

Adult Education



Take on the new year with a part-time course at Middlesbrough College

Many courses are FREE* depending on your personal circumstances. See inside for details!

Make this your year for change



The new year is the perfect time to advance your career, whether it's taking the next step in your job role, a change in direction or getting back into work. We have a course tailored to your goals, giving you the best possible start to 2026!

Middlesbrough College offers exciting opportunities to enhance your skills through a range of part-time courses. Everything we do is focused on giving you the best experience while you study with us. Our supportive and friendly team are there for you every step of the way. Courses are flexible to suit busy lifestyles and commitments, with day and evening options available on selected courses.

Many of our part-time courses could be FREE*, depending on your personal circumstances. Our dedicated team is here to guide you through the application process and help you understand the latest funding options. Eligibility criteria applies. **See page 5 for full details.**



Ofsted results



Middlesbrough College was Ofsted inspected in February 2024 and were delighted with our results.

Six **outstanding** grades

- Adult learning programmes
- Behaviour and attitudes
- Personal development
- Leadership & management
- Apprenticeships
- Provision for learners with high needs

Strong for Skills and Overall **Good**.



Learners and apprentices' benefit from receiving training in vibrant learning environments that are very well resourced.” *Ofsted 2024*

Study at our £120m campus!



Health Care Immersive Suite



Construction Workshop



The Graduate Salon



Training Kitchens



Engineering Training Centres



University Centre Middlesbrough

Join Middlesbrough College and study in our fantastic campus, home to dedicated learning zones, purpose-built social spaces and state-of-the-art specialist training facilities that will provide you with invaluable experience ready for work.

Middlesbrough College's Adult and Community Learning Centre

2 Queens Square is our dedicated space for Adult and Community Learning, offering ESOL courses, basic skills, GCSEs, Skills Bootcamps and short programmes to support learners back into education and employment. **Find out more on page 6.**

Supporting you every step of the way

We want you to have the best study experience at Middlesbrough College, so we make student support services a top priority. From careers guidance to mental health support, our experienced teams are here to help.

Career guidance

Our Careers Team are on hand to offer you free impartial advice about your future career. They can offer advice on our courses and what qualifications you'll need to achieve your goals. They can also advise on job applications, CV writing and interview skills. Click the button below to visit our dedicated careers advice page.

Careers Team: 01642 333477
Email: careers@mbro.ac.uk



Additional Learning Support

Before you start your course, you will be able to confidentially share any medical conditions and/or disabilities with our Additional Learning Support Team. Ranging from dyslexia support or other learning difficulties to visual impairment and physical mobility problems, our team of experienced staff will work with you to provide a bespoke support package.

ALS Support Team
Email: sen@mbro.ac.uk



Wellbeing and counselling

Our qualified student support team are here to help you with any difficulties you may experience whilst studying with us. They can provide advice and information on childcare, travel, food, health, wellbeing and finance.

Students can seek support for various issues such as anxiety, bereavement and study challenges. We also offer a free confidential Counselling Service.

Student Welfare Team: 01642 333868
Email: sw@mbro.ac.uk



Financial support

Adult learners may be able to receive help with equipment costs and childcare fees depending upon their personal circumstances and number of hours spent in lessons.

Financial Support Team: 01642 333606
Email: studentfinance@mbro.ac.uk



MC Fitness Studio

Adult learners can access our state-of-the-art fitness studio featuring a fantastic range of cardio vascular and resistance exercise equipment. Membership is FREE, a £10 admin fee applies.

MC Fitness Studio: 01642 333578
Email: gymworldfitnessstudio@mbro.ac.uk

Supporting your study costs

Most of our part-time courses can be studied for **FREE***, depending on your personal circumstances. The guide below will help give you an idea on whether you are eligible to study a part-time course for **FREE*** or are eligible for financial support.

Courses marked as FREE*

Courses may be FREE* depending on your circumstances. To be eligible you must bring evidence with you to enrolment. E.g. recent proof of benefits or wage slips. Eligibility criteria may include one or more of the following:

- Aged 19 or over
- You are unemployed and receiving benefits
- You are economically inactive
- You are working and earn below £33,210 for Tees Valley residents and £25,000 outside of Tees Valley (thresholds may be subject to change)
- You are looking for a job
- You are studying your first full Level 2 or Level 3 course



We know that understanding funding can be confusing, so our experts in student services are on hand to talk you through this and help get you enrolled on a course.

For selected Level 3 or above qualifications you can apply for an Advanced Learner Loan or a Tuition Fee Loan to cover your course fees. We can help you to apply for this.

For some courses, you may be able to pay in instalments.

You can contact our friendly Student Services team or chat to them at enrolment for advice and guidance on course fees.

Financial Support Team: 01642 333606
Email: studentfinance@mbro.ac.uk



“Learners and apprentices’ benefit from highly welcoming, inclusive and supportive learning and training environments.” *Ofsted 2024*

Adult and Community Learning Centre at our 2 Queens Square Centre

Our Adult and Community Learning Centre is a dedicated and supportive learning zone for adult learners. It's just next to Middlesbrough Railway Station and a short walk from our main campus and Middlesbrough bus station.

At 2 Queens Square, you can study, socialise, learn and be part of an inclusive community with like-minded people. We deliver a range of courses at the centre, making it easier than ever to learn new skills.

**For a chat about any of our programmes, please contact the ACL Team: 01642 333378
Email: adult&communitylearning@mbro.ac.uk**



Jobs club

Get free advice and guidance to fuel your future career!

Our expert team are on hand to support you with:

- Application Support
- CV Writing
- Cover Letters
- Employment Routes

Book your place by visiting 2 Queens Square or contacting 01642 333378 or adult&communitylearning@mbro.ac.uk

“Tutors support adult learners and apprentices effectively to develop their English, mathematics and digital skills.”

