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OUR 2024/25 OPEN EVENTS

Our Open Events are structured in a way that will assist you in making the right decision about where to study. You will experience what it is like to be a Warwickshire College and University Centre student and discover our facilities for yourself.

Visit our Degree Open Events to:

Explore our fantastic facilities

Speak to the experts

Ask questions

Meet current students

Opportunity to apply on the day

Visit our halls of residence

Discover what's on offer



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WCG President Louise Bennett OBE DL speaking at WCUC Graduation 2022



WELCOME to Warwickshire College and University Centre (WCUC)

A place for ambitious, talented and determined students.

We deliver specialist degrees with a strong technical focus designed to support our graduates to achieve their potential. We work hard to meet the needs of our undergraduates and choosing our University Centre means you'll be part of an exciting and dynamic community of students.

We understand the need for you to stand out as a graduate when entering the job market and that is why our courses are designed with advice from employers and industry. We want you to flourish while studying in our safe, friendly colleges alongside our supportive staff who will make you feel right at home and allow you to focus fully on your personal and professional development.

We have been working hard across our colleges enhancing our offer and investing in facilities that reflect the requirements of contemporary industry and professional sectors. These developments include the WCG Career Launchpad platform which is now available to all our undergraduates, providing advice and support to enhance employability throughout your studies.

Deciding what and where to study is a major life decision, but if you choose to study at a Warwickshire College and University Centre, you are taking the first step towards a very bright future.

Peter Husband
Interim CEO and Principal,
Warwickshire College and University Centre

BACHELOR'S DEGREE AWARDING POWERS

We were the first college group in the UK to be granted both Foundation and Bachelor's degree awarding powers by the Office for Students.

This means we have delivered our own full three-year Honours degrees since 2021, as well as continuing to award our own Foundation degrees since 2014.

We have delivered higher education programmes for over 30 years at Warwickshire College and University Centre and these awarding powers were granted following a rigorous assessment process spanning several months. We pride ourselves on offering qualifications and apprenticeships aligned to key industries and jobs, and we can now apply this to our own degree courses by ensuring all of our degrees have a technical or professional focus.



WHY STUDY AT WCUC?



INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIP

WCUC has **strong industry links** that enhance our graduate employability prospects. Our degrees are designed with advice from employers and industry to ensure that our courses **educate, challenge and inspire you**. We are constantly updating our degree courses with the latest developments, with experts providing full support to help you develop a wealth of knowledge and confidence in your ability. On a number of our courses, students have the opportunity to work on live business briefs whilst benefitting from industry input across lessons, masterclasses and placements. Our students develop employability skills and behaviours for the modern workplace.



A FLEXIBLE APPROACH

When you're making a decision as important as this, you need to have the right options available to you. That's why we offer a diverse range of courses from **Honours to Foundation degrees, HNCs and HNDs** to suit your situation.

Juggling family commitments, changing career and balancing study with work can be tricky. Our part-time courses can help you fit study around your job, further your career and ultimately **enhance your future prospects**.



HIGH QUALITY

We were the first college group in the UK to be granted powers by the Office for Students to **award our own Foundation degrees and Bachelor's degrees**. This means we have met the robust quality assurances and academic standards set for all higher education institutions.



INDUSTRY-STANDARD FACILITIES

Across our colleges we have a **range of facilities that allow you to develop and excel with us**. From laboratories to animal therapy units, and the latest creative design and statistical analysis software tools, we have it covered!



SMALL CLASS SIZES

The majority of our classes are small allowing you to study in a more focused environment. You **benefit from more one-to-one time** with your lecturer or instructor and it's easier to get to know your peers. This allows us to **tailor aspects of your course to suit you**.

We can pick up on your strengths and weaknesses and create a personalised experience that incorporates different teaching styles to help you **achieve your true potential**.

Today's job market is dynamic and ever changing

We believe that to be successful throughout your working life, you need a range of skills and attributes – and foremost among these is an enquiring, creative and entrepreneurial mindset. Qualities that enable you to move from job to job, progress up the career ladder and be adaptable.

To help develop these attributes, our degree courses include a tailored module called **Academic Study Skills, Employability and T-Shaped (ASSET)** – our way of helping you on your personal development journey.



Studying through a college for a degree meant there was much better interaction between the students and the tutors.

