



Brooklands College

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Full-Time Courses 2019-20



OPEN EVENTS

Open Events are an opportunity to see our campuses, talk to our knowledgeable tutors and view our excellent facilities.

Choosing the right course can be daunting. We offer a wide range of vocational courses at various levels, so our Open Events offer the perfect chance to find out more about each course.

Welcome

I am delighted that you are considering continuing your studies at Brooklands College and I look forward to welcoming you to the College in 2019.

Awarded a 'Good' rating by Ofsted last year, you will be assured of consistently good education and training as well as an ambitious culture where all students are expected, and are keen, to do their best. We focus on developing your skills, knowledge and abilities to prepare you for higher education, employment or an apprenticeship.

When considering which college you would like to go to, there are lots of things to think about; what subjects have you enjoyed studying at GCSE? Do you prefer learning through course work, rather than exams? Are you more of a practical learner? What is an apprenticeship? Attending one of our Open Events can help you answer some of these questions and decide on the right course for you.

At Brooklands College you will be guaranteed a warm and welcoming environment with excellent teaching and learning to enable you to achieve your full potential.

Gail Walker

Gail Walker, Principal



ASHFORD CAMPUS

Tuesday 2nd October 2018
5:30pm to 8pm

Tuesday 13th November 2018
5:30pm to 8pm

Tuesday 5th February 2019
5:30pm to 7:30pm

Tuesday 2nd April 2019
5:30pm to 7:30pm

WEYBRIDGE CAMPUS

Thursday 4th October 2018
5:30pm to 8pm

Thursday 15th November 2018
5:30pm to 8pm

Thursday 7th February 2019
5:30pm to 7:30pm

Thursday 4th April 2019
5:30pm to 7:30pm

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YOUR STEPS TO COLLEGE

STEP 1 ATTEND AN OPEN EVENT

To get the best insight into the courses we offer you should come along to one of our open events. At these events you'll be able to tour the campuses, see our facilities, meet staff and students and discuss your future plans.

STEP 2 CHOOSE A COURSE & THE RIGHT LEVEL

Look on our website for full details of all the courses we have on offer. Choosing the right course level depends on the grades you expect to receive for your GCSEs. Take a look at our levels chart overleaf to see which level you should be applying for.

STEP 3 APPLY ONLINE

Fill out an application form online at www.brooklands.ac.uk and you will receive an email to confirm your application has been received.

STEP 4 ATTEND AN INTERVIEW

After we have received your application form, you will be invited to an interview to discuss your course and talk about your study programme.

STEP 5 ACCEPT THE OFFER

Following a successful interview, you will be offered a place on your chosen course, which you will need to accept.

STEP 6 ENROL

Attend enrolment in August to confirm your place on a course.

We advise you to apply as early as possible to secure your place.



“

For me the best thing about the college are the tutors - they're so knowledgeable and treat me and my friends like adults. I'm really enjoying my time at Brooklands.

”

Jaskiran, Level 3 Applied Science - Forensics

COLLEGE LIFE



BAKERY

The bakery shop is open at lunchtime to all students and staff during term time, serving delicious hot and cold snacks, treats and take away meals.

REFECTORY & COFFEE SHOP

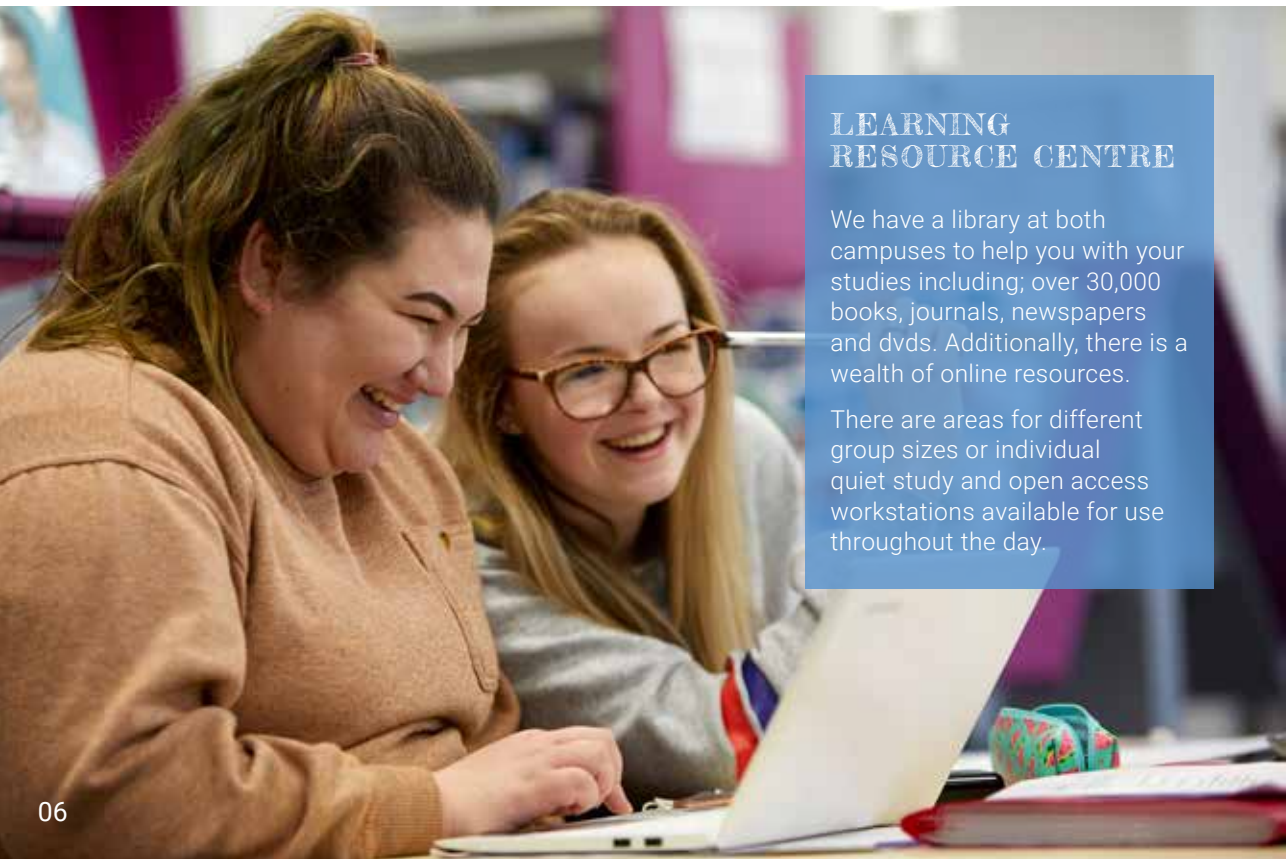
Brooklands College has a modern refectory, where you can enjoy something to eat, or have chat with friends over a cup of coffee in a relaxed and friendly environment.

The refectory offers a variety of snacks, freshly prepared hot and cold meals, sandwiches, confectionery and drinks all at reasonable prices.



FITNESS SUITE

Brooklands College on-site fitness suite gives everyone the opportunity to get fit, get fitter or stay fit.



LEARNING RESOURCE CENTRE

We have a library at both campuses to help you with your studies including; over 30,000 books, journals, newspapers and dvds. Additionally, there is a wealth of online resources.

There are areas for different group sizes or individual quiet study and open access workstations available for use throughout the day.



STUDENT UNION

The Brooklands College Student's Union (BCSU) is run by students for students.

The BCSU is an elected student committee focusing on the Student Voice, Welfare and Enrichment, representing the student body and aiming to resolve key issues facing students. With the support of the college, the BCSU aims to enrich student life at the College through sporting activities and opportunities to meet other students through clubs and trips.

Additionally, the BCSU supports the local community through events and charity fundraising, and promotes community values within and outside the college.

ENRICHMENT

Get the most out of your student experience and make new friends by signing up for our extra curricular activities. Including cross college sporting events, charity matches, film club, board game club, rock choir and friday sports. New activities are being introduced all the time via the progression mentors and student union.



PROGRESSION MENTORS

Progression Mentors support students to build the skills they need for employability and for life, enabling students to be the best version of themselves and allowing them to thrive in their chosen careers. Progression Mentors teach a programme of weekly tutorials which go beyond the students' curriculum and build the skills they need to succeed.

They also offer pastoral support, helping students to remove barriers to learning and move forward in their studies. This could be anything from housing issues, support with funding, UCAS applications, work experience, liaising with social workers and family workers.



CAREERS SERVICE

The team are available to offer advice and workshops to all students and potential students about CV writing, job applications, finding work, interview skills, changing courses and career fairs.

ADDITIONAL LEARNING SUPPORT

Additional Learning Support is available to learners with disabilities and learning difficulties and in some cases to those learners who need further help with their literacy, numeracy or language.

If you think you may need help, it is important that you let us know as soon as possible - particularly if you need help during interview or enrolment. Call **01932 797 797** or email als@brooklands.ac.uk

VOCATIONAL COURSES EXPLAINED

WHAT IS A STUDY PROGRAMME?

A study programme will be designed specifically for you and will include four main elements:

- Your main vocational course
- Development of employability skills (including work experience)
- Personal and professional development
- English and maths.

In order to gain your overall qualification, you must pass all four elements of your study programme.

WHAT IS A VOCATIONAL COURSE?

Vocational courses provide a more practical, real-world approach to learning, combining theory with practical work. They are developed with employers and higher education experts to ensure learners will have skills which employers are looking for.

The majority of vocational courses are assessed throughout the course by way of coursework.

VOCATIONAL COURSE OR A-LEVELS?

The main difference between vocational and A-Levels is that A-Levels are assessed by examinations at the end of the course and are sometimes combined with coursework. However, vocational courses are mostly coursework based with some practical assessments and work experience, ideal for those who feel pressurised by exams.

Vocational students can be better prepared for university study due to the portfolio based nature of the courses, the real-life practicals and work placements undertaken.

CAN I STILL GO TO UNIVERSITY?

Yes, many of our students have progressed from Level 3 vocational courses onto degree courses at university.