Ofsted 2024



ESOL, GCSEs and Functional Skills

These essential skills courses are a stepping stone to developing your communication and employability skills. ESOL is ideal if English is not your first language and you want to move into employment – we can help you get to where you want to be.

ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages)	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Pre Entry – ESOL	Pre Entry	12-24 Weeks	Various	FREE*
ESOL Skills for Life (Speaking and Listening)	E1 – E3	10 Weeks	Various	FREE*
ESOL Skills for Life (Reading)	E1 – E3	10 Weeks	Various	FREE*
ESOL Skills for Life (Writing)	E1 – E3	10 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Living and Working in the UK	E1 – E2	10 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Stepping Stones to Functional Skills English	E3	20 Weeks	Various	FREE*
ESOL for Work	E3	10 Weeks	Various	FREE*

*The courses above are FREE for most learners depending upon residency status. See page 5 for more details.

GCSEs, Digital and Functional Skills	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Functional Skills Maths	E1 – L2	16 Weeks	Various	FREE**
Functional Skills English	E3 – L1	16 Weeks	Various	FREE**
Essential Digital Skills	E3 – L1	10 Weeks	Various	FREE**
GCSE Mathematics	2	34 Weeks	September	FREE**
GCSE English Language	2	34 Weeks	September	FREE**
Microsoft Office Specialist (Word, PowerPoint, Outlook and Excel)	-	Flexible	Various	£324 per module

**FREE unless you have already achieved a Grade 4 (C) or above. See page 5 for more details.

Not a “Numbers Person”?



You’re not alone! 3 in 10 UK adults don’t think numbers are for them.

Improving your maths skills could help unlock job opportunities and lead to higher wages, prepare you for further study, or simply help with everyday life – from paying bills and budgeting, to helping the kids with their homework, or even in the kitchen.

If you need some support with your maths skills, Mathletes is available to you. It offers easy access to free maths courses to help build your confidence with numbers, and you can even gain a qualification.



Inese Tropea receiving her award in Adult & Community Learning – Basic Skills Learner of the Year 2025.

Industry-led training at Middlesbrough College and TTE

Want to develop your workforce?

Middlesbrough College is proud to support Tees Valley businesses with flexible, results-driven training that helps organisations grow and thrive.

From apprenticeships and Skills Bootcamps to technical training and bespoke solutions, we work closely with employers to develop the skilled, adaptable workforce needed for our region's future.

Apprenticeships

Through Northern Skills, the apprenticeship and training arm of Middlesbrough College Group, we deliver apprenticeship training across key sectors, including engineering, construction, digital, childcare and education, dental, business and hospitality. With full support for recruitment, funding and delivery we make it easy to grow your workforce and develop future talent.



Foundation Apprenticeships

These are 8-month programmes for 16-19 year olds. See page 14 for more details.

Skills Bootcamps

These programmes provide job-ready candidates in high-demand sectors such as green energy, logistics and digital. Fully-funded or discounted for employers, they're ideal for fast, targeted upskilling.



Industry Training at TTE

At our specialist TTE Training Centre, we offer hands-on, industry-standard courses for sectors like engineering, process and energy – from entry-level to advanced, all taught in real-world environments.

Bespoke Employer-led Provisions

Our Bespoke Employer-Led Provisions (BELPs) allows businesses to create training packages that match their unique needs, from filling vacancies to developing leadership teams.



Thomas Vercetti receiving his award in Adult & Community Learning – Bespoke Employer Led Provisions (BELPs) Learner of the Year 2025.

Bespoke Employer-led Provisions (BELPs)

Our BELPs programmes are short courses designed to get you back into work in a specific occupation or upskill you. They include industry-recognised qualifications alongside a guaranteed job interview, or exceptional support for the application process, with a local employer upon completion! With all these courses, you will gain skills in application search, CV writing and interview preparation.

The courses below run on regular dates throughout the year and attending them will not affect your benefits.

BELPs Course Title	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Administration Academy	3 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Catering Academy	3 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Food Safety and Hygiene Academy	1 Day	Various	FREE*
Groundworks Academy	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Joinery Academy	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Lifting, Rigging and Slings Academy	3 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Property Maintenance Academy	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Onshore Renewable Energy / Wind Turbine Academy	5 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Security Academy (Inc. SIA License)	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Site Safety Academy (Inc. CSCS Card)	2 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Support Staff Academy (Supporting Teaching and Learning in School)	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Warehousing and Manufacturing Skills Academy	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Welding Academy	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*

*Your course may be FREE depending upon your circumstances. See page 5.



Skills Bootcamps



Our Skills Bootcamps offer flexible courses, providing eligible adults with training that guarantees a job interview or career progression support. Partnering with employers, providers, and local authorities, these Skills Bootcamps address local skills demands across various industries.

The best part? These short courses are **FREE*** for those who are self-employed, and heavily discounted for businesses looking to upskill their workforce; a 10% contribution is available for small businesses with under 250 employees, and a 30% contribution for larger businesses.

Skills Bootcamp Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Advanced Welding	3	3 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Childcare and Early Years	3	16 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Domestic Energy Assessment (DEA) & Retrofit Assessor Award	3	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Information Advice and Guidance (IAG)	3	16 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Process Technology	3	16 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Preparing to Teach	3	15 Weeks	Various	FREE*

*Your course may be FREE depending upon your circumstances. See page 5.

Your pathway to higher education, new opportunities and the career you've always dreamed of.

Starting university is about more than studying a subject you love; it's about preparing for the career you want and the life you've imagined.

At University Centre Middlesbrough, we help you develop the skills, qualifications and experience that make you stand out. Our career-focused university programmes and excellent relationships with local, regional and national employers ensure you are ready for the world of work.