Shaun Anderson – BEng (Hons) Engineering

INSPIRATION OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM

EQUINE EVENTS

With an indoor and covered outdoor manège, Moreton Morrell College hosts an array of competitions and events throughout the year.



WCUC STUDENT CONFERENCE

This is an annual themed event that is attended by students across all WCUC Higher Education provision, and features presentations from research academics from WCUC and local universities. Since 2018, the conference has explored topics including the interdisciplinary links between science and the arts, how technology is transforming future careers and research, sustainability as it relates to both personal and professional practice in employment, changemaking and social impact, and employability and beyond. Guest presentations have been given by academics from University of Birmingham, Coventry University and the Royal Veterinary College.

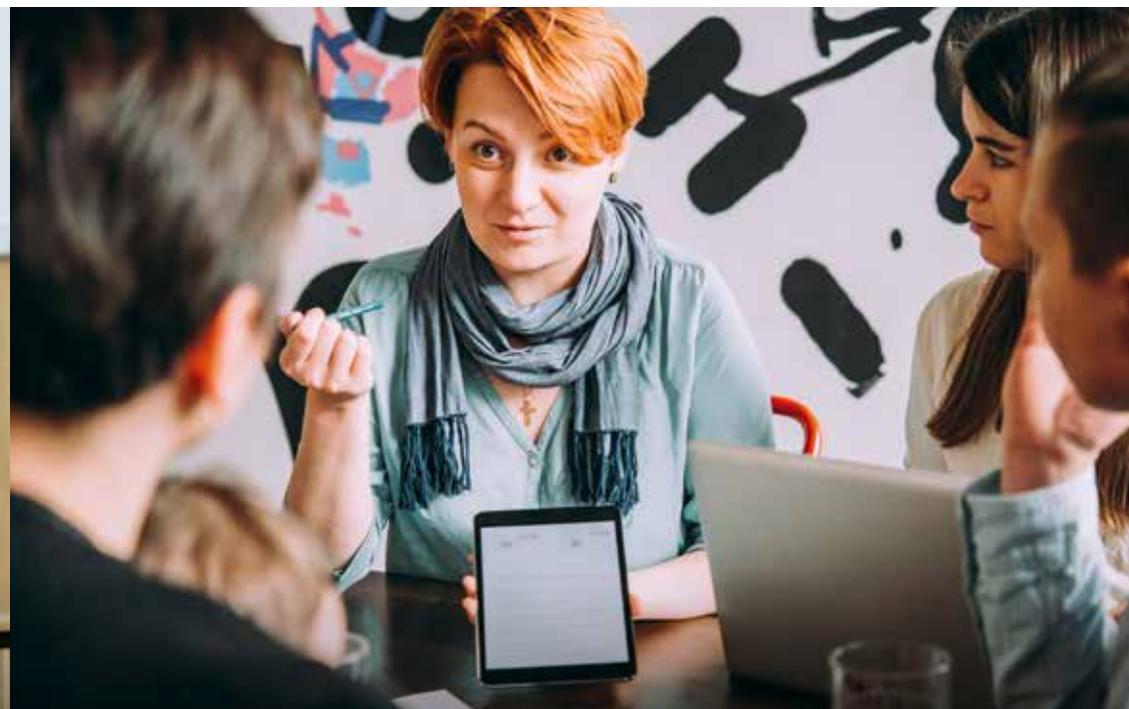
FUTURES WEEK

This event is packed with advice on careers and employability, business set-up and managing your professional social media profile. During the week each course also invites in expert guests to run masterclasses or workshops on specific topics, which will help you to enhance your professional practice.



ACADEMIC FIELD TRIPS

HE students have been on a number of self funded, course-related field trips over the last few years which have included **South Africa, India and Sri Lanka**, as well as various course-related field trips such as **Chester Zoo, Natural History Museum and The Guide Dog National Breeding Centre**.



HOW WE WILL SUPPORT YOU

At WCUC our students are supported both academically and pastorally, as we want to help you reach your learning goals and progress.

Alongside our excellent lecturer support, we also have a team of staff who can help you at every stage of your journey with us.