Vocational qualifications are held in high esteem by colleges, universities and employers. Most are recognised by universities for entry onto many degree level courses, for example, a student achieving a triple distinction on a BTEC Level 3 course will amass 360 UCAS points, equivalent to achieving 3 As at A-Level.

As with A-Levels, the vocational course you study won't necessarily dictate the subject you study at university - there are many transferable choices in terms of subjects.

FULL TIME STUDY OR APPRENTICESHIP?

Apprenticeships are ideal if you prefer less time in the classroom and more practical on-the-job training. You will learn up-to-date skills, while achieving recognised qualifications and earning a salary. If you'd like to do an apprenticeship but don't have the necessary experience or skills, you can undertake a traineeship first. Apprenticeships can also be an alternative route into higher education and are now being offered at levels 4, 5 and 6.



COURSE LEVELS EXPLAINED

WHICH LEVEL IS RIGHT FOR ME?

Your Grades (Predicted or Achieved)	Suggested Level	Qualifications on Offer
5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above (ideally including English and maths)	Level 3	Certificate Diploma Apprenticeship
5 GCSE passes at grade 3 - 1 (including 1 GCSE at grade 4 or above)	Level 2	Certificate Diploma Apprenticeship
GCSEs at grade 3 - 1 (or entry Level 3 literacy and numeracy)	Level 1	Certificate Diploma
No formal qualifications	Entry Level	Certificate

Please note: Some subjects may require higher grades in specific GCSEs and some vocational areas may require you to start at Level 1 regardless of grades, due to the new skills you will need to learn.

If you join us without a grade 4 or above in English language or mathematics you will working towards this as part of your course.

GCSE RETAKES

GCSE English Language

The course covers the GCSE English syllabus in preparation for Paper A (Explorations in creative reading & writing) and Paper B (Writers' viewpoints and perspectives).

Entry Requirements: Grade 3 in GCSE English Language. Grades lower than 3 will study Functional Skills English up to Level 1 before progressing to this course

GCSE Mathematics

The course follows the Edexcel (Pearson) GCSE Mathematics syllabus at Foundation Level and consists of exam skills preparation for 3 exams.

Entry Requirements: Grade 3 in GCSE Mathematics. Grades lower than 3 will study Functional Skills Maths up to Level 1 before progressing to this course.

APPLIED SCIENCE

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Forensic scientists aid criminal investigations by collecting and analysing impartial scientific evidence for use in courts of law to support the prosecution or defence in criminal and civil investigations.

You will have an enquiring mind, good communication skills and a methodical approach to work. You will gain a thorough understanding of relevant aspects of crime scene examination, human anatomy and physiology.

The broad spectrum of skills learnt on the courses can be applied to a variety of university degrees and careers.

Level 2

Diploma in Applied Science

The course develops skills, knowledge and understanding of 'How Science Works' through practical activities such as: planning to test a scientific idea, collection and analysis of scientific data and working safely with others. You will study current science issues through investigations using numerical data and using ICT to produce reports.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes including 1 GCSE at grade 4 and above



Progression: Level 3 Diploma in Forensic Science

Level 3

Subsidiary or 90 Credit Diploma in Forensic Science

This course follows a vocational model designed to prepare students for the technical and rewarding work in the forensic science, criminological and science related industries. Students follow a range of units including: fundamentals of science; forensic investigation; criminal psychology and aspects of law.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes including 1 GCSE at grade 4 and above



Progression: Level 3 Diploma in Forensic Science

Level 3

National Diploma or Extended Diploma in Forensics

After the successful completion of year 1, students have the option to continue on to the National Diploma (equivalent to 2 A-Levels) or the National Extended Diploma (equivalent to 3 A-Levels). Units may include: unlawful homicide and police powers; criminology; forensic photography and fire investigation.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: Subsidiary or 90 Credit Diploma



Progression: Higher education or employment

PAST STUDENTS:

One of our previous students got in touch to say thank you, she had just found out that she was graduating with a bachelor of science in Crime Scene Science 2:1 with honours.

"I've accepted my place and will be starting a masters course in Fire Scene Investigation at Wolverhampton University this September"

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Forensic Scientist

Fire Investigator

Laboratory Technician

Police Officer

Criminal Intelligence Analyst

Toxicologist

Detective

Forensic Computer Analyst

Analytical Chemist

Paralegal

Biomedical Scientist



Our Forensic Science course is endorsed by:





ART & DESIGN

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“There is so much variety within the course and you have an incredible amount of freedom with topics and materials.”

The Art & Design Department at Brooklands College is a very exciting and expanding area. The students are taught in state-of-the-art design studios which allow for a wide range of specialist and contemporary skills to be studied. The facilities have workshop areas including a Mac suite, photography studio and darkroom, screen print studio, fashion studio, 3D workshop and jewellery workshop. The large atrium gallery space is the perfect location for student exhibitions. Our aim is to deliver engaging courses that enable students to develop their design and employability skills, and to be the first step towards their future creative careers. All the courses are enhanced with educational visits to galleries, visiting speakers and work experience.






Level 1 Diploma in Art, Design & Media

This is a practical course which enables you to build and develop a range of art and design skills. You will have the opportunity to undertake a carousel of activities in art, design and media before deciding on your preferred specialist pathway, either art and design or media.

-  **Length:** 1 year
-  **Entry Requirements:** GCSE passes grade 3 – 1
-  **Progression:** Level 2 Diploma in Art & Design or Creative Media Production




Level 2 Diploma in Art & Design

This is a practical course with workshop sessions which will introduce you to materials, processes and technical skills that underpin graphic design and packaging, animation and digital methods of production, surface pattern design, fashion design, 3D and product design, architecture design, drawing and painting, illustration and contextual research.

-  **Length:** 1 year
-  **Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes (including 1 GCSE at grade 4 or above ideally in an art related subject)
-  **Progression:** Level 3 Diploma & Extended Diploma in Art & Design

Level 3 Diploma and Extended Diploma in Art & Design

Workshops are delivered in architectural design, graphic and concept design, animation and digital methods of production, 3D, product and packaging design, photography, surface pattern design, fashion, interior design, illustration, drawing, painting, printmaking and critical and contextual awareness.

-  **Length:** Diploma - 1 year, Extended Diploma - 2 years
-  **Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above (ideally including English and Maths, and Art & Design at grade 6 or above).
-  **Progression:** Higher education or employment

PAST STUDENT:

Beatrice Newman

Fashion Designer, entrepreneur and lecturer specialising in fashion design, fashion marketing and business.

Beatrice is the director of KORLEKIE LTD. She is also MA Fashion Course Leader at Ravensbourne.

“Brooklands College continues to be the strong foundation that set me up for success and I’m forever grateful.”

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Interior Designer
Curator
Stage and Set Designer
Product Designer
Illustrator
Architect
Fashion Designer
Web Designer
Photographer
Graphic Designer
Advertising Executive



"I'm encouraged to do my own thing, not conform to a set mould and explore many art disciplines across a variety of projects."

Becca, Level 3 Art and Design





BEAUTY THERAPY

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“The college has a very family orientated feel, and the teachers are lovely.”

If you enjoy making people look and feel good then this is the career for you. Beauty therapists start their career working in a beauty salon or spa. They can also go on to specialise in a specific area such as massage, skin care or make-up for TV and film.

Brooklands College has specialist facilities for beauty students, on both campuses. The courses include a work based element which will prepare you for employment in the industry. You will also have the opportunity to take part in competitions and all students are expected to wear uniforms and present themselves in a professional manner.

Level 1

Diploma in Hairdressing & Beauty Therapy (Ashford or Weybridge)

This course includes basic facials, basic manicure, basic pedicure, preparation of the work area for level 2 treatments and basic anatomy and physiology, you will also be assessed on a small number of hairdressing units such as blow-drying, shampooing, plaiting and twisting hair.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: GCSEs grade 3 - 1



Progression: Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy

Level 2

Diploma in Beauty Therapy (Ashford or Weybridge)

Study will include facials, manicure, pedicure, waxing, lash and brow treatments, make-up and related anatomy and physiology.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes including 2 GCSE at grade 4 and above



Progression: Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy

Level 3

Diploma in Beauty Therapy (Ashford)

Study includes: body massage, Indian head massage, hot stone massage, electrical facial treatments and pre-blended aromatherapy. You will also be expected to develop your commercial skills.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy



Progression: Higher education or employment

Level 3

Diploma in Theatrical, Special Effects, Hair & Media Make-up (Weybridge)

This course is designed for learners who would like to work as a make-up and hair stylist within the fashion, theatre, TV & film industry. The programme is designed to teach a range of practical skills with both make-up and hair. You will need to be committed and focussed, as this programme is very intense and fast paced, and be able to promote yourself within networking groups. Units can include: basic airbrush skills, media make-up, fashion & photographic make-up, how to apply basic prosthetics and creative hair styling.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes at /grade 4 or above, ideally including English and Maths



Progression: HNC in Production Media Make-Up

Level 4

HNC in Production Media Make-Up (Weybridge)

This intensive part-time higher education course enables you to develop awareness of the media industry, learn the technical skills required to work as a specialist hair and make-up artist and build a professional portfolio. The course includes practical sessions and theory through business and production management and focuses on working in the media industries of fashion and live performance, including aspects of the film and television industry. You will study current trends in make-up and editorial hair, character theatre make-up, body painting and special effects.



Length: 1 year (2 days per week)



Entry Requirements: At least 1 A-level or Level 3 qualification in an industry related course



Progression: Higher education or employment

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Beautician

Special Effects Make-up
Artist

Nail Technician

Massage Therapist

Make-up Artist

Physiotherapist

Spa Therapist

Sports Massage
Therapist

Salon Receptionist

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on any of
our courses
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BUSINESS

Ashford Campus & Weybridge Campus



The Brooklands College business team offer a vibrant and exciting learning experience. Our courses provide an insight into business in the real world. You will learn skills that are applicable in a wide range of career paths including setting up and running your own business.