Why choose us?

- **Globally-recognised degrees** – Our programmes are validated by The Open University and Pearson Education, trusted by employers worldwide.
- **Flexible study options** – Full-time or part-time, you can balance study with work, family and life.
- **Small classes** – Enjoy more teaching hours than at larger universities, one-to-one feedback and a supportive learning environment.
- **Close-knit community** – We prioritise your experience, ensuring you feel valued and supported.
- **Modern campus** – Exclusive spaces for higher education students, with quiet zones, collaborative areas and social spaces.
- **Outstanding support** – From application to graduation, we're here for you with wellbeing, careers, academic and financial advice.

Financing your studies

If you're worried about the cost of studying, it might help to know there are a range of financial support schemes available to help you.

- Tuition fee loans
- Maintenance loans
- Employer sponsorship
- Grants for disabled students

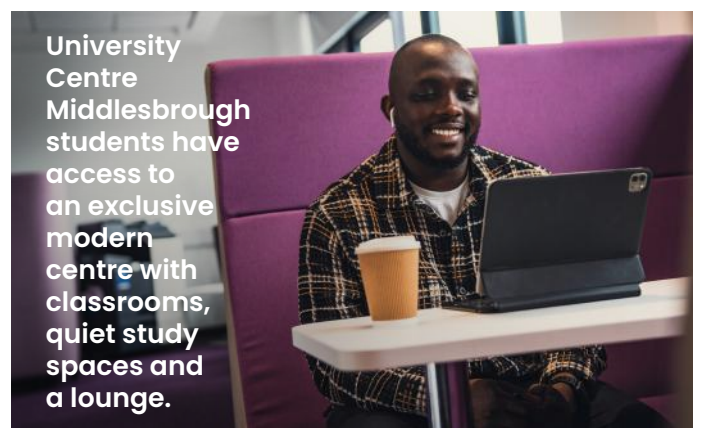
More information can be found on the Student Loans Company website at www.slc.co.uk



Wiktoiria studied Airport and Airline Passenger Management and having achieved her BA (Hons) Degree, alongside her full time role at Ryanair as a cabin manager, is now teaching part time at UCM, as well as working at a dementia care home.

As the 2025 Class Valedictorian, Wiktoiria delivered an emotional address and afterwards commented: "Studying at UCM gave me the confidence and knowledge to progress in my aviation career and beyond. The support from my tutors and the friendships I've made have been incredible. I'm proud to now be teaching travel and tourism alongside my role as a cabin manager with Ryanair – it's exciting to be inspiring others while continuing to grow in a field I love."

Wiktoiria Sosnowska
BA (Hons) in Airport & Airline Passenger Management



Higher Technical Qualifications (HTQs)

HTQs are specialised practical training programmes developed by employers and awarding bodies. They provide you with up-to-date industry skills and knowledge that not only take you higher on the employability list, but also help to unlock the tools you need to advance in your chosen field.



Higher Technical Qualification is approved against occupational standards decided by employers.

Childcare and Early Years	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fees pa ^A
FD Early Childhood Practice	5	4 Years (PT)	September	£4,250
BA (Hons) Early Childhood Professional Studies (Top-up)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625
Construction				
HNC Construction Management for England [HTQ]	4	2 Years (PT)	Various	£2,500
Education and Training				
FD Teaching & Learning	5	4 Years (PT)	September	£4,250
Cert Ed: Education and Training	5	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500
Prof Grad: Education and Training	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500
BA (Hons) Teaching and Learning (Top-up)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625
Engineering				
HNC Electrical and Electronic Engineering for England [HTQ]	4	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500
HNC Mechanical Engineering for England [HTQ]	4	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500
HNC Operations Engineering for England [HTQ]	4	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500
HND Electrical and Electronic Engineering for England [HTQ]	5	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500
HND Mechanical Engineering for England [HTQ]	5	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500
HND Operations Engineering for England [HTQ]	5	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500
BEng (Hons) Engineering (Electrical/Electronic)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625
BEng (Hons) Engineering (Mechanical)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625
BEng (Hons) Engineering (Operations)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625
Hair, Beauty and Media Makeup				
FD Specialist Hair and Makeup Artistry for Creative Industries	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500
BA (Hons) Specialist Hair & Makeup Artistry for Creative Industries (Top-up)	6	1 Year (FT)	September	£9,250
Health and Social Care				
Certificate HE Health, Wellbeing and Social Care	4	1 Year (FT)	September	£8,500
FD Health, Wellbeing and Social Care	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500
BSc (Hons) Health, Wellbeing and Social Care (Top-up)	6	1 Year (FT)	September	£9,250
Hospitality & Culinary Arts Courses				
FD Culinary Arts and Management	5	4 Years (PT)	September	£4,250
FD Hospitality Management	5	4 Years (PT)	September	£4,250
BA (Hons) Culinary Arts and Management (Top-up)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625
BA (Hons) Hospitality Management (Top-up)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625
IT and Digital				
FD Computing [HTQ]	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500
BSc (Hons) Computing (Top-up)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625

^A A range of financial support schemes are available including Student Loans. Visit www.slc.co.uk for details.

