



HIGHER EDUCATION COURSE GUIDE

2024

OUR GUIDE IS INTERACTIVE

WE HAVE INTRODUCED SOME INTERACTIVE FEATURES

within this course guide to help you get a real insight into what it's like to be a student at Carlisle College and the experience you will get when you study with us.



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When you see a 'Scan Me' box, simply scan it with your phone (most smartphone cameras scan QR codes or use a QR code reader) and click the link that appears on your screen.

This will provide you with more information so you can see for yourself what Carlisle College has on offer.

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EVENTS

Choosing where to study your degree is an important decision and we know you will have many questions before applying to study at Carlisle College. We run open events throughout the year to provide you with as much information as possible about all we have to offer you.

OPEN EVENT DATES

Visit one of our Open Events and get a feel for what it's like to study with us! We'll help to find the right course for you. We hold general open events throughout the year, alongside specific events if you are interested in our Higher Education courses, Apprenticeship courses, or require a quieter environment.

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| Wednesday 22 November | 4pm – 6.30pm |
| Saturday 27 January | 10am – 2pm |
| Tuesday 12 March | 4pm – 6.30pm |
| Thursday 02 May | 4pm – 6.30pm |
| Thursday 27 June | 4pm – 6.30pm |
| Thursday 22 August | 10am – 2pm |

WHAT HAPPENS AT AN OPEN EVENT?

At a Carlisle College open event, you will have the opportunity to:

- Meet our staff and speak to tutors about the degrees which interest you
- Find out what support services are available whilst you study with us
- Talk to our Student Services team about financial support
- See our campus and facilities for yourself
- Get support with making an application to study your degree with Carlisle College.

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CARLISLE COLLEGE WEBSITE!

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WHY CHOOSE CARLISLE COLLEGE?

CARLISLE COLLEGE CAN OFFER ITS DEGREE-LEVEL STUDENTS:

- A variety of practical degrees and industry opportunities
- A recent multi-million pound investment in our campus and facilities
- Fantastic industry-standard equipment and resources
- Strong connections with hundreds of leading local employers
- Support with applying for work placements and careers
- Specialised one-to-one support with both academic and pastoral tutors.



FIND OUT MORE ABOUT
SUPPORT AT CARLISLE COLLEGE

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STUDENT BENEFITS



STUDY YOUR DEGREE WITH US AND YOU WILL GET A RANGE OF BENEFITS, INCLUDING:

- Student discounts
- Student wellbeing checks
- Enrichment opportunities
- One-to-one student engagement
- Real work experience
- Industry placements
- Careers guidance
- CV and employment support
- Mock interviews
- Enterprise support
- Digital support
- Treatments at our on-site Essence Salons
- Opportunities with community projects
- Facilities in the Student Zone
- Freshers' Fair freebies
- Student Council opportunities
- Opportunities to become a Student Fellow





AT CARLISLE COLLEGE, WE STRIVE TO PROVIDE ALL OUR STUDENTS WITH THE BEST POSSIBLE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT.

We have recently received a multi-million pound investment to develop our campus and buy industry-standard equipment to improve our facilities.

THESE UPDATED FACILITIES INCLUDE:

- Essence Salons, our fully equipped hair and beauty salon and treatment spa
- Newly refurbished Computing Suites for our Computing students
- Oyster Bistro and Restaurant, our student-managed food outlet
- Expansions to the Refectory, our student café and canteen, with plenty of choice on the menu!

WHERE YOU WILL FIND US?

Carlisle College main campus is located a 5-minute walk away from Carlisle City Centre and is easily accessible by public transport. See our site map for more details:



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| 1 | Main Building | 6 | College of the Arts |
| 2 | Atrium | 7 | Chatsworth House |
| 3 | A Block | 8 | Sports Hall |
| 4 | D Block | 9 | Blessed Christopher Robin |
| 5 | Skillhub | | |

LIFE AT CARLISLE COLLEGE

HERE AT CARLISLE COLLEGE, WE AIM TO PROVIDE THE BEST EXPERIENCE FOR ALL OUR DEGREE STUDENTS.

We believe that it is important for our students to experience all aspects of university life at Carlisle College. There are plenty of ways for you to get involved in activities on campus, giving you a chance to make friends and boost your CV at the same time.

FRESHERS' FAIR

The Freshers' Fair is your introduction to life as a degree student at Carlisle College. It is also your opportunity to learn what the College can offer you as a student, as well as available discounts to popular attractions in Carlisle City Centre.

This event offers a variety of social activities for students of all backgrounds, ages and interests, alongside many free gifts on offer for new students. Don't miss it!

CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

Carlisle College has a vibrant student community that offers an array of student clubs and group activities alongside your studies. From virtual reality events to movie nights and more, these clubs are a fantastic way to meet your fellow students and participate in your favourite hobbies, or even try your hand at something new!



STUDENT ZONE

Our Student Zone is our on-campus work and social space. An ideal location to study, socialise or collaborate with friends, our degree students have comprehensive access to all our research and learning support facilities within. In addition, our friendly college staff are always available to provide and guidance on any topic.

RELAX AND UNWIND

Treat yourself to some relaxing 'Me Time' in Essence Salons, our on-campus hair salon and treatment spa ran by our own students.

A NIGHT AT THE THEATRE

Our Performing Arts students regularly showcase their talents in a range of on-campus performances produced by the students themselves! Productions can range from plays from emerging student talents, to comedy nights, to world-famous musicals that everyone can enjoy. Shows are held in the main theatre in the Carlisle College of the Arts building.

DINE IN STYLE

Enjoy a delicious meal cooked in the Oyster Bistro and Restaurant, our student-run eatery at the heart of the Carlisle College campus.



FIND OUT MORE ABOUT STUDENT
LIFE AT CARLISLE COLLEGE

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EDUCATION COMMUNITY

CARLISLE COLLEGE DEGREE LEVEL COURSES

At Carlisle College, we offer degree level courses in a wide variety of subject areas designed to help you realise your career ambitions. Our degree students will have the opportunity to learn from industry-experienced tutors and guest lecturers while working on live briefs from professional leaders of your chosen industry.



We continually adopt and refresh the content of our degrees according to trends, working with local businesses to ensure that your studies are appropriate to the current demands of industry.

ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Access courses are nationally recognised qualifications for adult students aged 19 or over. These specialised courses are designed to provide students who left school without qualifications such as A Levels with the skills, knowledge and confidence required to progress onto higher level qualifications such as Foundation or Honours Degrees.

CERTIFICATE OF HIGHER EDUCATION (CERTHE)

A Certificate of Higher Education (CertHE) qualification is a Higher Education degree course equivalent to the first year of a university Honours Degree. On successful completion of this Higher Education course, you may progress onto further study at university or within NCG.