As part of the course you will organise an event which incorporates the wide variety of skills needed to successfully run a business. This offers not only an exciting experience for our students, but a fantastic addition to any CV or UCAS personal statement.

Level 2**Diploma in Business (Ashford)**

This course will give you an introduction to the skills and knowledge required for all types of work in business. All the units studied will have a real life business focus. Units may include: introduction to business activity, investigating financial control, business enterprise and sales, customer service and how to market and promote your product/service.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes including 1 GCSE at grade 4 and above**Progression:** Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Business**Level 3****Subsidiary Diploma in Business / 90 Diploma in Business (Ashford or Weybridge)**

This course will give you an excellent grounding in the vocational skills and knowledge required for all types of work in the business environment. All the units will have a real life business focus. You will also have the opportunity to represent the college by participating in business events, competitions and trips.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above, including English and Maths and ideally 1 GCSE at grade 5**Progression:** Level 3 Extended Diploma in Business**Level 3****Extended Diploma in Business (Ashford or Weybridge)**

This course continues on from the 90 credit Diploma in Business and will give you an even wider skill set. It is equivalent to 3 A-levels which will give the opportunity to progress onto University. Units may include: visual merchandising, business project management, contract law, business events, market research and relationship marketing.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** Level 3 Subsidiary/90 Diploma**Progression:** Higher education or employment.**Ariphon, Student Governor,
Level 3 Business**

"I am really enjoying my studies in business and am learning practical skills in event management for example, as well as the theory behind it.

I feel this course will equip me with all of the knowledge and skills I need to be attractive to future employers and start my career in business, I can't wait."

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Project Manager

Administrator

Entrepreneur

Social Media Manager

Public Relations Officer

Journalist

Financial Adviser

Customer Service Officer

Personal Assistant

Events Co-ordinator



For more detailed information on any of our courses visit our website and apply.



“I feel this course will equip me with all of the knowledge and skills I need to be attractive to future employers.”



CATERING & HOSPITALITY

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“If you have a passion for food and cooking this is a fantastic course with excellent lecturers that support you every step of the way.”

The catering and hospitality industry is growing fast and provides plenty of scope for career development and opportunities for working at home and abroad. You can gain valuable hands-on experience in our well-equipped professional kitchens, on-site restaurant and the bakery shop; all of which are open to students, staff and members of the public. Students will also have the opportunity to gain valuable work experience placements, previous locations have included major sporting events and Michelin starred restaurants.

We have a dedicated team with extensive industry experience who will prepare you for what will be the first steps into an exciting, fast moving and demanding career.



Level 1**Diploma in Introduction to Professional Cookery**

This is an introduction to the basic skills required to work as a professional chef in the industry. You will be introduced to the concepts of food safety, classic & contemporary cooking techniques including bakery, patisserie & food service using a wide variety of fresh ingredients. You will first study simple concepts and prepare simple plates that will become progressively more inspiring as you learn.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** GCSEs grade 3 - 1**Progression:** Level 2 Diploma in Professional Cookery**Level 2****Diploma in Professional Cookery**

This course provides the skills required to work as a chef within the industry. You will be working in groups with specialist tutors who will further develop your skills in cooking and preparation. You will also develop a variety of food service techniques as required by industry.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes including 1 GCSE at grade 4 and above**Progression:** Level 3 Diploma in Professional Cookery**Level 3****Diploma in Professional Cookery**

This course builds on knowledge gained at level 2 or is suitable for those with relevant work experience, wishing to progress onto a more complex level. You can study either patisserie or kitchen and larder skills.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** Level 2 qualification in an industry related course**Progression:** Higher education or employment**PAST STUDENTS:**

Previous students have progressed to:

- Brasserie Chavot-Mayfair
- Wild Honey - Mayfair
- Bachmann's Patisserie - Weybridge
- Pennyhill Park-Bagshot
- Great Fosters - Egham
- Theo Randall @ The Connaught
- Drakes-Ripley
- French Table - Surbiton
- Hummingbird Bakery - London

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Chef

Restaurant Manager

Baker

Patisserie Chef

Sommelier

Sous Chef

Cake Decorator

Kitchen Assistant

Commis Chef

Bakery Production
Manager

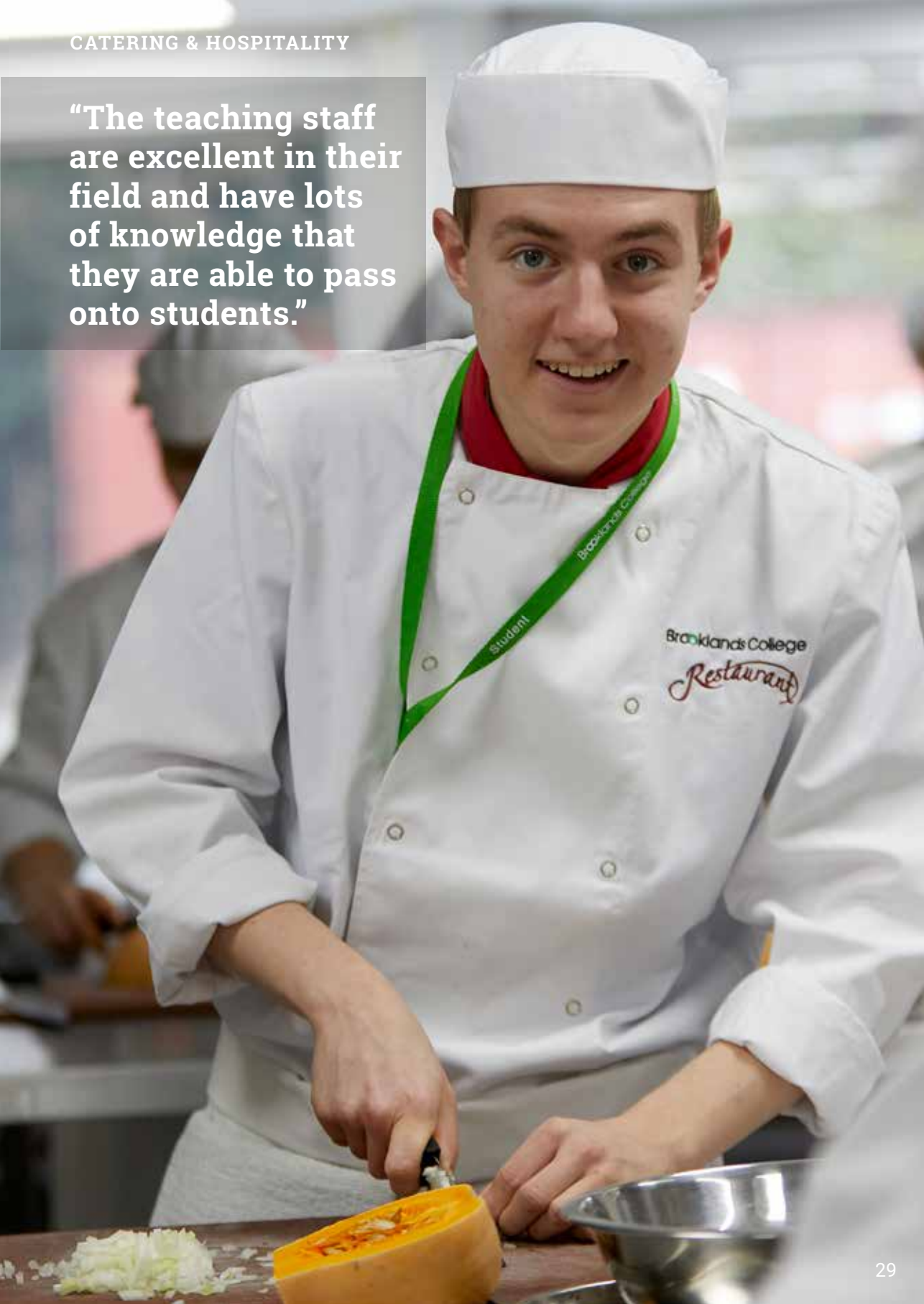
Chef de Partie



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“The teaching staff are excellent in their field and have lots of knowledge that they are able to pass onto students.”



CHILD STUDIES

Ashford Campus & Weybridge Campus



Whether you want a career working with children or a stepping stone to further qualifications, our courses certainly prepare you well. There are many different aspects to the profession and our courses will teach you about the physical, emotional, intellectual and social needs of different aged children and how to apply your knowledge in practice. We work with employers to ensure that the courses we provide are relevant in today's childcare setting.

Level 1**Diploma in Introduction to Health, Social Care & Children & Young People's Settings (Weybridge)**

This course will develop your knowledge of working in health, social care and young people's settings. It is about exploring new ideas and effective communication.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: GCSEs grade 3 - 1



Progression: Level 2 Certificate in an Introduction to Early Years Education and Care or Level 2 First Extended Certificate in Health & Social Care

Level 2**Certificate in an Introduction to Early Years Education and Care (Ashford or Weybridge)**

The course provides valuable knowledge through themed taught lessons. Some of the topics covered include: supporting physical care routines, understanding legislation, and planning to meet the needs of the developing child.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes including 1 GCSE at grade 4 and above in English Language



Progression: Level 3 Certificate/Diploma in Childcare and Education (Early Years Educator)

Level 3**Certificate/Diploma in Childcare and Education (Early Years Educator) (Ashford or Weybridge)**

This qualification is designed to help learners build the knowledge and skills needed when working with children and young people from birth to 7 years through themed taught lessons. Units you will cover include child development, play and learning, safeguarding children, understanding children's additional needs and many other interesting topics.



Length: 2 years



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above, including English and Maths



Progression: Higher education or employment.

HIGHER EDUCATION:**Foundation Degree in Early Years (Weybridge)**

This course is for those who are currently working in an early years setting and want to gain a qualification that will help professional progression.

Foundation Degree in Children's Special Educational Needs and Inclusive Practice (Weybridge)

This course is for those who are currently working with children who have additional learning needs in the Foundation Stage, Key Stage 1 or Key Stage 2 .