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Music, Video and Audiovisual Technology	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fees per year ^A
FD Audiovisual Technology	5	2 Years (PT)	September	POA
FD Audio & Music Production	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500
BSc (Hons) Audiovisual Technology (Top-up)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625
BA (Hons) Audio & Music Production (Top-up)	6	1 Year (FT)	September	£9,250
BA (Hons) Film and Video Production	6	3 Years (FT)	September	£9,250
Public Services (Proposed Programmes)				
FD Policing, Criminal Justice and Behavioural Science	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500
BA (Hons) in Policing, Criminal Justice and Behavioural Science (Top-up)	6	1 Year (FT)	September	£9,250
Sport and Fitness				
FD Sports Therapy with Rehabilitation	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500
FD Sports Coaching, Development and Fitness	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500
BSc (Hons) Sports Coaching, Development and Fitness (Top-up)	6	1 Year (FT)	September	£9,250
BSc (Hons) Sports Therapy with Rehabilitation (Top-up)	6	1 Year (FT)	September	£9,250
Travel, Tourism and Aviation				
FD Airport and Airline Management	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500
FD Airport & Airline Passenger Management	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500
BA (Hons) Airport & Airline Passenger Management (Top-up)	6	1 Year (FT)	September	£9,250
BA (Hons) Tourism Management (Top-up)	6	1 Year (FT)	September	£9,250

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Click the button to visit: mbro.ac.uk/university-level



“I’ve always wanted to teach, even as a child, but I never thought it would actually happen. I joined the UCM team as a tutor within the engineering department and I’ve now been teaching here for four years. Balancing learning and teaching was challenging at times, but the support from my tutors was invaluable.”

Dan Campbell
Certificate in Education: Education and Training

Access to Higher Education Diplomas

FREE* courses to get you to university

Want to study a degree but don't yet have the entry qualifications? For many people, achieving their dream career is not always a straightforward path and traditional qualifications don't fit everyone's journey to success.

That's where Access to Higher Education Diplomas come in: one-year courses designed to help adults gain the qualification they need to progress to university and into their dream career. Plus, it could even be FREE!

Whether you dream of becoming a nurse, engineer, teacher, or another high-level professional, our exciting range of courses will help get you there.

Depending on your circumstances, your Access to Higher Education Diploma could be free*:

- If you're aged 19 to 23 and this is your first full Level 3 qualification
- If you're aged 24+ and complete a degree after your course, your Advanced Learner Loan fees will be completely written off
- If you are unemployed or your gross annual income is under the gross income fund, some Access to Higher Education courses can be funded under the Free Courses for Jobs scheme or the National Skills Fund



"I had a stable career in motor vehicle sales before studying at Middlesbrough College, but it wasn't what I wanted to do. It was scary to make the change, but I took the risk to take that first step forward, and now I'm in my dream career!

"My tutor was amazing. From day one, he told me that if I wanted to become a dentist, they'd do everything they could to help me get there – and they did. The careers team were great too, helping with my UCAS application, personal statement, and even interview prep."

Sophie Gilmour
Access to HE Diploma (Science)

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Access to Higher Education Diploma Courses	Level	Duration	Start Date
Pre-Access to Higher Education (Health) [Day]	2	10 Weeks	January
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Business) [Day or Eve or Distance Learning Options]	3	1 Year	September
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Computer Science) [Day]	3	1 Year	September
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Creative Industries - Games and Media Production) [Day]	3	1 Year	September
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Engineering) [Day]	3	1 Year	September
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Health Science Professions) [Day or Eve or Distance Learning Options]	3	1 Year	September
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Law) [Day]	3	1 Year	September
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Policing) [Day]	3	1 Year	September
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Science) [Day]	3	1 Year	September

Apprenticeships

Earn while you learn with an apprenticeship

In 2024, Ofsted inspectors graded our apprenticeship provision as 'Outstanding'!

Northern Skills, the apprenticeship and training arm of Middlesbrough College Group, offers a range of apprenticeship opportunities so you can gain hands-on industry experience.

Our experienced team work with over 2000 employers to deliver apprenticeship training at all levels, helping hundreds of people each year secure an apprenticeship in their chosen career – putting them on the fast track to success.

Learn on the job and build your skills whilst gaining a qualification and earning a wage. You will also gain invaluable insight into the world of work and develop the key skills employers want.

Apprenticeships we offer:

- Accountancy
- Beauty Therapy
- Business Administration
- Catering and Hospitality
- Childcare and Families
- Construction
- Customer Service
- Dental Nursing
- Engineering
- Healthcare
- IT, Digital and Audio
- Management and Team Leadership
- Marketing and Media
- Motor Vehicle
- Teaching and Education

Visit northernskills.co.uk to search through our latest apprenticeship vacancies!

Looking to recruit?

Northern Skills offers a free and thorough recruitment service to grow your team with fresh talent. Recruit new team members or enhance the skills of your current staff with us! Contact our team on **03453 40 40 40** and see how we can support your business.



“Millie’s progress and growth in confidence over the last two years is testament not only to the power of apprenticeships but to the Middlesbrough College team who worked with her on day release over an 18-month period.”

Millie Smith, winner of the Business Administration Apprentice of the Year and Overall Apprentice of the Year at the Apprenticeship Awards 2025, has now secured a permanent position with her employer, Tees Business.

Millie Smith
L3 Business Administration Apprenticeship

Foundation Apprenticeships

Foundation apprenticeships are a brand-new opportunity for employers to engage with the talent of tomorrow whilst giving their business a real boost!

- Develop the next generation of skilled workers
- Shape your future workforce from the ground up and support live projects

These 8-month programmes are available in:

- Construction
- Digital
- Engineering
- Health and Social Care

Get involved today – contact our team to find out more on **03453 40 40 40** or Email: info@northernskills.co.uk





For all your technical training needs

TTE is the North East's leading technical training provider to the oil and gas, process, manufacturing and engineering sectors.

Offering full-time and part-time courses in:

- Mechanical Engineering
- Electrical Engineering
- Instrumentation Engineering
- Process Engineering
- Renewables
- Health and Safety



Plus a range of part-time courses and apprenticeships in a range of technical training specialisms.