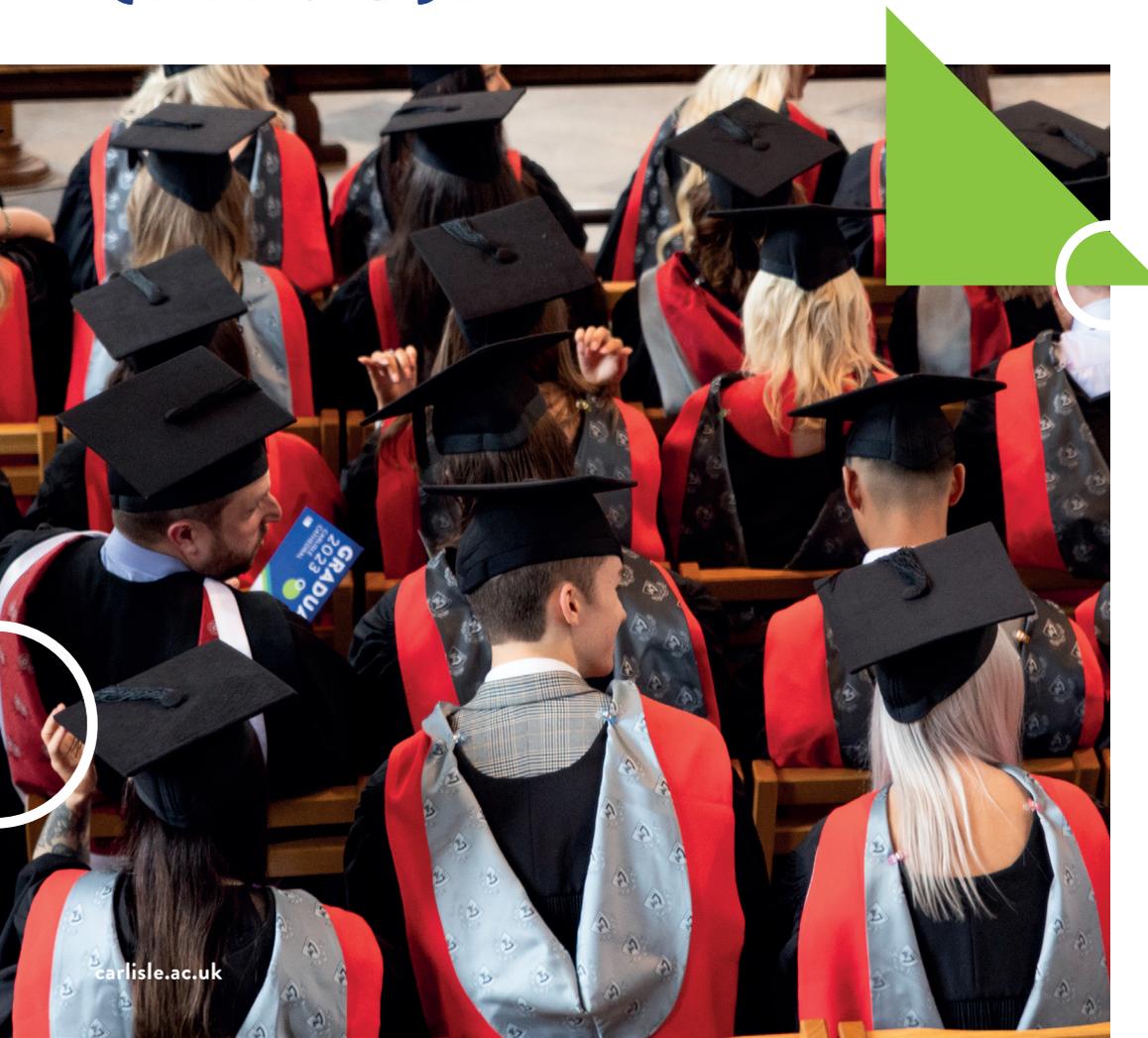
FOUNDATION DEGREES

A Foundation Degree is a two-year career-focused qualification that is equivalent to the first two years of an Honours Degree. The aim of a Foundation Degree is to provide you with the employment skills and professional knowledge that you will need to be successful in your chosen career.

HONOURS DEGREES (TOP-UP)

An Honours Degree (Top-Up) is a one-year course designed to build on what you have learned during the two years of your Foundation Degree. Achieving an Honours Degree qualification will help you stand out in the competitive jobs market.

HIGHER NATIONAL CERTIFICATE (HNC)/



HIGHER NATIONAL DIPLOMA (HND)

A full-time Higher National Certificate (HNC) is equivalent to the first year of a university degree, while a Higher National Diploma (HND) is equivalent to two years of a university degree. Both courses generally cover similar modules, although the HNC is one level lower than the HND.

Both HNC and HND courses are vocationally focused, meaning they are designed to develop the skills and experience required for students to enter directly into their chosen careers. Alternatively, HNCs and HNDs are excellent steppingstones onto a higher level qualification, 'topping up' either qualification with additional studies at a later date in order to gain a full degree.



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

At Carlisle College, we can consider applicants for degree courses who have achieved the following qualifications:

- A Level
- BTEC
- T-Level
- International Baccalaureate
- Scottish Advanced Higher
- Access to Higher Education Diploma (approved by the Quality Assurance Agency (QAA))
- Diploma in Foundation Studies (Art and Design)
- NVQ Level 3 qualification
- Level 3 Advanced Apprenticeship.



We usually expect applicants to have achieved GCSE grade 4/C in English and maths by the point of enrolment. We will also accept Functional Skills Level 2 or Adult Numeracy and Literacy Certificates in place of GCSE English and maths for some degree programmes.

| Your Current Qualifications | What you can apply for |
|---|---------------------------|
| Level 3 Extended Diploma at Merit or Distinction OR 2 A Levels at grades 9/A* to 4/C | HNC |
| Level 4 HNC at Merit OR Distinction | HND |
| 80 UCAS points or equivalent in comparable qualifications AND/OR A range of relevant experience | Foundation Degree |
| Foundation Degree OR HND in the subject to be studied | Bachelors Degree (Top-Up) |





FEES AND FINANCE

At Carlisle College, our dedicated team of Student Services staff are on hand to help you with all aspects of finance, from academic loans and bursaries to everyday budgeting.

Fees for Higher Education Programmes Starting in 2024/25

| Mode of Study | Qualification | Charge 2024/25 | Total Cost |
|---------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|------------|
| Full-Time | Foundation Degree | £9,250 | £18,500 |
| Part-Time | Foundation Degree | £4,625 | £18,500 |
| Full-Time | Honours Degree (Top-Up) | £9,250 | £9,250 |
| Part-Time | Honours Degree (Top-Up) | £4,625 | £9,250 |
| Full-Time | HNC (Higher National Certificate) | £5,000 | £5,000 |
| Part-Time | HNC (Higher National Certificate) | £2,500 | £5,000 |
| Full-Time | HND (Higher National Diploma) | £5,000 | £5,000 |
| Part-Time | HND (Higher National Diploma) | £2,500 | £5,000 |

The costs indicated in the table above **include tuition, examination and material fees** (where applicable).