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Playworker

Nursery Nurse

Early Years Teacher

Teaching Assistant

Teacher

Pre-school Worker

Nanny

Community Nursery Nurse

Special Needs Teaching Assistant



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"I have particularly enjoyed learning about Children's health and well-being on the course."

COMPUTING

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Computers are in every aspect of our lives and the computer sector is now one of the fastest growing in our economy. Most businesses, whatever their size, rely on computers to run effectively. The range of jobs in IT is vast and there is something to suit everyone. Some are creative whilst others are highly technical. If you are looking to develop a wide variety of practical skills, knowledge and understanding of information and creative technologies then our courses will prepare you well. We will help you build the skills and knowledge which employers in this sector require including web design, graphics, games design, computer systems, spreadsheets, databases and others.

Level 1**Diploma for IT Users (Weybridge)**

If you are interested in IT, this course will provide you with the skills and knowledge valued by employers in the IT industry. Units include IT user fundamentals, databases, spreadsheets, using mobile devices, desktop publishing, drawing and planning, web design, multimedia and others.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** GCSEs grade 3 - 1**Progression:** Level 2 Technical Diploma in IT**Level 2****Technical Diploma in IT including Games Development (Ashford or Weybridge)**

This course comprises 7 units and combines practical work on computers and theory lessons. Units include communicating in the IT industry, working in the IT industry, website development, computer graphics, computer systems, developing computer games and spreadsheet modelling.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes including 1 GCSE at grade 4 or above**Progression:** Level 3 Subsidiary/Diploma/Extended Diploma in IT**Level 3****Subsidiary/Diploma/Extended Diploma in IT including Games Development (Weybridge)**

Students take several core units and then can follow one of the specialised routes in Business or IT Systems. Business units include e-commerce, website production and management and organisational systems security. IT Systems units include principles of software design and development, event driven programming and computer games design.

**Length:** 2 years**Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above, ideally including English and Maths**Progression:** Higher education or employment

"I particularly liked the Games Design unit that led me to pursue a work placement at Sony PlayStation."

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Web Developer

Games Designer

Network Engineer

Forensic Computer Analyst

IT Support Technician

Software Developer

Data Entry Clerk

IT Trainer

Games Tester

Programmer

Web Designer



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CONSTRUCTION

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The Construction department caters for learners of all abilities and levels from Level 1 to Level 3 in Brickwork, Carpentry and Electrical Installation, through the leading awarding body in construction.

Learners may wish to progress to a higher level or move to an apprenticeship programme. Higher level learners can use their courses as stepping stones into supervisory roles in construction professions.

You will be supported and taught by an expert team of staff all with on-going industrial experience and who will help you achieve your ambition.





Level 1

Award in Carpentry and Bricklaying (Weybridge)

This course is primarily about preparing you for working in the construction industry. The main focus of the course is practical application of construction skills and methods of work. You will gain confidence in using maths and literacy, along with learning valuable skills in brickwork and carpentry, which will enable you to progress on to a specialist trade path.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: GCSEs grade 3 - 1



Progression: Level 1 Diploma in Brickwork or Carpentry

Level 1

Diploma in Bricklaying (Weybridge)

This course helps to prepare you to work safely and with confidence in the construction industry, with a focus on bricklaying and block work construction skills. Examples of units covered include: knowledge of construction technology, constructing block walling, brick walling and cavity walling, and setting out basic masonry structures.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: GCSEs grade 3 - 1



Progression: Level 2 Diploma in Bricklaying or apprenticeship

Level 1

Diploma in Carpentry and Joinery (Weybridge)

This course helps to prepare you to work safely and with confidence in the construction industry, with a focus on carpentry and joinery construction skills. Examples of units covered include: knowledge of construction technology, producing woodworking joints, maintaining and using carpentry and joinery hand tools, preparing and using carpentry and joinery portable power tools.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: GCSEs grade 3 - 1



Progression: Level 2 Diploma in Site Carpentry or apprenticeship



NVQ bricklaying student Tyler Pearce was announced as the 2018 Apprentice of the Year winner at the Construction News Specialist Award Ceremony.

Tyler who started out on the Level 1 course, worked his way through the levels and landed a job and apprenticeship with the UK's largest brickwork contractor, Lee Marley Brickwork.

“This is an amazing result, it just goes to shows what can be achieved, having had four years of quality training at Brooklands College.”

Level 2

Diploma in Bricklaying (Weybridge)

You will learn new masonry, block work and brickwork skills as well as developing those learnt at level 1. Examples of units covered include: setting out masonry structures, constructing solid walling incorporating isolated and attached piers, constructing cavity walling and forming masonry structures.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: Level 1 Diploma in Bricklaying



Progression: Level 3 Diploma in Brickwork or apprenticeship

Level 2

Diploma in Site Carpentry (Weybridge)

You will learn new site carpentry skills as well as developing those learnt at level 1. Examples of units covered include: preparing and using carpentry and joinery portable power tools, carrying out first and second fixing operations, and carrying out structural carcassing operations.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: Level 1 Diploma in Carpentry



Progression: Level 3 Diploma in Site Carpentry or apprenticeship

Level 2

Electrical Installation (Ashford)

This course is the first step of your training to become a qualified electrician, providing you with the basic skills and experience needed in the industry. The qualification covers many areas within electro technical technology, examples of units covered include: principles of electrical science, electrical installation technology, installation of wiring systems and enclosures.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: GCSEs grade 4 or above in maths and English



Progression: Level 3 Diploma in Electrical Installation



"The facilities are really good and the tutors are really supportive."


Level 3

Diploma in Bricklaying (Weybridge)

You will learn new brickwork skills as well as developing those learnt at level 2. Examples of units covered include: analysing the construction industry and built environment, repairing and maintaining masonry structures, constructing chimneys and fireplace structures, constructing complex masonry structures and decorative features.

 **Length:** 1 year

 **Entry Requirements:** Level 2 Diploma in Bricklaying

 **Progression:** Higher education or employment


Level 3

Diploma in Site Carpentry (Weybridge)

You will learn new site carpentry skills as well as developing those learnt at level 2. Examples of units covered include: setting up and operating cutting and shaping machinery, erecting complex structural carcassing components, installing and maintaining non-structural and structural components.

 **Length:** 1 year

 **Entry Requirements:** Level 2 Diploma in Carpentry

 **Progression:** Higher education or employment


Level 3

Electrical Installation (Ashford)

This course builds on the skills learnt at level 2. The qualification covers many areas within electro technical technology, examples of units covered include: principles of electrical science, electrical installations technology, installation of wiring systems and enclosures, and understanding how to communicate with others within building services engineering.

 **Length:** 1 year

 **Entry Requirements:** Level 2 Electrical Installation

 **Progression:** Higher education or employment



Level 3**Extended Diploma in Construction and the Built Environment** ([Weybridge](#))

This course aims to provide a stepping stone to Higher Education or the Professional side of the construction industry such as project management, architecture or surveying. Examples of units covered include: construction principles, design and technology, health & safety in construction, building regulations and control, management of a construction project, and measurement techniques.

**Length:** 2 years**Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes grade 4 or above (including English and maths)**Progression:** Higher education or employment

**“I chose Brooklands College
because the environment
stood out above the rest.”**



PREVIOUS STUDENTS HAVE PROGRESSED TO:

- Lee Marley Brickwork
- PJ Construction
- IDEAL Brickwork
- K&A Construction
- Godiva Developments
- NEWSTOCK Developments

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Electrician
Bricklayer
Carpenter
Site Manager
Joiner
Construction Technician
Builder
Building Surveyor
Furniture Maker
Clerk of Works
Electricity Distribution Worker

ENGINEERING

Weybridge Campus

The Engineering department at Brooklands College has a formidable reputation and boasts some of the best practical training facilities to be found in the UK.

Our spectacular facilities enable us to deliver a range of courses in the following areas: Aeronautical, Manufacturing, Motorsport and Motor Vehicle.

We cater for learners from Level 1 through to BSc Degree Level. Engineering is vital to the long term sustainability of the UK's economy. The UK Government, working in partnership with Engineering UK, aims to continually increase job opportunities in this area. The department prides itself on offering a relevant curriculum designed to meet the requirements of industry, employers and access to Higher Education.





Level 1 Certificate in Engineering

With an emphasis on practical study in our outstanding manufacturing workshops, this course will provide you with the knowledge and skills to be able to carry out basic manufacturing processes including, fabrication, sheet metal work, lathe operation and welding.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: GCSEs grade 3 - 1



Progression: Level 2 Diploma in Engineering - Manufacturing Technology

Level 1 Certificate and Diploma in Vehicle Maintenance

This is a very thorough motor vehicle course designed to give you an awareness of all the major operating systems of a light motor vehicle. You will develop a clear understanding of the maintenance procedures required to maintain the systems and will work on a range of vehicles in our outstanding motor vehicle workshops to hone your skills.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: GCSEs grade 3 - 1



Progression: Level 2 Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles.

“Each lecturer has experience in their area of study and their background knowledge really helped me to relate and understand the course more.”

Level 2 Core Engineering

Engineering has many different subject areas, and if you're undecided which area you want to study, then this course is right for you. It will build your practical skills and introduce you to aeronautical, manufacturing and motor vehicle engineering.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: GCSEs grade 3 - 1



Progression: Level 3 Diploma in Manufacturing Engineering, Aeronautical Engineering or Vehicle Technology (Motorsport)

Level 2 Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles

This course is designed for students who want to develop practical skills in, and broaden their understanding of, motor vehicle systems. You will work to recognised industry standards and obtain the underpinning knowledge and skills to prepare you for a career in this industry.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes including 1 GCSE at grade 4 and above



Progression: Level 3 Diploma in Vehicle Technology (Motorsport)

Level 2 Diploma in Engineering - Manufacturing Technology

This course will develop your skills further in milling, turning, fabrication and welding. Units may include: principles of manufacturing technology, machine components using milling and turning techniques and fabricating sheet metal work.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes including 1 GCSE at grade 4 and above



Progression: Level 3 Diploma/Extended Diploma in Manufacturing Engineering






Level 2

Diploma in Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technology

This course covers the knowledge and understanding of the principles, methods and technology involved in electrical and electronic engineering. You will gain understanding of and the skills required for the electronic industry. Course units may include: engineering principles, techniques and environment, applied electrical and mechanical science for engineering technicians, electronic devices and communication applications, using computer aided drawing techniques, operational and maintenance of electronic systems and components and electronic circuit construction.