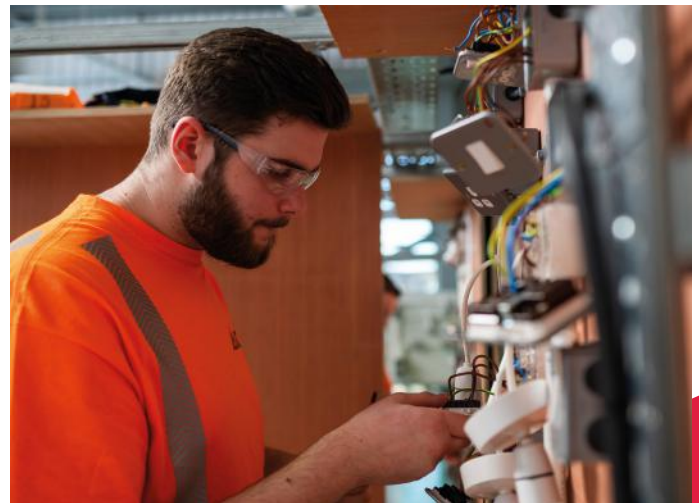
State-of-the-art facilities!

Our £12million TTE Centre trains over 300 full-time students, 300 apprentices and 500 adults each year, alongside a thriving cohort of international students.

Our world-class facilities include:

- Seven large multifunction/multi-discipline workshops to provide for Instrumentation, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Mechanical Hydraulics, Pneumatics, Process Engineering and Net Zero Low Carbon Technology Workspaces
- Seven breakout classrooms and study spaces
- Large conference room and staff workspaces
- Student social and welfare areas

The centre is built to sustainable design principles, with features including a full photovoltaic solar roof and easy access to wider campus facilities and transport links.



Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Administration Academy (BELP)	1	3 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Warehouse and Manufacturing Skills Academy (BELP)	1	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Security Academy (SIA License) (BELP)	1-2	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Information, Advice and Guidance (IAG) (Skills Bootcamp)	3	16 Weeks	Various	FREE*
AAT Foundation Certificate in Accounting (unit only options also available)	2	14 Months	September	£1,836*
AAT Advanced Diploma in Accounting (unit only options also available)	3	15 Months	September	£2,880*
AAT Professional Diploma in Accounting (unit only options also available)	4	15 Months	September	£2,808 ^Δ
ILM Diploma for Team Leaders	3	18 Months	Various	£3,400
Award in Leadership and Management	3	12 Weeks	Various	£1,132
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Business) [Day, Eve or Distance Learning]	3	1 Year	September	£3,022 [◇]
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Law) [Day]	3	1 Year	September	£3,022 [◇]

*Your course may be FREE depending on your circumstances. See page 5.

◇ Your Access to Higher Education Diploma may be FREE. See page 13.

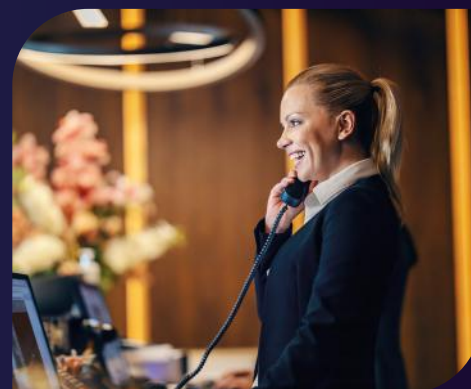
Δ A range of financial support schemes are available including Student Loans. Visit www.slc.co.uk for details.

Catering and Hospitality

Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Advanced Bread Making Masterclass	-	1 Day	29/06/26	£65
Basic Bread Making Masterclass	-	1 Day	28/05/26	£65
Butchery Skills Masterclass	-	1 Day	27/02/26	£120
Cupcake Masterclass	-	1 Day	25/02/26	£65
Junior Chef Academy	-	Half Day	26/02/26	£60
Food Safety and Hygiene Academy (BELP)	-	1 Day	Various	FREE*
Catering Academy (BELP)	1	3 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Food Safety for Catering	2	1 Day	Various	£60
Retrain Diploma in Culinary Skills	2	1 Year	September	FREE*
Retrain Diploma in Advanced Professional Cookery	3	30 Weeks	September	FREE*
FD Culinary Arts and Management	5	4 Years (PT)	September	£4,250pa ^Δ
FD Hospitality Management	5	4 Years (PT)	September	£4,250pa ^Δ
BA (Hons) Culinary Arts and Management (Top-up)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625pa ^Δ
BA (Hons) Hospitality Management	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625pa ^Δ

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Childcare, Teaching and Education

Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Introduction to Early Years Settings	1	5 Days	Various	FREE*
Support Staff Academy (Supporting Teaching & Learning in Schools) (BELP)	2	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
NCFE CACHE Early Years Practitioner	2	16 Weeks	Various	FREE*
NCFE CACHE Working with Children in Early Years and Primary Settings	2	6 Weeks	Various	FREE*
NCFE CACHE Diploma for the Early Years Workforce (Early Years Educator)	3	34 Weeks	September	FREE*
NCFE Advanced Practitioner in Schools and Colleges	4	30 Weeks	September	£811
NCFE Advanced Practitioner in the Early Years	4	30 Weeks	September	£811
Childcare and Early Years (Skills Bootcamp)	3	16 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Preparing to Teach (Skills Bootcamp)	3	15 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Award in Education and Training (AET)	3	8 Weeks	Various	£450
Supporting Teaching and Learning	2	12 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Certificate in Understanding Specific Learning Difficulties	2	10 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Certificate in Assessing Vocational Achievement	3	up to 1 Year	Various	Enquire
Paediatric First Aid	3	2 Days	Enquire	£170
Principles in Special Educational Needs	3	16 Weeks	Various	Enquire
Cert Ed: Education and Training	5	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500pa ^Δ
Prof Grad: Education and Training	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500pa ^Δ
FD Early Childhood Practice	5	4 Years (PT)	September	£4,250pa ^Δ
FD Teaching and Learning	5	4 Years (PT)	September	£4,250pa ^Δ
BA (Hons) Early Childhood Professional Studies (Top-up)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625pa ^Δ
BA (Hons) Teaching and Learning (Top-up)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625pa ^Δ
Sunderland and Newcastle Delivery				
Supporting Teaching and Learning	2	16 Weeks	March	FREE*
Early Years Workforce	3	16 Weeks	March	FREE*
Certificate in Understanding Specific Learning Difficulties	2	10 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Principles in Special Educational Needs	3	16 Weeks	Various	Enquire