Programme fees are subject to annual reviews. You should expect to pay tuition fees for every year in attendance and be aware these fees may increase annually. On the basis of current guidance, and increase is unlikely to exceed the increase in inflation by reference to the Retail Price Index (RPI).

Every care has been taken to ensure that the fee information in this publication is accurate, but we reserve the right to amend the data if necessary.

TUITION FEE REPAYMENT

You'll only repay your student loan when your income is over the threshold amount for your repayment plan, unless you've been overpaid. Your income is the amount you earn (including things like bonuses and overtime) before tax and other deductions. The threshold amounts change on 6 April every year.

If you started your course on or after 1 August 2023 you will have a Plan 5 student loan.

You'll only repay this when your income is over £480 a week, £2,083 a month or £25,000 a year, at this point you will start paying back 9% of your earnings above the threshold.

| Your Income Per Annum | Monthly Repayments |
|-----------------------|--------------------|
| £25,000 | No repayments |
| £26,000 | £7.50 |
| £28,000 | £22.50 |
| £30,000 | £37.50 |
| £33,000 | £60.00 |

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON SECURING A
DISABLED STUDENTS' ALLOWANCE



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HOW TO APPLY FOR DISABLED STUDENTS' ALLOWANCES (DSAS)

Full-Time Students

If you have already applied for Student Finance:

Sign into your Student Finance account to start your DSAs application.

The application for DSAs should be on your 'To-Do List'. If it is not, select 'Change your circumstances' to apply.

If you do not have an online account because you applied for Student Finance by post, use the DSAs paper application form.

If you have not applied for Student Finance:

You can apply for DSAs when you apply for Student Finance online.

If you do not need Student Finance, you can apply just for DSAs by filling in the DSA paper application form.

You cannot apply for Student Finance online once you have applied for DSAs.

Part-Time Students

Apply using the DSAs paper application form. You cannot apply online.

If you're already getting DSAs:

Claim back your expenses using DSAs paper application form.

How long does the application take?

You will receive confirmation of whether your application is successful within 6 weeks. It can take up to 14 weeks to get your DSA support in place as this is done separately.

For more information on securing a Disabled Students' Allowance, please scan the QR code!

BUSINESS

The Business Management degree is aimed at those who are looking to explore the functions of business and gain a well-rounded understanding of how local, national and global markets operate. Whether you are seeking to start your own business, become self-employed, or join one of a wide range of small, medium or large employers, this degree will give you the skills and knowledge to develop and grow a business.

This course has been developed in collaboration with a variety of industry partners. You will work on live briefs set by industry experts, as well as having the opportunity to contextualise your course units according to the professional practices in your chosen field, as part of the Professional Development module.

Students who have completed a Higher National Certificate (HNC) in Business may be able to start as a second-year student. Students who have completed part of a HNC in Business will be exempt from studying certain modules and can switch to the Foundation Degree as a pathway.

FOUNDATION DEGREE IN BUSINESS MANAGEMENT (FULL- TIME / PART-TIME)

Course Type:

full-time / part-time

Duration: 2 years

Entry Requirements:

64 UCAS Points

HOW IS THE COURSE TAUGHT?

You will learn through a variety of methods including:

- Lectures
- Seminars
- Group work
- Independent study

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

On this course you will learn:

- Finance
- Human Resources
Customer Behaviours
- Leadership and Management
- Sales and Marketing
- Business Strategy
- Business Growth and
Entrepreneurship
- Project Management.

HOW AM I ASSESSED?

Assessment methods for this course include:

- Practical activities
- Role plays
- Presentations
- Timed assessments
- Live briefs
- Written reports
- Work-based learning project



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I think Carlisle College offers something quite unique. I would recommend it, certainly locally, as there's not many provisions for people to go and study at higher education in a classroom environment, so it is something that the College is definitely uniquely adding to the area.”

James Spark

Foundation Degree in Business Management

Scan the QR code for more information on our FdA Business Management degrees!

BEAUTY



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I have had many great moments this year, one of them has to be the first day of course. Meeting new faces, the atmosphere was brilliant, meeting all the new tutors and getting everything looking forward to the rest of the year. I would definitely recommend Carlisle College to future students.”

Alexandra Rhodes

Level 4 Aesthetic Practice with Beauty Management

CERTIFICATE OF HIGHER EDUCATION: AESTHETIC PRACTICE WITH BEAUTY MANAGEMENT (FULL-TIME)

Course Type: full-time

Duration: 1 year

Entry Requirements:
64 UCAS Points

WHAT THIS COURSE IS FOR?