CAREERS & WELFARE TEAMS

The **Careers Team and Welfare Teams** are at the heart of our high quality student support system. The teams offer impartial and confidential help on a whole range of subjects, including:

- Exploring your career ideas
- Advice about bursaries
- Advice on funding your learning
- Welfare matters
- Job search support
- Health and mental wellbeing

ACCOMMODATION TEAM

We have halls of residence at three of our colleges – **Moreton Morrell, Pershore** and **Royal Leamington Spa** – providing a range of en-suite, catered and self-catered accommodation for students (see page 20). Our accommodation team offer advice throughout your stay with us to ensure you have one less thing to worry about. Get in touch with the team on **accommodation@wcuc.ac.uk**.

INCLUSION AND LEARNING SUPPORT

WCUC has an **Inclusion Team** dedicated to working with our higher education students. They support students with a range of different needs, including specific learning difficulties (such as dyslexia), physical and sensory disabilities, ASC / Autism, mental health and medical conditions.

Their aim is to ensure that appropriate support is in place while you study at WCUC, and are happy to provide information and guidance before you complete your application, via email, phone or at college open events.

The **Inclusion Team** works closely with academic staff to ensure that reasonable adjustments are provided within the classroom.

It is important that you tell us about your individual needs as soon as possible so that we can give you advice as to the most appropriate support on your chosen course. This includes guiding you through the process of applying for the Disabled Students' Allowance where appropriate. Please tick the box on your UCAS application form to notify us that you have additional needs. If you didn't tick the box on your UCAS form or you would like more information, call us on **0300 456 0049**.



CARE LEAVERS

There are many challenges faced by care leavers entering education – that's why we want to make the process as easy as possible for you.

We can provide help and advice on tuition fees, accommodation and the range of support available to help you once you start your course, such as bursaries and study skills. To help us help you, please tick the box on your UCAS application form to notify us that you are a care leaver. If you didn't tick the box on your UCAS form or you would like more information, call us on **0300 456 0049**.

EARN WHILE YOU LEARN

At WCUC we know how important it is to develop your skill set while also benefitting from employment opportunities available to you while you study.

Our careers team and HE work placement coordinators provide the guidance and support you need to assist with your career development. The team share jobs, volunteering roles and work experience.

Many of our students have gone on to **successful roles within an array of organisations, as well as setting up their own businesses**, both nationally and internationally. We even employ some higher education students as HE envoys, events assistants and residential wardens.



OUR APPROACH TO TEACHING

At WCUC we vary our teaching style depending on the course and module you are studying. Our lecturers want to help you achieve the best you can, and students can expect to learn through the following:

LECTURES AND WORKSHOPS

Small classes form the basis of teaching and allow you to study and apply your learning in a more focused environment.

TUTORIALS

Our students benefit from a lot of contact time with tutors, including one-to-one tutorials. You will meet with them regularly to discuss your learning goals and progression.

PROJECT WORK

Learn individually, or within small groups, on real-life case studies and theoretical assignments.

LABORATORY SESSIONS

Depending on the course taken, develop your industry-specific skills in our range of laboratories

CAREERS ADVICE

Your year group will meet for careers talks and common topic discussions allowing for closer support and exploration of your job opportunities. Our Career Launchpad online employability portal will help prepare you for job interviews, and give you tips for CV writing in addition to keeping you up to date with current affairs and updates from your chosen profession or sector.



TYPES OF QUALIFICATIONS

BACHELOR'S DEGREE

The most recognised and widely available type of undergraduate qualification and common denominations are BA (Bachelor of Arts), BSc (Bachelor of Science) and BEng (Bachelor of Engineering). A full-time degree would normally take three years to complete and often includes a work placement.

FOUNDATION DEGREE

A Foundation degree is a higher education qualification with the added benefit of work-based and placement learning hours, created in partnership with employers, giving you valuable industry experience.

You can study the Foundation degree for two years (full-time), and successful completion may give you access to a full Honours degree through a further year of study at Level 6.

Most of our Foundation degrees have Level 6 Top-ups available at the same college, so you can achieve a full Honours degree and have gained valuable work experience at the end of your studies.

INTEGRATED FOUNDATION YEAR

These are designed to prepare you for entry to your chosen degree, resulting in a four-year course leading to a Bachelor's degree. This type of qualification is suitable for learners who might not have the grades for direct entry onto a degree or who are looking to change career.