 **Length:** 1 year

 **Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes including 1 GCSE at grade 4 and above


 **Progression:** Level 3 Diploma in Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technology

Level 3

Diploma in Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technology

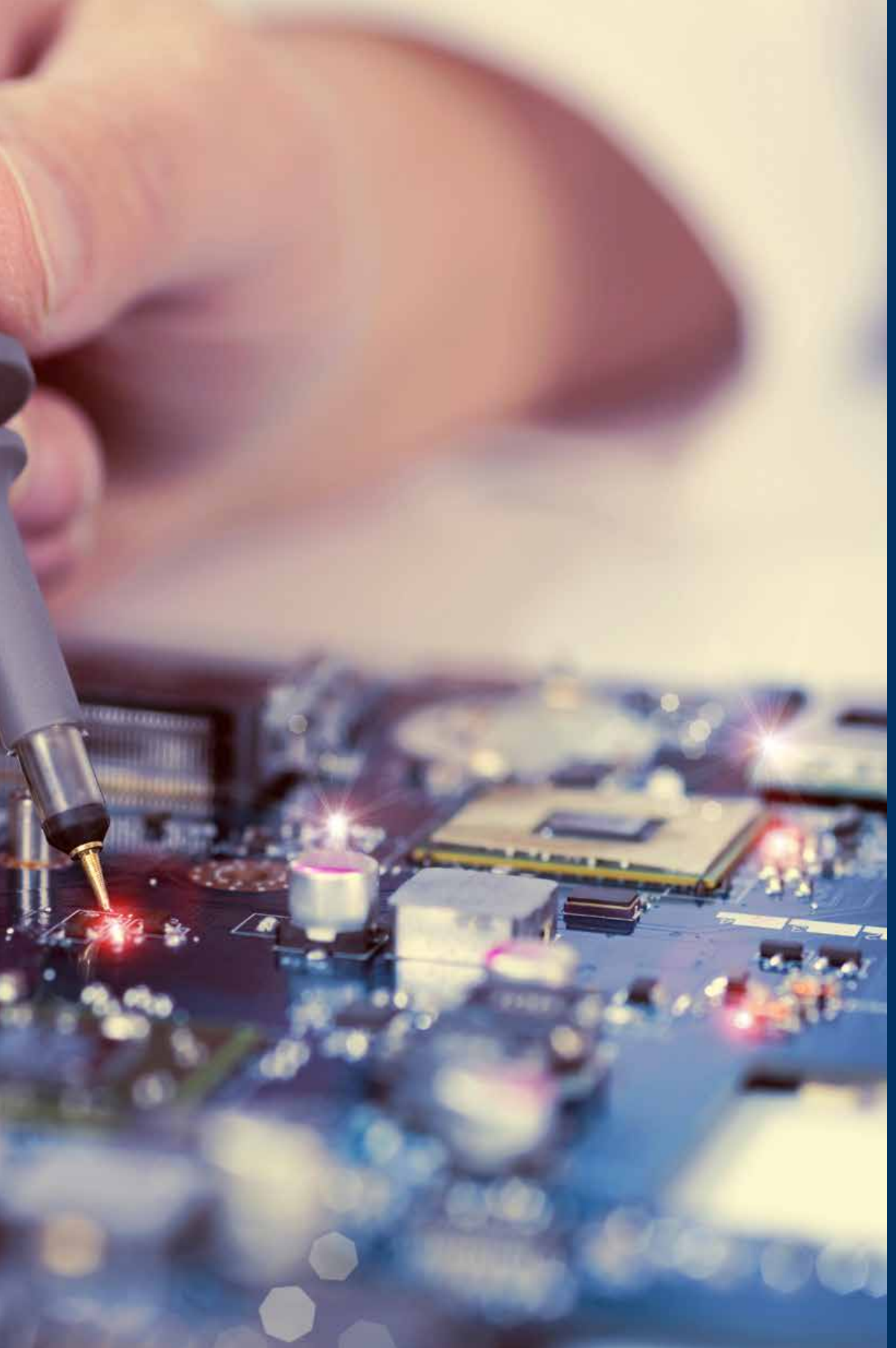
An example of units that may be studied include: engineering and environmental health and safety, engineering organisational efficiency and improvement, electrical and electronic principles, advanced mathematics, advanced electrical and electronic principles, advanced engineering science, programmable logic controllers, analogue electronics, digital electronics, and panel wiring for engineering applications.

 **Length:** 1 year

 **Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above, ideally including English, Science and or Physics, and also Maths at grade 3.

 **Progression:** Higher education or employment







Level 3

Subsidiary Diploma in Aeronautical Engineering

This qualification is designed to give you an introduction to the broad range of analytical skills required by an Aeronautical Engineering Technician. You will spend time developing skills and knowledge through a balance of theory and practical lessons, during which you will learn about the theory of flight and aircraft maintenance practices.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes at grade C/grade 4 or above, ideally including English and Maths



Progression: Level 3 Diploma/Extended Diploma in Aeronautical Engineering

Level 3

Diploma/Extended Diploma in Aeronautical Engineering

This course looks to provide you with specialised skills and knowledge in aircraft materials and hardware, hydraulics, propulsion, airframes, avionics and more.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Aeronautical Engineering



Progression: Higher education or employment

Level 3

Subsidiary/Diploma/Extended Diploma in Manufacturing Engineering

This course looks to provide you with specialised skills and knowledge in engineering project management, CNC machining, CAM processes, engineering materials, electronics and will further develop your welding ability.



Length: 2 years



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above, ideally including English and Maths



Progression: Higher education or employment

Level 3

Subsidiary/Diploma/Extended Diploma in Vehicle Technology (Motorsport)

This course will provide you with specialised skills and knowledge in fault rectification and diagnostics, engineering design, motorsport preparation and inspection, as well as many more exciting areas of motor vehicle and motorsport engineering.



Length: 2 years



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above, ideally including English and Maths



Progression: Higher education or employment

Level 4/5

FdEng in Motorsport Engineering (Oxford Brookes)

This course is primarily for people who are currently working in a related field who wish to gain a higher level qualification in recognition of their skills and knowledge or who would like to build on existing expertise. We have extensive employer links which allow for the course to be tailored to meet industry needs and current practice.



Length: 2 years (3 days per week) or 3 years (2 evenings per week)



Entry Requirements: Level 3 Diploma in Engineering, A-Levels or Access to HE qualification



Progression: BSc (Hons) Motorsport Technology top up year

Level 6

BSc (Hons) Degree in Motorsport Technology (Oxford Brookes)

This course is aimed at people who are interested in the technical aspects of motorsport engineering and in computer aided design for racing cars. You will have access to excellent facilities, including 2 wheel chassis dyno, engine dyno, composites workshop and CNC and fabrications workshops.



Length: 1 year (3 days per week) or 2 years (1 day per week)



Entry Requirements: FdEng in Motorsport Engineering



Progression: MSc or employment

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Aerospace Engineer

Civil Engineer

CNC Machinist

Welder

Composite Laminator

Track Support Engineer

Race Team Mechanic

Design Engineer

Mechanic

Light Vehicle Service Technician

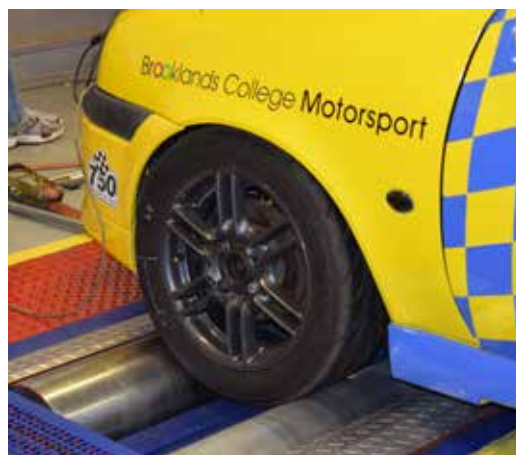
Vehicle Body Repairer

For more detailed information on any of our courses visit our website and apply.



"I now have the role of Programme Manager for McLaren Motorsport. We are currently designing the 720S GT3 car which will compete all around the world from 2019."

James,
former Motorsport
Engineering student



HAIRDRESSING

Ashford Campus & Weybridge Campus



Hairdressing is a growing industry with new innovations in treatments, products and techniques. Successful hairdressers are always in demand and can take their pick from many jobs, such as working for magazines on photo shoots through to high street salon stylists.

You need to be hard working and dedicated for this demanding profession. You will need an interest in people and have good communication skills. All students are expected to wear uniforms and present themselves in a professional manner as your practical work will be assessed in our commercial salons.

Level 1**Diploma in Hairdressing & Beauty Therapy****(Ashford or Weybridge)**

This course includes blow-drying, shampooing, plaiting and twisting hair, you will also be assessed on a small number of beauty therapy units such as basic facials, basic manicure, basic pedicure, preparation of the work area for level 2 treatments and basic anatomy and physiology.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** GCSEs grade 3 - 1**Progression:** Level 2 Diploma in Hairdressing**Level 2****Diploma in Hairdressing (Ashford)**

All aspects of hairdressing including cutting, perming and dressing hair will be studied. Students will be expected to wear uniform and present themselves in a professional manner as practical work will be assessed in the commercial salon. You will need to work in a commercial salon for one day per week.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes including 2 GCSE at grade 4 and above**Progression:** Level 3 Diploma in Hairdressing or Level 3 Diploma in Theatrical, Special Effects, Hair & Media Make-up**Level 3****Diploma in Hairdressing (Ashford)**

All aspects of hairdressing including expanding commercial skills, advanced cutting, colouring and perming techniques, long hair work, extensions and competition work. Learners will be expected to organise external and internal events as part of their qualification. .