This degree course is designed to develop advanced beauty therapy knowledge and skills to prepare you for employment as an enhanced therapist or pursue employment at a managerial level within the beauty therapy industry.

HOW AM I ASSESSED?

Assessment methods for this course include:

- Reports
- Assignments
- Presentations
- Practical assessments
- Case studies

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

On this course you will learn:

- Academic Study Skills
- Personal Professional Development
- Microblading
- Skin Rejuvenation Techniques (including skin needling and chemical peels)
- Science of the Skin
- Business Management within the Beauty Industry
- Aesthetic Practice in Business

HOW IS THE COURSE TAUGHT?

You will learn through a variety of methods including:

- Lectures
- Practical sessions
- Workshops

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COMPUTING



FOUNDATION DEGREE IN COMPUTING (FULL-TIME/PART-TIME)

Course Type:

full-time / part-time

Duration: 2 years

Entry Requirements:

64 UCAS Points

WHAT THIS COURSE IS FOR?

This Foundation Degree (FdSc) in Computing is designed to equip you with current industry skills to help ensure the future needs of the computing sector are fully met. As well as preparing students to think independently, research thoroughly and analyse systems, the degree programme also prepares students with the practical application of skills to gain employment within the computing sector.

HOW AM I ASSESSED?

Assessment methods for this course include:

- Assignments
- Portfolios
- Reports
- Presentations
- Group projects
- Practical assessments

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

On this course you will learn:

- Computing Security and Encryption
- Computer Networking and System Maintenance
- Interactive Web Development (Html5, Css3, JavaScript, PHP/ASP)
- Agile Development Methodologies
- Programming Design and Development (including procedural and object-oriented paradigms (C++ and C#))
- SQL Database Systems
- Project Management

HOW IS THE COURSE TAUGHT?

You will learn through a variety of methods including:

- Lectures
- Tutorials
- Seminars
- Practical sessions

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FOR MORE INFORMATION ON
THE BSC (HONS) COMPUTING
(TOP-UP) DEGREE:

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BACHELORS DEGREE (HONOURS) IN COMPUTING (TOP-UP) (FULL-TIME)

Course Type: full-time

Duration: 1 year

Entry Requirements:

An FdSc Computing degree qualification

WHAT THIS COURSE IS FOR?

This Bachelors Degree (BSc Hons) Computing (Top-Up) course is designed to build on existing knowledge and skills gained on the Foundation Degree to provide you with the opportunity to gain a high-level qualification desirable to employers. Students will study a range of modules while collaborating with peers and gaining links with local employers.

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

On this course you will learn:

- Database Driven Websites
- E-Business
- OO Methods in Computing

HOW IS THE COURSE TAUGHT?

You will learn through a variety of methods including:

- Lectures
- Demonstrations
- Seminars

HOW AM I ASSESSED?

Assessment methods for this course include:

- Written assignments
- Presentations
- Research projects
- Dissertation

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My favourite moment on the course was after three years of studying, completing the Foundation Degree, I no longer felt like an imposter. Before that I struggled with my confidence and my level of ability, but now I feel like I can do anything. Once I have completed my degree, I would like to return to Carlisle College, and I am hoping to be offered a Teacher Training opportunity. Carlisle College offer you so much and are determined for you to succeed at every level. ”

Matthew Scott-Davis

FdSc in Computing

Scan the QR code for more information on the BSc (Hons) Computing (Top-Up) degree!

CONSTRUCTION



FOR MORE INFORMATION ON
CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT:

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HIGHER NATIONAL CERTIFICATE (HNC) IN CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT

Course Type: part-time

Duration: 2 years

Entry Requirements:

64 UCAS Points, Level 3 competent or Qualifications that are indicated as 'for England' are designed to meet the requirements of specific Occupational Standards.

WHAT THIS COURSE IS FOR?

The purpose of Pearson BTEC Higher Nationals in Construction Management is to develop students as professional, self-reflecting individuals able to meet the demands of employers in the construction sector and adapt to a constantly changing world. The qualifications aim to widen access to higher education and enhance the career prospects of those who undertake them. This course is for learners who are currently studying Level 3 and local persons who are currently in employment and require additional qualifications to increase employment prospects.

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

On this course you will learn:

- Construction design
- Tender and procurement
- Building information technology
- Construction technology
- Site supervision and operations
- The construction environment
- Legal and statutory
- Digital applications for Construction

HOW AM I ASSESSED?

You will be assessed through a series of assessments linked to each module displayed in the 'what will I learn'. These assessment will range from practical based as well as writing reports and conducting presentations.

HOW IS THE COURSE TAUGHT?

The course will be taught solely in the classroom across the two years.