HND / HNC

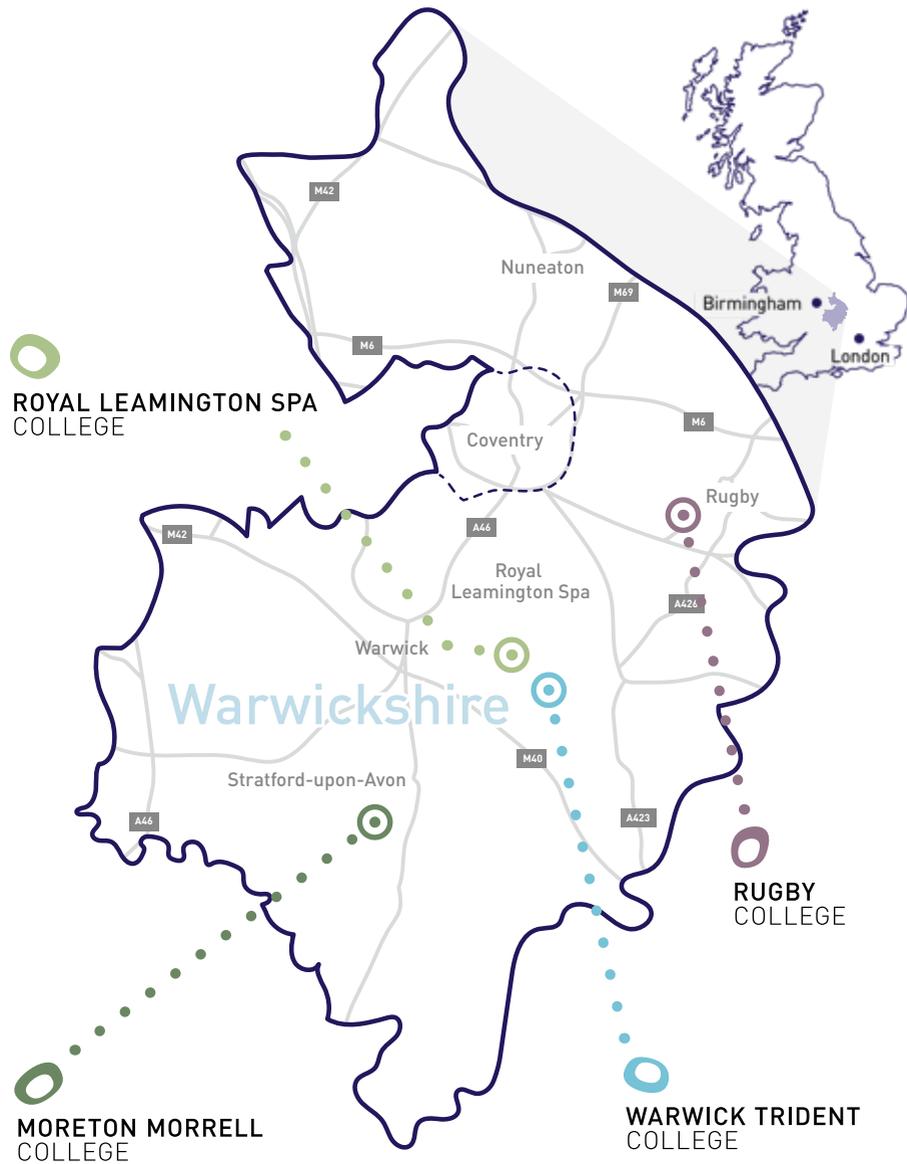
These are 'Higher National' qualifications with a technical and professional focus. A HNC is completed at Level 4 and HND at Level 5. They are often studied by learners already employed in practical industries and professions.

ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION (HE)

These one-year full-time courses prepare learners to study for a degree if they don't have the Level 3 qualifications required for direct entry. They are accepted by many universities as an alternative to A Levels or technical qualifications, that mature learners (aged 19 or over) may gain.