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** Level 2 Diploma in Hairdressing**Progression:** HNC in Production Media Make-Up or employment.

“When I’ve finished my Level 3 course I’m going to work full-time as a stylist.”

“The salons are well equipped and very professional.”

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Hairdresser

Salon Assistant

Artistic Director

Colourist

Salon Manager

Junior Stylist

TV Hairdresser

Special Effects Hair & Make-up Artist

Senior Stylist

Level 3

Diploma in Theatrical, Special Effects, Hair & Media Make-up (Weybridge)

This course is designed for learners who would like to work within the industry of make-up and hair stylists within fashion, theatre, TV & film. The programme is designed to teach a range of practical skills with both make-up and hair. You will need to be committed and focussed as this programme is very intense and fast paced and to be able to promote yourself within networking groups. Units can include: basic airbrush skills, media make-up, fashion & photographic make-up, how to apply basic prosthetics and creative hair styling.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes at /grade 4 or above, ideally including English and Maths



Progression: HNC in Production Media Make-Up



Level 4

HNC in Production Media Make-Up (Weybridge)

This intensive part-time higher education course enables you to develop awareness of the media industry, learn the technical skills required to work as a specialist hair and make-up artist and build a professional portfolio. The course includes practical sessions and theory through business and production management and focuses on working in the media industries of fashion and live performance, including aspects of the film and television industry. You will study current trends in make-up and editorial hair, character theatre make-up, body painting and special effects.



Length: 1 year (2 days per week)



Entry Requirements: At least 1 A-level or Level 3 qualification in an industry related course



Progression: Higher education or employment

“When I started at Level 1, I set a goal of winning the National Hairdressing Federation Championship in Blackpool. It was a very proud moment when I achieved my goal in 2017!”

**Chyna,
Level 3 Hairdressing**



HEADSTART (ESOL with Integrated Studies)

Weybridge Campus



This dynamic course addresses the need for students aged 14 - 18 who need to learn English as a second language in preparation for further study in mainstream education for a variety of exciting academic or vocational options.

This course has been running for three years and has successfully provided a springboard for learners to progress. Each year sees an increasing number of learners participating in this pioneering approach to learning.

ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) is taught using a variety of stimulating materials and experiences to promote language development. The course includes ESOL, Maths and IT. It recognises and embraces the richness and cultural diversity of the range of students. Each learner is supported on their journey of development with a strong pastoral focus.

We encourage integration with other areas in the College for example sport, survival skills, bushcraft, first aid. We also offer the chance of taster sessions in a range of areas including Catering, Media, Health & Social Care, Construction and Engineering. As a result many of the students have gone on to study in these areas as full time vocational students having completed Headstart.


We also promote and encourage links with local community organisations. We invite a number of professional people to come in to develop certain skills. This year has seen professional photographers and musicians working with the learners in our Performance Suite which was a great success.


Trips are also undertaken and so far have included Brooklands Museum and Hampton Court Palace – more are planned for next year.

Qualifications studied (as appropriate):

- ESOL Entry 1 – Level 1
- Functional Maths Entry 1 – Level 1
- IT
- Citizenship

 **Length:** 1 year

 **Entry Requirements:** The course is for any student between 14 - 18 years whose first language is not English and is unable to access mainstream education


 **Progression:** Students who successfully complete this course will have the opportunity to apply for courses at Brooklands College

“I’m really confident speaking and writing in English now, and I’m really looking forward to starting my new course next year.”

For more detailed information on any of our courses visit our website and apply.

HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE

Ashford Campus & Weybridge Campus




If you want to work supporting other people and have a desire to help others improve their quality of life, then a career in health and social care may be the way forward. This qualification will provide you with an engaging insight into the health and social care sector. You will have the opportunity to explore key themes such as development through the life stages, equality & rights and gain an understanding of the set of core values used within health and social care. You will be able to develop a range of transferable, technical and practical skills, which you will have the opportunity to implement within real health and social care settings as part of your work placements.

Level 1**Diploma in Introduction to Health, Social Care & Children & Young People's Settings (Weybridge)**

This course will develop your knowledge of working in health, social care and young people's settings. It is about exploring new ideas and effective communication.

 **Length:** 1 year


 **Entry Requirements:** GCSEs grade 3 - 1


 **Progression:** Level 2 First Extended Certificate in Health & Social Care or Level 2 Certificate in an Introduction to Early Years Education and Care

Level 2**First Extended Certificate in Health & Social Care (Ashford or Weybridge)**

This course can prepare you for further study or employment as a health care assistant. Modules include human lifespan development, health and social care values, effective communication in health and social care, and healthy living.

 **Length:** 1 year


 **Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE grade 3 passes including English and Maths and 1 GCSE at grade 4 and above

 **Progression:** Level 3 Subsidiary and Extended Diploma in Health & Social Care

Level 3**Subsidiary and Extended Diploma in Health & Social Care (Ashford or Weybridge)**

After successful completion of the Subsidiary Diploma students can move onto the Extended Diploma. Diploma students have the opportunity to apply to become NHS cadets at Ashford and St. Peter's hospitals.

 **Length:** 2 years

 **Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above, including English, Maths and Science

 **Progression:** Higher education or employment

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Nurse

Radiography Assistant

Paramedic

Midwife

Carer

Social Worker

Phlebotomist

Clinical Support Worker

Paediatric Nurse

Care Coordinator

Health Care Assistant

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"I enjoy learning new things everyday which I then apply to my professional work placement I do alongside the course."



**“When I complete
this course, I plan to
study for a degree
in Adult Nursing at
university.”**

**Danielle,
Level 3 Health & Social Care**



MEDIA

Weybridge Campus



If your aim is to follow a career in the TV, film, radio or magazine publishing industry, then our courses will equip you with the necessary practical skills and theoretical knowledge in this fast changing industry. Our courses will broaden and stimulate your competence in the cultural and social context in which media stories develop, as well as the commercial and economic environment in which they operate.

The media centre has industry standard equipment and software, which includes radio and TV studios, editing suites, audio/video equipment and green screen facilities.

NEW

Level 1**Diploma in Art, Design & Media**

This is a practical course which enables you to build and develop a range of art and design skills. You will have the opportunity to undertake a carousel of activities in art, design and media before deciding on your preferred specialist pathway, either art and design or media.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** GCSE passes grade 3 – 1**Progression:** Level 2 Diploma in Art & Design or Creative Media Production**Level 2****Diploma in Creative Media Production**

This course will help you develop both practical and academic skills essential in the media industry. Units may include: introducing media products and audiences, animation production, print media production, photography for media products, and audio visual advertising media.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes including 1 GCSE at grade 4 and above**Progression:** Level 3 Diploma and Extended Diploma in Creative Media Production**Level 3****Diploma and Extended Diploma in Creative Media Production**

The Diploma will equip you with the necessary practical skills and knowledge to follow a career in the TV, Film or Magazine Publishing industry. Units may include: video editing, page layout and design for print publication, music video production, animation production, photography and promotion and advertising production.

**Length:** 2 years**Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above, ideally including English and Maths**Progression:** Higher education or employment**Level 3****Diploma and Extended Diploma in Creative Media Production - Games Development**

This course is aimed at students wishing to study creative media but have a keen interest in games design and development. The diploma will enable you to develop both practical skills and knowledge essential in the gaming industry.

**Length:** 2 years**Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above, ideally including English and Maths**Progression:** Higher education or employment**INVEST
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TV Camera Operator
Media Researcher
TV Production Assistant
Screen Writer
Film Production Runner
Video Editor
Animator
Videographer
Editor
Sound Technician
Photographer
Creative Admin Assistant



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"I really enjoy learning how to use the specialist equipment and software."

PUBLIC SERVICES

Weybridge Campus

“We have been on bootcamp and survival camp which taught us key skills in leadership, team work and basic army skills.”

People who choose to work in the uniformed public services, whether this be the Emergency Services or the Armed Forces, often choose to do so because they like variety and a challenge. These jobs are not always conventional desk jobs and staff working in them support each other in order to fulfil their roles successfully. All courses start with a ‘Boot Camp’ to ensure that both teamwork and discipline, particularly self-discipline, are embedded into the course. There are a variety of trips throughout the year in the UK, depending on the level you are studying. Students are required to wear a uniform one day a week, and on any trips. You will learn drill and inspection preparing you for all of the Public Services.





Level 1

Preparation for Sport and Uniformed Public Services

This course aims to provide students with a basic understanding of employment in the sport, leisure and uniformed public services industries. Students will study a range of units such as: working in a team, how the body works and introduction to security, volunteering and planning.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: GCSEs grade 3 - 1



Progression: Level 2 Diploma in Sport or Uniformed Public Services

Level 2

First Diploma in Uniformed Public Services

This course will develop the skills and knowledge desired by employers in any of the uniformed public services. It re-enforces teamwork, leadership skills and communication whilst preparing you for the work environment. You will study: crime and effects, responding to emergencies, public service fitness and the role and work of the public services.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes including 1 GCSE at grade 4 and above



Progression: Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Uniformed Public Services.

Level 3

Subsidiary/90 Credit Diploma in Uniformed Public Services

This course will enhance your employability skills and knowledge desired by the uniformed public services e.g. the Armed Forces or the Emergency Services. The emphasis at this level is on self-discipline, teamwork and leadership which are vital for any of the uniformed public services.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above, ideally including English and Maths



Progression: Level 3 Diploma/Extended Diploma in Uniformed Public Services.

Level 3

Diploma/Extended Diploma in Uniformed Public Services

This course will follow on from the Subsidiary Diploma giving learners further in-sight into varied aspects of the Emergency Services and Armed Forces helping to further develop essential skills and knowledge. Some of the units you will study are: international organisations and human rights, land navigation by map and compass, understanding the impact of war, conflict and terrorism on public services, employment, current and media affairs, fitness testing and training.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: Level 3 Subsidiary/90 Credit Diploma in Uniformed Public Services



Progression: HNC/D in Policing and Uniformed Services

Level 4 /5

HNC/D in Policing and Uniformed Services

By 2020, all new entrants to the police force must be qualified to degree level. The new BTEC Higher Nationals in Policing will enable qualification holders to top up to a BA Hons Degree in Policing or related subject area or enter employment as a special constable, police volunteer or police staff (civilian roles). This course is ideal for those wanting a career in policing but will also be useful for those wanting to enter other public sector organisations as an officer (e.g military police, border force, prison service or other uniformed and non-uniformed services).