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Opportunities in Childcare

With the government's major expansion of free childcare hours for parents in May 2025 and extra funding for 300 new school-based nurseries, there are a considerable number of jobs available as Nurseries and Early Years providers increase their childcare places.

New recruits will receive a bonus when they start their first role in childcare, so it has never been a better time to train in a childcare role. Our childcare qualifications will help give you the knowledge, skills and behaviours you need to work in this exciting sector.

Courses are part-time and can fit around your job and busy lifestyle whilst you retrain. They are also vocationally-based and provide an engaging, inspiring and practical approach to learning.

Our childcare department has excellent links with local employers to support work placements and offer additional qualifications on many programmes to enhance your employability prospects. Plus, your course may be FREE* depending upon your personal circumstances.

Computing

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Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Microsoft Office Specialist (Word, PowerPoint, Outlook and Excel)	-	Flexible	Various	£324 per module
Essential Digital Skills	E3 - L1	10 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Computer Science) [Day]	3	1 Year	September	£3,928 [◇]
FD Computing [HTQ]	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500pa [△]
BSc (Hons) Computing (Top-up)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625pa [△]

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[◇]Your Access to Higher Education Diploma may be FREE. See page 13.

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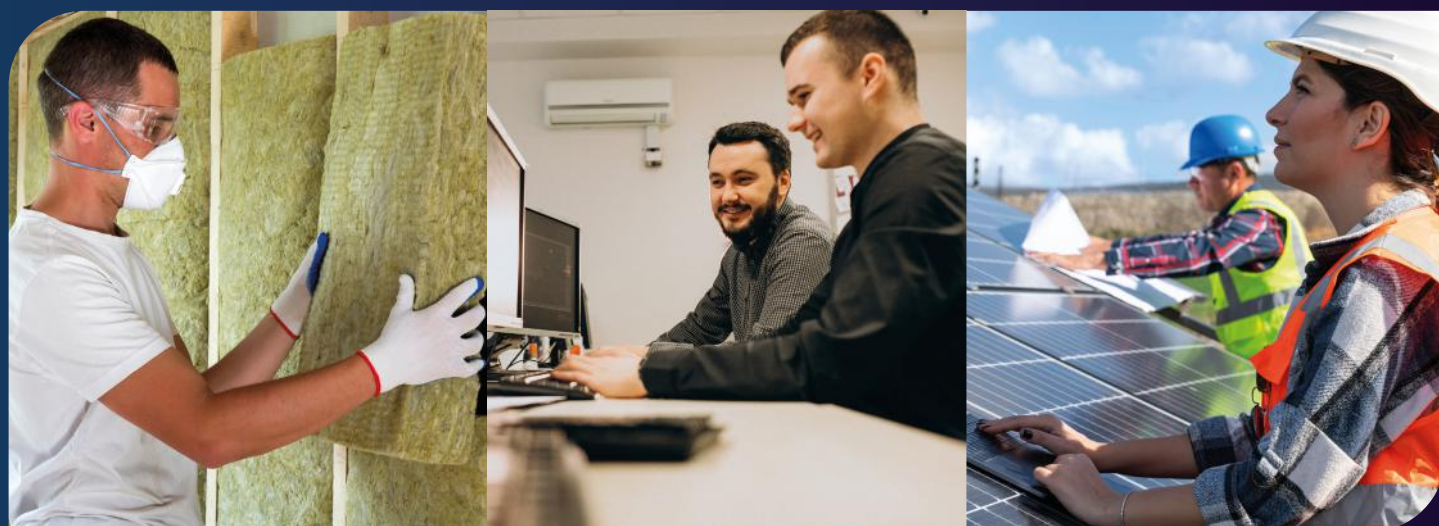
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Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Groundworks Academy (BELP)	1	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Joinery Academy (BELP)	1	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Property Maintenance Academy (BELP)	1	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Lifting, Rigging and Slings Academy (BELP)	1	3 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Site Safety Academy (Including CSCS Card) (BELP)	1	2 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Retrain Diploma in Bricklaying	1	34 Weeks	September	FREE*
Retrain Diploma in Plumbing Studies	1	34 Weeks	September	FREE*
Retrain Diploma in Carpentry and Joinery	1	25 Weeks	September	FREE*
Retrain Diploma in Bricklaying	2	34 Weeks	September	FREE*
Retrain Diploma in Site Carpentry	2	34 Weeks	September	FREE*
Retrain Diploma in Plumbing Studies	2	34 Weeks	September	FREE*
Retrain in Electrical Installation (Buildings and Structures)	2	34 Weeks	September	FREE*
Retrain Diploma in Site Carpentry	3	34 Weeks	September	FREE*
Retrain Advanced Technical Diploma in Plumbing	3	34 Weeks	September	FREE*
Domestic Energy Assessment (DEA) & Retrofit Assessor Award (Skills Bootcamp)	3	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
HNC Construction Management for England [HTQ]	4	2 Years (PT)	Various	£2,500pa [△]