ENGINEERING



HIGHER NATIONAL CERTIFICATE (HNC) IN GENERAL ENGINEERING (MULTI-SKILLED) (FULL-TIME/ DAY RELEASE)

Course Type:

full-time / day release

Duration: 2 years

Entry Requirements:

64 UCAS Points

WHAT THIS COURSE IS FOR?

This Higher National Certificate (HNC) course is designed to develop students' engineering skills, knowledge and understanding at a higher level. You will learn key content from modules designed in collaboration with industry experts, either as part of your regular work or to be completed while on placement.

HOW IS THE COURSE TAUGHT?

You will learn through a variety of methods including:

- Lectures
- Seminars
- Group work
- Independent study tasks
- Collaborative projects

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

On the HNC course you will learn:

- Engineering Science
- Mathematics for Engineering
- Management Project (workplace-based)
- Thermodynamics
- Engineering Design
- Electrical and Electronic Principles
- Mechanical Principles
- Automation and Programmable Logic Control (PLC)

HOW AM I ASSESSED?

Assessment methods for this course include:

- Written assessments
- Knowledge checks
- Individual presentations
- Group presentations
- Management project

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON OUR
HNC IN GENERAL ENGINEERING
(MULTI-SKILLED) COURSE:

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ENGINEERING



HIGHER NATIONAL DIPLOMA (HND) IN GENERAL ENGINEERING (MULTI-SKILLED) (FULL-TIME/ DAY RELEASE)

Course Type:

full-time / day release

Duration: 2 years

Entry Requirements:

64 UCAS Points

WHAT THIS COURSE IS FOR?

This Higher National Diploma (HND) course is designed to develop students' engineering skills, knowledge and understanding at a higher level. You will learn key content from modules designed in collaboration with industry experts, either as part of your regular work or to be completed while on placement.

HOW IS THE COURSE TAUGHT?

You will learn through a variety of methods including:

- Lectures
- Seminars
- Group work
- Independent study tasks
- Collaborative projects

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

On the HNC course you will learn:

- Professional Engineering Management
- Lean Manufacturing
- Further Mechanical Principles
- Further Electrical Principles
- Further Mathematics for Engineering
- Further Programmable Logic Control (PLC).

HOW AM I ASSESSED?

Assessment methods for this course include:

- Written assessments
- Knowledge checks
- Individual presentations
- Group presentations
- Management project

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON OUR
HND IN GENERAL ENGINEERING
(MULTI-SKILLED) COURSE:

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ENGINEERING CASE STUDY

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I started at Carlisle College on a Level 2 General Engineering course. I then progressed onto a Level 3 course before completing my HNC. I am now studying a HND in General Engineering, which is a Level 5 course. I attend Carlisle College one day a week whilst employed as a Design Engineer at Stollie. I'd really recommend the engineering route – each day is so varied and the tutors at Carlisle College are so supportive and encouraging.

”

Katie Braidwood

HND General Engineering



SPORT

This Foundation Degree (FdSc) programme aims to combine contemporary theory, innovative practice and industry experience to produce work-ready graduates who have an excellent knowledge and understanding of Physical Education and Sports Coaching.

This degree is an approved Higher Technical Qualification (HTQ) quality marked by the Institute for Apprenticeships and Technical Education.

While on the course you will develop important skills needed for preparation to work or progress in the sports industry, such as leadership, organisation, research and planning skills. You will explore topics involving the national curriculum, coaching and teaching styles, child development, differentiation in disability sport and psychology. The programme includes elements of work placement, this is a valuable aspect of the FdSc which enables learners to use experimental learning and apply theory into practice, whilst developing their own professional practice in their chosen field.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON OUR FDSC IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORTS COACHING DEGREE:



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FOUNDATION DEGREE IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORTS COACHING

Course Type: full-time

Duration: 2 years

Entry Requirements:
64 UCAS Points

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

On the HNC course you will learn:

→ **Year One:**

- Introduction to Sport and Exercise Psychology
- Personal Development
- Introduction to Physical Education
- Foundations of Sports Coaching
- Work Related Learning
- Professional Practice in the Sport Industry
- Community Sports Coaching and Development
- Fundamental of Growth Development and Maturation

→ **Year Two:**

- Professional Development
- Work Based Learning
- Adventure Education
- Professional Practice in Physical Education
- Applied Sport and Exercise Psychology
- Performance Analysis
- Differentiation in Disability Sport and the Curriculum
- Applied Sports Coaching and Development
- Sport Research in Professional Practice

HOW IS THE COURSE TAUGHT?