Length: 1 year (2 days per week)



Entry Requirements: Level 3 course (e.g. BTEC National or A-levels) and GCSE English and maths at grade 4. You will need to apply through UCAS for this course.



Progression: Higher education or employment

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Police Officer

Firefighter

Royal Marine Commando

RAF Medic

Coastguard

Border Force Officer

Paramedic

Prison Officer

Army Soldier

Dog Handler

Royal Navy Officer

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PUBLIC SERVICES



SEND & TRANSITION

Weybridge Campus

If you have a learning difficulty and/or disability, Brooklands College has a range of challenging educational programmes and opportunities available through the SEND and Transition Team. The courses are flexible and have all been designed to meet the needs and abilities of the learner. Programmes include a range of external accreditation and offer pathways to other courses, employment or sheltered independent schemes.

The courses are taught at the Weybridge campus, allowing learners to access a modern, safe, friendly and secure learning environment specially adapted for the needs of students with learning difficulties and/or disabilities.

“I came to Brooklands on a link class from school and really enjoyed it. I’m treated as an adult and I’m learning new skills to prepare me for work.”

**Nasha,
Introduction to Employment**

The Vickers Centre is for learners with Autism and/or Speech, Language and Communication needs. This centre provides a unique college based setting for students in Surrey. Learners will enjoy the security of a secure building in a quiet area of the college whilst having the opportunity to integrate into the wider college environment.

Vickers Centre facilities include:

- Four standard classrooms
- Domestic/catering kitchen
- Craft/art room
- Socialising/eating area
- Horticulture facilities
- Outdoor 'trim trail'
- Quiet rooms & break out areas

Work Experience:

Work experience is a valuable way of gaining employability skills. In the SEND and Transition Department we work with students, parents and Surrey Choices Employability to help you get the most out of your work placement.

The college offers 'Group Work Related Learning' (supported by Brooklands staff) for learners who need to develop the confidence and skills to undertake an independent work experience placement.

Residential Visit:

The SEND and Transition Department offers a yearly residential to the Outside Education Centre, High Ashurst. Learners have the opportunity camp in a tee-pee village for four nights and participate in land-based activities. This caters for all ages and abilities.

Transition:

Brooklands College has specially designed courses for students in transition between school/Entry Level provision and employment. The courses offer opportunities for learners to gain qualifications in employability skills and vocational experience in areas such as Art & Media, Hair & Beauty, Care, Carpentry, Catering, Engineering, IT, Sport & Public Services, Motor Vehicle and Travel & Tourism.



"My course allowed me to build on core skills of Maths, English and IT while studying vocational options which included participating in enrichment and work experience programmes.

This experience led to me joining Brooklands College as a member of staff working within the SEND and Transition Department to assist students with various difficulties and disabilities, to access the curriculum.

I wouldn't have been able to achieve so much without the support, guidance and careers advice from my college tutors. If I can do it, so can you!"

**Harry,
Learning Support Assistant
Previously studied:
Pre-Foundation, Progression
and Bridge to Foundation**

Learning for Life and Living

Entry Level 1 - Personal Progress:

This course aims to personalise units of study to students' life skills needs at Entry Level 1. You will learn skills in: independent living, looking after yourself and your home, household shopping, using money, leading a healthy lifestyle, making choices, using domestic appliances and community awareness.

Entry Level 2 - Foundations for Life:

This course aims to personalise units of study to students' life skills needs at Entry Level 2. You will develop skills in: independent living, household shopping, using money, making simple meals and community awareness, and personal care & hygiene.

Entry Level 3 - Promoting Independence:

This course is a learner centred course designed to enhance learners' independence and employability skills at Entry Level 3. You will develop skills in: living in the community, using public services - buses & trains, accessing financial services, accessing leisure services, applying for jobs & courses and undertaking an interview.

Learning for Employment and Progression

Entry Level 2 - Foundations for Employment:

This course offers a learner centred route into further independence and employment, at Entry Level 2. You will develop skills in: providing information in writing, using ICT, travel within the community, health & safety at work, working as part of a group, employability and applying for jobs & courses.

Entry Level 3 - Preparation for Employment:

This course provides students with the opportunity to experience a range of vocational sectors and learning experiences, at Entry Level 3. You will develop skills in: providing information in writing, community awareness, health & safety at work, working as part of a group, employability and applying for jobs & courses.



Learning for Employment and Progression

Supported Internship

Entry Level 3 - Introduction to Employment:

This course involves a partnership with a local employer to enable students to develop employability skills at Entry Level 3 and with the opportunity to gain paid employment.. You will develop skills in: applying for a job, preparing for an interview, interview skills, preparing for work placement, introduction to health & safety at work, communication skills for work, producing a CV, developing personal presentation skills and learning from work placement.

Level 1 - Employability & Transition:

This course has been specially designed for students in transition between school/Entry Level provision and employment. The course offers opportunities for learners to gain Level 1 qualifications in employability skills and vocational experience.

This course is perfect if you are looking to gain a qualification and experience in a variety of subjects. Vocational areas may include Art & Media, Hair & Beauty, Care, Carpentry, Catering, Engineering, IT, Sport & Public Services, Motor Vehicle and Travel & Tourism.

Surrey Choices Employment Works for SEND (Supported Internships)

If you are keen to find paid work but still need to gain confidence and skills in the workplace a supported internship from Surrey Choices might be exactly what you need.

Their supported employment experts will help match you with work experience placements to help you get used to the structure and expectations of a job in a real work environment and provide ongoing support for you and the employer to ensure you succeed.

For further information, contact:
employability@surreychoices.com

SPORT

Weybridge Campus



Physical activity and health are becoming vital as a means of preventing and managing many medical conditions and as such, there is an increase in demand for qualified sport and fitness professionals.

If you are an active person and want to have a positive influence on people's health choices, this industry could be the perfect fit. We offer courses in sport science and development & coaching, which are tailored to the changing needs of employers within the rapidly growing sport, recreation and health industry.



Level 1

Preparation for Sport and Uniformed Public Services

This course aims to provide students with a basic understanding of employment in the sport, leisure and uniformed public services industries. Students will study a range of units such as: working in a team, how the body works and introduction to security, volunteering and planning.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: GCSEs grade 3 - 1



Progression: Level 2 Diploma in Sport or Uniformed Public Services

Level 2

Technical Diploma for Sport and Activity Leadership

This course builds on the Level 1 Diploma in Sport and the GCSE in PE, improving the student's knowledge of fitness and sports performance. Examples of units covered include: coaching sport, working in sport and activity leadership, getting others active outdoors and delivering a sports activity event.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes including 1 GCSE at grade 4 and above



Progression: Level 3 Subsidiary/90 Credit Diploma in Sport - Development, Coaching & Fitness or Sport & Exercise Science

Level 3

Subsidiary/90 Credit Diploma in Sport - Development, Coaching & Fitness

The aim of the course is to develop an understanding of the human body and how it is affected by physical activity. Units include: health and safety factors involved in sports participation, the key principles involved in the coaching process, the fitness requirements and training methods needed for different sports as well as how to create fitness training programmes.



Length: 1 year



Entry Requirements: 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above, ideally including English and Maths




Progression: Level 3 Diploma in Sport


Level 3

Subsidiary/90 Credit Diploma in Sport & Exercise Science

This course will give you a solid foundation in the sport and active leisure sector. Units may include: sport and exercise physiology, anatomy for exercise and sport, sport and exercise psychology, practical team sports, exercise health and lifestyle, fitness testing for sport and exercise, and sports coaching.

 **Length:** 1 year

 **Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above, ideally including English and maths


 **Progression:** Level 3 Diploma/Extended Diploma in Sport & Exercise Science

Level 3

Diploma in Sport - Development, Coaching & Fitness

This course broadens and expands the knowledge and skills learnt from the Subsidiary/90 Credit Diploma. Units may include: fitness training and programming, sports development, outdoor and adventurous activities, sports nutrition, instructing physical activity and exercise and sports injuries.

 **Length:** 1 year

 **Entry Requirements:** Level 3 Subsidiary/90 Credit Diploma in Sport - Development, Coaching & Fitness


 **Progression:** Higher education or employment


Level 3

Diploma/Extended Diploma in Sport & Exercise Science

This course broadens and expands the knowledge and skills learnt from the Subsidiary/90 Credit Diploma. Units may include: research methods for sport and exercise science, applied sport and exercise psychology, applied sport and exercise physiology, sports injuries, instructing physical activity, outdoor adventurous activities.

 **Length:** 1 year

 **Entry Requirements:** Level 3 Subsidiary/90 Credit Diploma in Sport & Exercise Science

 **Progression:** Higher education or employment

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Performance Coach

Watersports Course
Advisor

Wellness Coach

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“The campus is right outside the train station and the campus grounds have a lovely feel to them. I’m really enjoying my time at Brooklands.”

**Olivia,
Level 3 Sport & Exercise**

TRAVEL & TOURISM

Ashford Campus & Weybridge Campus

“We are learning to speak Spanish and completing a cabin crew qualification.”

If you enjoy travelling, meeting new people and delivering exceptional customer service than a career in travel could be the ticket. With jobs at home, overseas, sailing the seas or flying the skies the choice is yours. Join Brooklands Travel today and start your journey to a fantastic career in travel.

At Brooklands College we have a team of dedicated, experienced staff with vast travel industry experience. Our students enjoy classes in our dedicated tourism and cabin crew rooms. Over the duration of your course you will learn everything you need to know to have a successful start in industry. Depending on your choice of course you will study various units such as Retail Travel, Travel Destinations, Resort Reps, Cabin Crew, Cruise and you may even learn to speak some Spanish!