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AutoCAD				
Parametric Modelling	1	30 Weeks	September	Enquire
Computer Aided Design (AutoCAD)	2	30 Weeks	September	Enquire
Computer Aided Design and Manufacturing (AutoCAD)	3	30 Weeks	September	Enquire
Electrical				
18th Edition Exam Only	3	2 Hours	Various	£70
Electrical Safety	-	1.5 Days	Various	£330
Electrical Engineering for Non-Electrical Engineers	-	4 Days	Various	£744
Award IET 18th Ed IEE Wiring Regs BS7671:2018 (2nd Amendment)	3	3 Days	Various	£480
Award In-Service Inspection & Testing for Electrical Equipment (PAT 2377-77)	3	2 Days	Various	£400
Award In-Service Inspection & Testing for Elec Equip (PAT 2377-77) Exam only	3	2 Hours	Various	£70
Award in Inspection and Testing 2391-52	3	5 Days	Various	£1,199
Award in Inspection and Testing 2391-52 (Exam only)	3	2 Hours	Various	£70
Health and Safety				
Award in Principles of COSHH	2	1 Day	Various	£216
Award in Principles of Manual Handling	2	1 Day	Various	£216
Award in Principles of Risk Assessment	2	1 Day	Various	£216
Permit to Work	-	1 Day	Various	£216
Forklift Truck Operations	-	1 Week	Various	£450
Forklift Truck Operations (Refresher)	-	1-2 Days	Various	£150
Cherry Picker and Scissorlift	2	3 Days	Various	£340
Hand and Power Tools	-	1 Day	Various	£180
CCNSG National Safety Passport (Refresher)	-	1 Day	Various	£90
CCNSG National Safety Passport	-	2 Days	Various	£110
IOSH Managing Safely Certificate	-	3 Days	Various	£330
IOSH Working Safely Certificate	-	1 Days	Various	£145
NEBOSH Certificate in Occupational Health & Safety - Day & Evening	3	15 or 30 Weeks	September	Enquire
NEBOSH Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety	6	2 Years	Various	Enquire
Working at Heights Awareness	-	Half Day	Various	£90
ECITB Confined Space Low risk	-	1 Day	Various	£170
ECITB Confined Space Medium Risk	-	2 Days	Various	£370
ECITB Confined Space High Risk	-	3 Days	Various	£795
Mechanical				
Abrasive Wheels	-	1 Day	Various	£216
Basic Hydraulics	-	3 Days	Various	£475
Hydraulics and Pneumatics		Various	Various	£280
Bearings, Bushes and Lubrication	-	5 Days	Various	£770
Disconnection and Reconnection for AC Motors	-	3 Days	Various	£488
Mechanical Engineering for Non-Mechanical Engineers	-	5 Days	Various	£864

Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Process and Instrumentation				
Safe Isolation and Reinstatement of Plant & Equipment	-	2 Days	Various	£474
Instrument for Non Instrument Personnel	-	3 Days	Various	£456
Process Technology (Skills Bootcamp)	3	16 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Process Technology (0610 Chemical)	2	40 Weeks	Various	£2,208
Process Technology (0610 Chemical)	3	40 Weeks	Various	£2,208
Welding				
Welding Academy (BELP)	1	4 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Weld Codings	-	Various	Various	Enquire
ABC Award in Welding Techniques and Skills	2	4 Weeks	Various	£585
Retrain Diploma in Fabrication and Welding Engineering	3	34 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Advanced Welding (Skills Bootcamp)	3	3 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Wind & Renewable Technology				
GWO Cert Global Wind Turbine Basic Technical Training (BTT)	2	4 Days	Various	£1,400
Onshore Renewable Energy / Wind Turbine Academy (BELP)	2	5 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Access to HE and Higher Education				
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Engineering) [Day]	3	1 Year	September	£5,760 [◇]
HNC Electrical and Electronic Engineering for England [HTQ]	4	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500pa [△]
HNC Mechanical Engineering for England [HTQ]	4	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500pa [△]
HNC Operations Engineering for England [HTQ]	4	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500pa [△]
HND Electrical and Electronic Engineering for England [HTQ]	5	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500pa [△]
HND Mechanical Engineering for England [HTQ]	5	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500pa [△]
HND Operations Engineering for England [HTQ]	5	2 Years (PT)	September	£2,500pa [△]
BEng (Hons) Engineering (Electrical/Electronic)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625pa [△]
BEng (Hons) Engineering (Mechanical)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625pa [△]
BEng (Hons) Engineering (Operations)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£4,625pa [△]

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Essential Skills

Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Functional Skills in English	E1 - L2	16 Weeks	Various	FREE**
Functional Skills in Maths	E1 - L2	16 Weeks	Various	FREE**
GCSE English Language	2	34 Weeks	September	FREE**
GCSE Mathematics	2	34 Weeks	September	FREE**
Essential Digital Skills	E3 - L1	12 Weeks	Various	FREE**
Microsoft Office Specialist (Word, PowerPoint, Outlook and Excel)	-	Flexible	Various	£324 per module

**FREE unless you have already achieved a Grade 4 (C) or above

ESOL - English for Speakers of Other Languages

Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Pre Entry ESOL	Pre Entry	12-24 Weeks	Various	FREE*
ESOL Skills for Life (Speaking and Listening)	E1 - E3	10 Weeks	Various	FREE*
ESOL Skills for Life (Reading)	E1 - E3	10 Weeks	Various	FREE*
ESOL Skills for Life (Writing)	E1 - E3	10 Weeks	Various	FREE*
ESOL for Work	E3	10 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Living and Working in the UK	E1 - E2	10 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Stepping Stones to Functional Skills English	E3	20 Weeks	Various	FREE*

*The courses above are FREE for most learners depending upon residency status. See page 5 for more details.