You will learn through a variety of methods including:

- Lectures
- Seminars
- Practical assessments
- Presentations
- Tutorials
- Independent study
- IT sessions

HOW AM I ASSESSED?

Assessment methods for this course include:

- Presentations
- Practical sessions
- Portfolios
- Projects
- Reports

TEACHER TRAINING

This PGCE in Young People and Adult Learning Specialists degree course will give you the skills and confidence you need to become an effective teacher.

This degree course is aimed at graduates either currently in, or seeking to pursue, a career in the wider education sector. Developed alongside government and local education providers and informed by the most recent developments in educational research and government policy, you will analyse the many changes currently affecting the Further Education sector and develop your knowledge of various teaching approaches and techniques to become a skilled and reflective teacher.

This PGCE course focuses on developing your teaching skills and your knowledge about the subject you intend to teach. For this reason, you are expected to have a good understanding of your chosen subject(s) before you begin your training.

As part of the course, students are required to secure a voluntary placement in the Further Education or 'regulated' sector.



PGCE IN YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT LEARNING SPECIALISTS (PART-TIME)

Course Type: part-time

Duration: 1 year

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

- An Honours Degree and appropriate qualification in your teaching subject (minimum Level 3)
- 5 GCSEs at grade 4/C or above (including English and maths) or equivalent

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Admission to the PGCE in Young People and Adult Specialists course will include an interview with the Programme Leader and, where necessary, with the curriculum subject specialists to confirm that your subject qualifications and vocational experience can be matched with a suitable teaching practice placement.

DURING THE INTERVIEW:

Applicants will be expected to undertake a written task and a 15 minute microteach on a subject of their choosing. It is recommended that all applicants have experience in the vocational area in which they propose to teach prior to starting the course. This can be either paid or unpaid experience.

Scan the QR code for more information on Teacher Training degrees!

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON
TEACHER TRAINING DEGREES:

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TEACHER TRAINING

This Diploma of Higher Education: Education and Training degree course will give you the skills and confidence you need to become an effective teacher. This degree is aimed at undergraduates either currently in, or seeking to pursue, a career in the wider education sector.

Developed alongside government and local education providers and informed by the most recent developments in educational research and government policy, you will develop your knowledge of various teaching approaches and techniques to become a skilled and reflective teacher. You will also analyse the many changes currently affecting the further education sector.

The Diploma of Higher Education: Education and Training is a Level 5 programme that focuses on developing your teaching skills and knowledge on the subject you intend to teach. For this reason, you are expected to have a good understanding of your chosen subject(s) before you start teaching.

As part of the course, students are required to secure a voluntary placement in the further education or regulated sector.

DIPLOMA OF HIGHER EDUCATION: EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Course Type: full-time

Duration: 1 year

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

- A minimum Level 3 qualification and evidence of Level 3 skills in the subject
- 5 GCSEs at grade 4/C or above (including English and maths) or equivalent

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Having worked in the Beauty industry for over 17 years, I had always contemplated teaching. Originally, I planned to complete the introductory certificate, but having enjoyed the course so much, I have now completed the full teacher training course. I gained so much from the course both personally and professionally, and it has opened my eyes to further career pathways. I would recommend anyone planning a career change like myself to apply.

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Emma Morten

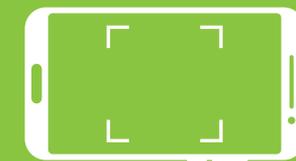
Teacher Training Graduate



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TEACHER TRAINING DEGREES:



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TEACHER TRAINING

The L3 Award in Education and Training is an introductory teaching qualification.

Completion of this qualification will provide assurances that new teaching staff members have the necessary skills and knowledge to prepare, plan, deliver and evaluate basic teaching and learning sessions, in a variety of teaching or training contexts.

This qualification is based around preparing and delivering a micro-teach session and may be undertaken by individuals who are not in a teaching role as there is no minimum teaching practice requirements. This makes it suitable for all Teaching Assistants with no teaching responsibilities.

Trainee teachers on this programme will begin to analyse the many changes currently affecting the further education and skills sector. You will develop your knowledge of some of the core teaching approaches and techniques to become a skilled and reflective teacher.

With the support from the experienced tutor, trainee teachers will receive real life examples and industry contact including workshops and placements to understand the complex, ever-changing and exciting world of teaching.



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LEVEL 3 AWARD IN EDUCATION AND TRAINING (PART-TIME)

Study (mode): part-time

Duration: 17 Weeks

Start date: September 2024

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

- GCSEs at Grade 4 (C) or above in maths and English and
- A minimum of a Level 3 in your subject specialism

Please note that entry requirements and course offer can be subject to change at any time.