Level 2**Diploma in Cabin Crew (Weybridge)**

Over the year you will build a portfolio of evidence and gain skills that will help you to get your dream job as cabin crew. You will learn through theory, practical classes (including practising the role of cabin crew in our mock cabin crew room), completing projects, role plays, case studies, work experience and visits to industry.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes including 2 GCSE at grade 4 and above**Progression:** Level 3 Diploma in Travel & Tourism**Level 2****Travel & Tourism with Cabin Crew (Ashford)**

If you are unsure of your future in the industry this course is perfect for you. It has been designed to give you the best of both worlds. You will spend two days per week at our Ashford Campus learning about the world of Travel & Tourism through theory and practical classes. The other two days will be spent in Weybridge investigating the role of cabin crew in our mock cabin crew room. The course also includes fantastic day trips and overseas visits.

**Length:** 1 year**Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes including 2 GCSE at grade 4 and above**Progression:** Level 3 Diploma/Extended Diploma in Travel & Tourism**Level 3****Diploma/Extended Diploma in Travel & Tourism (Weybridge)**

You will learn through both theory and practical classes in our dedicated tourism room. Completing projects, role plays, case studies and work experience to build up a portfolio of evidence whilst gaining professional skills. The course also includes fantastic day trips and overseas visits.

**Length:** 2 years**Entry Requirements:** 5 GCSE passes at grade 4 or above, ideally including English and Maths**Progression:** Higher education or employment**PAST STUDENTS:**

- Royal Caribbean
- Virgin Atlantic
- British Airways
- Ryan Air
- EasyJet
- Norwegian Airways
- Emirates
- London Bridge Experience
- Brooklands Hotel
- Heathrow airport customer service team
- Oatlands Hotel
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Cruise Ship Steward

Tourist Guide

Tour Manager



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“We get to go on great residential trips which help us to complete coursework and achieve the very best grades we can.”



APPRENTICESHIPS

Weybridge Campus



An apprenticeship is a nationally recognised training programme, combining real work with learning and training both on and off the job.

As an apprentice you are an employee and will earn a monthly salary from your employer. If you are determined to succeed and achieve in the world of work and you're willing to commit to training and studying - then an apprenticeship is definitely for you.

Find out more by emailing apprenticeshipteam@brooklands.ac.uk



What is an apprenticeship?

It's a real job with real training, you will earn a wage whilst gaining a qualification.

How do they work?

This varies but often, apprentices will go to college for 1 day a week for off-the-job training and will spend 4 days a week in the workplace.

Some apprenticeships are based entirely in the workplace and your progress will be monitored both by your employer and coach who will visit you in the workplace.

Apprenticeships usually last a minimum of a year and can last up to 3 years.

How much will I get paid?

The minimum wage for apprentices is currently £3.70 per hour but many employers pay more than this. This will depend on what sector you are working in, region you live in and the level of your apprenticeship.

Apprenticeships on offer:

- **Accounting (AAT)**
- **Aeronautical Engineering**
- **Business Administration**
- **Catering**
- **Child Studies**
- **Construction**
- **Customer Services**
- **Hairdressing**
- **IT**
- **Laboratory Assistant**
- **Manufacturing & Mechanical Engineering**
- **Motor Vehicle Engineering**
- **Retail**
- **Sport**
- **Teaching**



**For more
detailed
information on
apprenticeships
visit our
website.**





"I began my Level 3 Engineering Apprenticeship at Brooklands College in 2015 with a previous employer.

I started work at G&A Fabrications (a firm who specialise in steel chassis work and aluminium panel work for road, race and classic cars) in July 2016 and then went on to complete my Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in June 2017 with a Distinction grade in every unit.

I was nominated for National Apprentice of the Year in 2017 and received a "Highly Commended SATRO STEMX Apprentice Achievement Award" in September 2017.

G&A's experienced members passed on their knowledge and capabilities to me and the "old skills" showed me how things were made "back in the day" and that these methods are still used and relevant.

Studying day release at College taught me the theory aspect and kept me up-to-date with advancements in the sector."

Grace,
former Level 3
Engineering Apprentice



“ The tutors work hard to improve our confidence and prepare us for the future. ”



FINANCIAL SUPPORT

STUDENT FARE CARD SCHEME

If you live in Surrey please visit the Surrey County Council website for student bus and rail fare cards for discounted travel within Surrey. If you live in the transport for London area please visit the Transport for London student website.

CARE TO LEARN

The Care to Learn scheme can help with childcare costs while you study. You must be aged under 20 at the start of your course. The scheme is available for publicly-funded courses in England. You can get Care to Learn if:

- You're a parent under 20 at the start of your course
- You're the main carer for your child
- You live in England
- You're either a British citizen or a national of a European Economic Area (EEA) country
- Your course qualifies
- Your childcare provider qualifies

DISCRETIONARY LEARNER SUPPORT FUND

Don't be put off applying because you are worried about how you are going to cover travelling costs - we can give you advice on how to deal with money and help you access different types of financial help.

The Discretionary Learner Support Fund is designed to help 16, 17 and 18 year old students who struggle with the costs of full-time education or training.

You can apply if:

- You are under 19 and on Income Support in your own right, a care leaver or currently in care, you could receive a Learner Support Fund Guaranteed Bursary worth up to £1,200.
- Other students from low-income families can apply to the Discretionary Learner Support Fund for help with Travel Costs.

For more information about financial support available contact our Admissions team on 01932 797 797 or email admissions@brooklands.ac.uk

CONTACT US

You can get further information on all of our courses by:

Online

Visit www.brooklands.ac.uk and click on our courses for school leavers tab. You can complete an application form online, or print and send to our admissions team.

Phone or Email

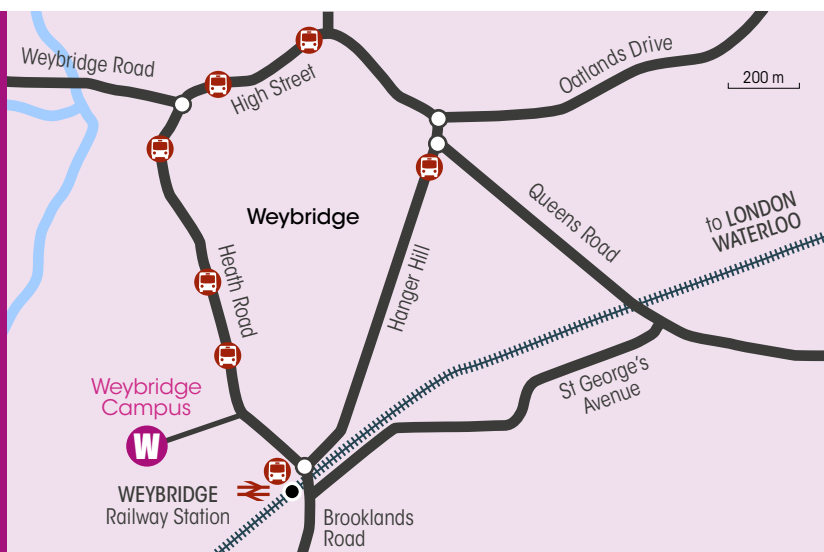
Call our Admissions Team on 01932 797 797 or email us at admissions@brooklands.ac.uk specifying which course you would like details about.

In Person

Come to one of our Open Events (dates are listed on the back cover) to have a look around the College, speak to tutors and apply. You can also visit the Admissions Offices between 9:00am and 4:30pm Monday to Fridays.

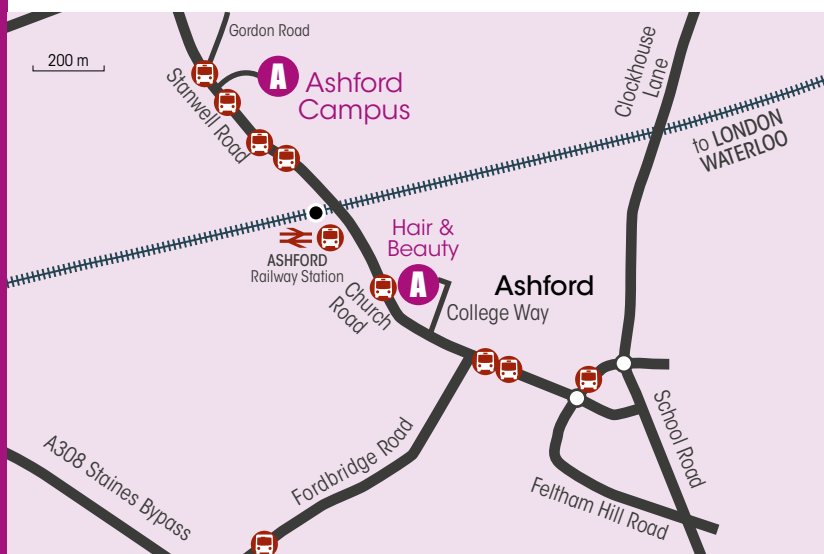
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WEYBRIDGE CAMPUS

Heath Road, Weybridge, Surrey KT13 8TT
Reception Tel: 01932 797 700



ASHFORD CAMPUS

Stanwell Road, Ashford, Middlesex TW15 3DU
Hair & Beauty - Church Road, Ashford, Middlesex TW15 2XD
Reception Tel: 01932 797 600



“ Choose a course that you are interested in and you will have a great time at college. ”

OPEN EVENTS

ASHFORD CAMPUS

Tuesday 2nd October 2018
5:30pm to 8pm

Tuesday 13th November 2018
5:30pm to 8pm

Tuesday 5th February 2019
5:30pm to 7:30pm

Tuesday 2nd April 2019
5:30pm to 7:30pm

WEYBRIDGE CAMPUS

Thursday 4th October 2018
5:30pm to 8pm

Thursday 15th November 2018
5:30pm to 8pm

Thursday 7th February 2019
5:30pm to 7:30pm

Thursday 4th April 2019
5:30pm to 7:30pm

Brooklands College

WEYBRIDGE CAMPUS

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Weybridge
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