OUR WARWICKSHIRE COLLEGES



COLLEGES

- Moreton Morrell College
- Royal Leamington Spa College
- Rugby College
- Warwick Trident College
(N.B. currently offering degree-level apprenticeships only)



ACCOMMODATION

- Moreton Morrell College
- Royal Leamington Spa College



TRAVEL LINKS

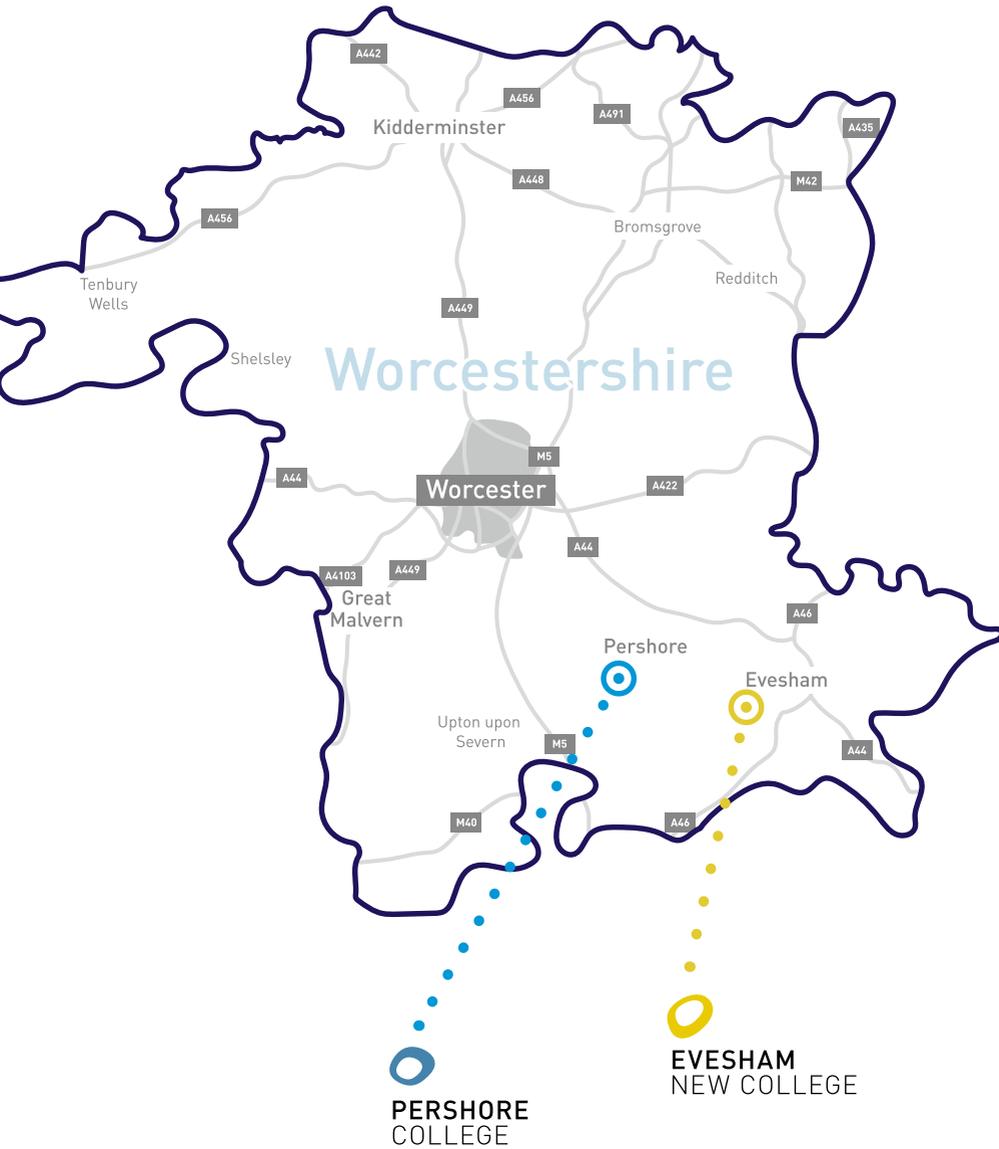
- Leamington Spa has direct train links to Coventry (14 mins), Birmingham (30 mins), Manchester (2 hours 15 mins), London (1 hour 20 mins) and Oxford (40 mins)
- Birmingham Airport – 30 mins by train or car
- Heathrow Airport – 1½ hours by car
- Rugby has direct train links to Birmingham (40 mins), London (from 1 hour)



