay for the Adobe Creative Cloud on a monthly rental basis. Details of this can be found on the Adobe site: <a href="http://www.adobe.com/uk/creativecloud/buy/students.html">http://www.adobe.com/uk/creativecloud/buy/students.html</a> Many students also purchase Microsoft office (student/university edition)</p>
<p><b>External visits</b></p>	<p>Event/ travel charges (e.g. entry fee) to exhibitions, events and special talks</p>
<p><b>Printing costs</b></p>	<p>Ongoing everyday printing costs Dissertation or Final Major Project will incur additional costs dependent on the outcome of your project</p>
<p><b>Equipment recommended</b></p>	<p>Specialist facilities Teaching for some units takes place in professional ICT studios equipped with Apple iMac work stations running Adobe Creative Suite. Digital design skills are part of the programme content - key software used on the programme includes: Photoshop, Illustrator and InDesign.</p> <p>Students prefer to have their own computers in class and increasingly they pay for the Adobe Creative Cloud on a monthly rental basis. Details of this can be found on the Adobe site: <a href="http://www.adobe.com/uk/creativecloud/buy/students.html">http://www.adobe.com/uk/creativecloud/buy/students.html</a></p>
<p><b>Additional course costs (estimate, depends on personal and School projects)</b></p>	<p>Between £500 to £2000 per academic year</p>