WHAT WILL I ACHIEVE?:

Upon successful completion of this course you will achieve a BTEC Level 3 Award in Education and Training

HOW IS THE COURSE TAUGHT?

- Practical sessions
- Active learning in a classroom environment

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- Understanding the roles, responsibilities and relationships in education and training
- Understanding and using inclusive approaches in education and training
- Understanding assessment in education and training

HOW AM I ASSESSED?

- Reports
- Essays
- Practical tasks

WHERE CAN I PROGRESS?

Upon completion of this course, you can progress onto the Entry to the L5 Diploma and (potentially) PGCE

COURSE COSTS

Tuition fees vary depending on the course and mode of study. Read more about tuition fees and financial support. NCG (the institution which Carlisle College belongs to) is currently undertaking Indefinite Degree Awarding Powers assessment. Read more about what this means about our offer here.

Scan the QR code for more information on Teacher Training degrees!





HOW TO FIND US



FROM THE RAILWAY STATION (10-MINUTE WALK)

From the station, walk straight ahead keeping the Lakes Court Hotel on your right. At the pelican crossing, cross over the road, and continue around the Crescent (keeping the statue on your left), and turn right onto Warwick Road past the Halston to the traffic lights and turn left along Spencer Street. Cross over onto the right-hand side, and keep walking straight ahead until forced (by pedestrian barriers) to turn right onto Victoria Place. Carlisle College is on your left.

FROM THE BUS STATION (6-MINUTE WALK)

On leaving the bus station onto Lonsdale Street, turn left. Continue down to the traffic lights and turn left along Spencer Street. Cross over onto the right-hand side and keep walking straight ahead until forced (by pedestrian barriers) to turn right onto Victoria Place. Carlisle College is on your left.

BY CAR FROM THE NORTH (M6 J44)

Exit M6 at junction 44, take the fourth exit following directions to Carlisle City Centre. Follow the road for 2 miles until you come to Hardwicke Circus roundabout, keeping in the left-hand lane. Take the second exit keeping DFS on the left-hand side and travel along Georgian Way. At the traffic lights take the filter lane to the left. Take the first left onto Compton Street, the college is on your right.

BY CAR FROM THE EAST (A69) OR THE SOUTH (M6 J43)

Travel along the A69 to Carlisle until you reach the roundabout at the A69/M6 interchange Junction 43. Go straight ahead over the motorway and follow the directions to Carlisle. Continue along Warwick Road for approximately 1-mile following signs to 'Colleges'. You'll reach a set of traffic lights with a right-hand fork. Take the right turn and continue along Victoria Place for approximately 400m taking the second road on the right Lismore Place follow the road round to the left. The college is on your left.

SAFEGUARDING



We are committed to Safeguarding and ensuring all learners experience a safe, secure and welcoming environment in which they can fulfil their potential.

Specific policies and procedures are in place to safeguard young people and vulnerable adults; these are robust and reviewed regularly. Procedures are in place to take all reasonable measures to ensure risk is minimised and appropriate action is taken to address any welfare concerns.



DIVERSITY

Carlisle College welcomes diversity in its student population – valuing differences in race, gender, sexual orientation, disability, religion or belief, class and age.

We actively oppose discrimination, aim to remove all conditions that put people at a disadvantage, strive to improve access and to provide outstanding support. We are committed to providing an inclusive learning environment.

DISCLAIMER

Carlisle College will take all reasonable steps to provide the educational services and courses as described in this course guide and in further documents.

However, it does not guarantee the provision of such services. The provision of courses is dependent on there being sufficient demand to make their operation viable. At the time of publication, all course titles and information were correct.



NCG GUARANTEE

Carlisle College is proud to be part of NCG, one of the country's leading college groups.

We are one of seven colleges across the country that make up NCG, meaning we are a key part of providing education and training to learners, apprentices and employers across the UK.

Together, we share expertise, support each other to grow, help each other to innovate and accomplish real change for individuals, communities and economies across the country.

STUDENT BENEFITS

Students studying at any of our colleges benefit from the **NCG Guarantee**. This guarantee gives all our students access to a range of tools and initiatives centred around a core set of principles. Our courses, additional support services and enrichment activities will equip you with a wider set of skills, all of which aim to make you more employable.

Put simply, the NCG Guarantee gives students access to additional activities, resources and initiatives to help you achieve your ambitions and career goals.

THE NCG GUARANTEE IS CENTRED AROUND:

- Employability
- Community
- Enterprise
- Mental Fitness
- Digital



Throughout your time with us you will be involved in a range of projects and initiatives focused on these principles. Coupled with excellent teaching and learning, you will complete your course with a unique set of skills which help set you up for your future.





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