POINTS OF INTEREST & THINGS TO DO

- Warwick Castle
- Anne Hathaway's Cottage
- Jephson Gardens
- Experience an eclectic mix of local crafts, artists, traders and entertainers at the annual two-day **Peace Festival** in the heart of Leamington Spa. One not to be missed!
- Enjoy the two day **Leamington Food & Drink Festival**, showcasing some of the wonderful local producers
- Watch a play at one of **three theatres** in Stratford-upon-Avon. Shows are broadcast live around the world, and you might even see someone you recognise on stage
- Be wowed by the turrets of **Warwick Castle** where you can see a jousting contest come to life, or explore the castle's history within the depths of their dungeon
- Visit the world-class destination of **Coventry Building Society Arena**. An array of sporting and other events await. Plus, you can expect to see some of the world's biggest entertainment acts performing
- Shakespeare's Birthplace
- British Motor Museum
- Coventry Building Society Arena

OUR WORCESTERSHIRE COLLEGES



COLLEGES

- Evesham New College
(N.B. not currently offering degree level courses)
- Pershore College



ACCOMMODATION

- Pershore College



TRAVEL LINKS

- Birmingham International Airport is approximately 40 minutes away
- Worcestershire also has excellent road links to the major motorways (M5, M6, M40, M42, M50) and London is just 2½ hours away
- Worcestershire has many major train stations throughout the county with a regular main line train service to and from London, Birmingham, the north and the south-west of England
- There are many bus and coach operators that travel to Worcestershire



POINTS OF INTEREST & THINGS TO DO

- Elgar's Birthplace
- West Midlands Safari Park
- Broadway Tower
- Worcester City and Cathedral
- Three Counties Showground
- Severn Valley Railway
- Explore the royal tombs, medieval cloisters and beautiful grounds of **Worcester Cathedral**, or visit one of their exhibitions or concerts
- Walk, cycle or horse ride the **iconic landscape of the Malvern Hills and the Cotswolds**. Prepared to be wowed, but make sure you make a stop at one of the cafés and attractions along the route
- Take a day out or spend an evening at one of two renowned racecourses. Visit the home of jump racing at **Cheltenham Racecourse**, or the stunning riverside location of **Worcester Racecourse**
- Worcestershire offers an array of sporting venues and fixtures, including cricket, rugby and football
- The annual metropolitan **Worcester Music Festival** supports emerging artists, whilst raising money for charity. The festival takes place in more than 20 venues across the city centre and is host to 250 bands over three days



ACCOMMODATION

We have halls of residence at three of our college sites providing a range of catered and self-catered accommodation for students.

We know how difficult it can be moving away from home, and we want to make it as comfortable and easy as possible. Our accommodation team are on hand to provide advice and guidance throughout the process, and your stay with us. Plus, the warden team will ensure that you feel safe, secure and looked after at all times.

To find out more and see our full terms and conditions, visit the website at wcuc.ac.uk/wcucaccommodation

ROYAL LEAMINGTON SPA HALLS

- Own bedroom and study area
- En-suite
- Communal kitchens
- Self-catered
- On-site gym facilities*
- 10 minutes walk from the town centre



MORETON MORRELL HALLS

- Own bedroom and study area
- En-suite
- Self-catered and catered options
- Communal kitchen
- Surrounded by 650 acres of countryside



PERSHORE HALLS

- Own bedroom and study area
- En-suite
- Communal kitchens
- Self-catered
- Set in beautiful countryside
- 10 minutes walk from the town centre



- WiFi
- Launderette
- En-suite
- Communal areas
- Gym facilities*

STUDENT LIFE

NIGHTLIFE

Not only can you enjoy the on-campus bar at **Moreton Morrell College** which has hosted popular events such as **live band nights, black tie events and parties**, the towns and cities on your doorstep also offer a huge choice of fantastic nightlife. Students can choose from wine bars and restaurants, to nightclubs, traditional pubs and large professional music venues and theatres. So if you're looking to watch a Shakespearean tragedy, catch a big name music artist, or just get your friends together for a birthday meal somewhere nice – you can be sure we've got it covered here.

YOUR STUDENTS' UNION

With fundraising, environmental campaigns and day trips, there are lots of events going on thanks to the **Students' Union (SU)**. The SU is made up of a group of elected students whose job is to entertain you, represent you and look out for your rights and needs. They will make sure your experience at college is the best it can be and run a programme of events and activities.

CULTURE AND THE ARTS

Theatre performances take place each year at **Rugby College** and you can visit one of many art exhibitions in our studios at **Royal Leamington Spa**. Check out our talented music performance students at one of their gigs and get a front row ticket for our student fashion shows – a must see!

Go to wcuc.ac.uk/events to see the latest.