First Aid

Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Emergency First Aid at Work	3	1 Day	August	£70
First Aid at Work	3	3 Days	August	£170
Paediatric First Aid	3	2 Days	Enquire	£170

Hair and Beauty

Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Lash Lift and Brow Lamination	Masterclass	1 Day	23/06/26	£120
Eyebrow Techniques	Masterclass	Half Day	24/06/26	£55
Getting the best from your make-up	Masterclass	Half Day	23/06/26	£40
Gel Nail Polish	Masterclass	Half Day	24/06/26	£100
Spray Tanning	Masterclass	Half Day	25/06/26	£55
Retrain Diploma in Barbering	2	30 Weeks	September	FREE*
Retrain Diploma in Beauty Therapy	2	31 Weeks	September	FREE*
Retrain Diploma in Hairdressing for Cutting and Styling Technicians	3	34 Weeks	September	FREE*
Retrain Diploma in Women's and Men's Hairdressing	2	30 Weeks	September	FREE*
FD Specialist Hair and Make-up Artistry for Creative Industries	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500 [^]
BA (Hons) Specialist Hair & Make-up Artistry for Creative Industries (Top-up)	6	1 Year (FT)	September	£9,250pa [^]

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Health and Social Care

Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Pre NHS	-	6 Weeks	Various	FREE*
NHS Academy	2	6 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Diploma in Dental Nursing	3	18 Months	Various	FREE*
Preparing to Work in Adult Social Care	1	1 Week	August	FREE*
Diploma in Care	2	13 Weeks	August	FREE*
Certificate in Understanding Personal Care Needs	2	5 Weeks	August	FREE*
Certificate in Counselling Skills	2	14 Weeks	August	FREE*
Diploma in Counselling Skills	3	16 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Diploma in Adult Care	3	13 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Pre-Access to Higher Education Diploma in Health	2	10 Weeks	January	FREE*
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Health Science Professions) [Day or Eve or Distance Learning Options]	3	1 Year	September	£3,384 [◇]
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Science) [Day]	3	1 Year	September	£3,384 [◇]
Certificate HE Health, Wellbeing and Social Care	4	1 Year (FT)	September	£8,500 [△]
FD Health, Wellbeing and Social Care	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500pa [△]
BSc (Hons) Health, Wellbeing and Social Care (Top-up)	6	1 Year (FT)	September	£9,250 [△]
Newcastle and Sunderland Delivery				
Introduction to Working in Health Care Settings	1	2 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Preparing to Work in Adult Social Care	1	1 Week	August	FREE*
Diploma in Care	2	13 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Counselling Skills	2	12 Weeks	Various	FREE*
Diploma in Dental Nursing	3	18 Months	Various	FREE*
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Health Science Professions) [Distance Learning]	3	7 Months	January	£3,384 [◇]

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- Clinical suite
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- Community/Self-contained flat, adaptable to various environments
- Mental Health Ward, equipped with anti-ligature fixtures
- Debrief and Conference Room, a professional space to participate in discussions

Motor Vehicle

Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
Retrain Diploma in Vehicle Fitting Principles	2	34 Weeks	September	FREE*
Retrain Diploma in Engineering (Welding)	2	34 Weeks	September	FREE*
Retrain Diploma in Engineering (Welding)	3	34 Weeks	September	FREE*

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Music, Video, Games & Audiovisual Technology

Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
AVID Pro Tools 101	-	2 Days	Various	£300
AVID Pro Tools 110	-	3 Days	Various	£450
AVID Pro Tools for Game Audio 130	-	2 Days	Various	£450
AVID Pro Tools 201	-	2 Days	Various	£300
AVID Pro Tools 210P	-	3 Days	Various	£800
AVID Pro Tools 210M	-	3 Days	Various	£880
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Creative Industries Games and Media Production) [Day]	3	1 Year	September	£5,040 [◇]
FD Audio and Music Production [HTQ]	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500pa [△]
FD Audiovisual Technology	5	2 Years (PT)	September	£8,500pa [△]
BA (Hons) Audio and Music Production (Top-up)	6	1 Year (FT)	September	£9,250 [△]
BSc (Hons) Audiovisual Technology (Top-up)	6	2 Years (PT)	September	£9,250 [△]
BA (Hons) Film and Video Production (Full Hons Degree)	6	3 Years (FT)	September	£9,250pa [△]

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Sport and Public Services

Course Title	Level	Duration	Start Date	Fee
ActiveIQ Award in Studio Cycling (Spinning)	2	1 Day	Feb/Sep	£100
ActiveIQ Certificate in Gym Instructing	2	16 Weeks	Feb/Sep	£425
ActiveIQ Diploma In Personal Training	3	25 Weeks	November	£723
ActiveIQ Diploma in Sports Massage	3	25 Weeks	October	£811
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Policing) [Day]	3	1 Year	September	£4,320 [◇]
Access to Higher Education Diploma (Law) [Day]	3	1 Year	September	£3,022 [◇]
FD Sports Therapy and Rehabilitation	5	2 Years	September	£8,500pa [△]
FD Sports Coaching, Development and Fitness	5	2 Years	September	£8,500pa [△]
BSc (Hons) Sports Therapy and Rehabilitation (Top-up)	6	1 Year	September	£9,250 [△]
BSc (Hons) Sports Coaching, Development and Fitness	6	1 Year	September	£9,250 [△]
FD Policing, Criminal Justice and Behavioural Science	5	2 Years (FT)	September	£8,500pa [△]
BA (Hons) Policing, Criminal Justice and Behavioural Science (Top-up)	6	1 Year (FT)	September	£9,250 [△]

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