OUR STUDENT FACILITIES

At WCUC we want to make your student experience the best it can be, and that extends further than the excellent education we offer you. Whether you are looking to train, perform or socialise, we have something for everyone.

SPORT AND FITNESS

At **Royal Leamington Spa** and **Rugby colleges** we have on-site gyms available for all students to access* via great value unlimited student gym memberships - or you can pay as you go.

Some of our colleges also feature sports halls and a range of pitches - including all-weather - which are available to hire.

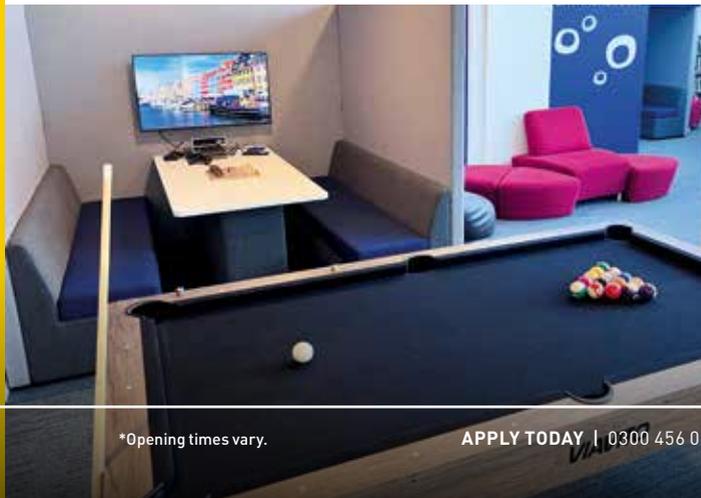
HE STUDENT ZONES

We have dedicated HE student zones at our Royal Leamington Spa, Pershore and Rugby colleges. These include games facilities, kitchenettes, and hang-out areas **exclusively for use by our Higher Education students**.

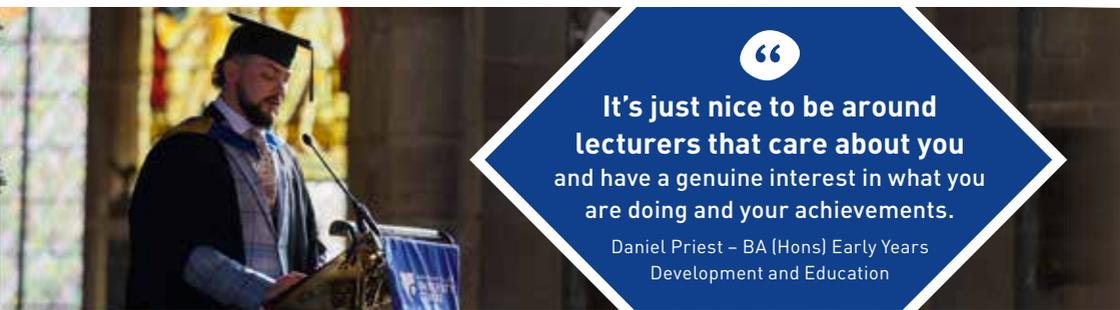
LIBRARIES

We offer an array of resources and study spaces at our libraries across all of our colleges. Borrow books, journals and electronic resources with our expert staff on hand to offer support and guidance. There's also an online catalogue for you to access hundreds of publications across all subjects.

Open-access PCs, printers, scanners, photocopiers and quiet areas make this the ideal place to study individually or in groups.



WHAT OUR STUDENTS SAY



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It's just nice to be around lecturers that care about you and have a genuine interest in what you are doing and your achievements.

Daniel Priest – BA (Hons) Early Years Development and Education



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Graduation was an awesome day and I recently joined the game development team at Playground Games as a designer.

Further down the line I hope to open my own studio.

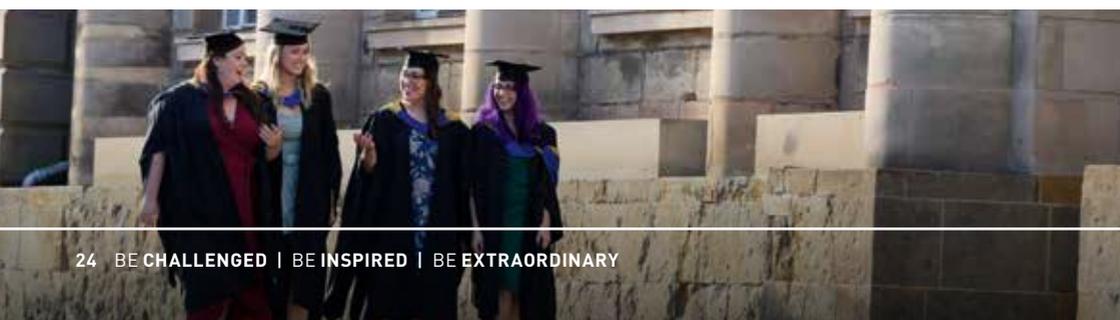
Ivan Bataslov – BA (Hons) Games Art



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Being older and coming back to learning, I liked the idea of the small class sizes I'm now a business lecturer at Coventry College and teach Foundation and Level 2 students.

Jessica Howlett – BA (Hons) Business and Management



OUR DEGREE COURSES

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KEY

WCG	Warwickshire College Group	RUG	Rugby College
WCUC	Warwickshire College and University Centre	MM	Moreton Morrell College
RLS	Royal Leamington Spa College	PER	Pershore College
		CAVA	Cambridge Access Validating Agency

Courses are subject to availability and change. Terms and conditions apply.

INTEGRATED FOUNDATION YEAR COURSES

At WCUC we believe in making higher education accessible for students with a variety of backgrounds, academic profiles or experience. We recognise that you may not yet have the entrance requirements for one of our courses, or have taken a break from learning, but with extra time and support we can help you start your life-changing journey.

Our Integrated Foundation Year courses can help you gain the qualifications and skills that are right for you. In your additional introductory year, you will study subject modules alongside modules that enhance your learning skills, helping you to succeed on your chosen degree. With a lower fee for the first two years, this four year full-time course is comparable in price to a standard three year degree.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Animal Behaviour and Training	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	D307	Level 3
Animation	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS – Full-time	A303	Level 3
Business and Management	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS – Full-time	NN14	Level 3
Canine Rehabilitation and Hydrotherapy*	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	D302	Level 3
Computer Networks and Cybersecurity	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	RLS & RUG – Full-time	I905	Level 3
Early Years Development and Education	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS & RUG – Full-time	X400	Level 3
Equine Performance Coaching	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	DX42	Level 3
Equine Science	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	D324	Level 3
Equine Therapy and Rehabilitation	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	D423	Level 3
Esports*	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS – Full-time	I636	Level 3
Film and Screen Production	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS – Full-time	029W	Level 3
Games Art	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS – Full-time	I633	Level 3
Graphic Design with Photography	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS – Full-time	WW29	Level 3
Media Content Creation	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS – Full-time	025W	Level 3
Performing Arts	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RUG – Full-time	W474	Level 3
Sustainable Horticulture Technology (Agritech)	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	PER – Full-time	D606	Level 3

ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION



Access to Higher Education (HE) diplomas are courses that prepare you to study for a degree. They are designed for people aged 19 and over who may have left school without the usual qualifications, such as A Levels.

Many Access to HE students go on to succeed at degree level and beyond – pursuing new careers and seeing changes in their lives that they had never thought possible.

Students study in a supportive environment with other adult students. We ease students back into education by building on existing experiences. We offer a trio of industry-specific Access to HE courses, so that you can start working towards your chosen career straight away.

The Diplomas are validated by Cambridge Access Validating Agency (CAVA) and are recognised by the Quality Assurance Agency (QAA) for Higher Education.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Access to HE Diploma (Business)	CAVA	Diploma	RLS – Full-time	See wcg.ac.uk/access
Access to HE Diploma (Engineering)	CAVA	Diploma	TRI – Full-time	See wcg.ac.uk/access
Access to HE Diploma (Health Professions)	CAVA	Diploma	RLS & RUG – Full-time	See wcg.ac.uk/access



ANIMAL BEHAVIOUR & TRAINING

BSc (Hons)



The BSc (Hons) Animal Behaviour and Training course provides you with the skills and knowledge you need to begin work in one of the most diverse and rewarding sectors of the animal industry.

This course will develop your knowledge and skills in animal behaviour and ethology, whilst exploring the ethics and key legislation necessary for anyone working with animals.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Animal Behaviour and Training (Integrated Foundation Year)	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM - Full-time	D307	Level 3
Animal Behaviour and Training	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM - Full-time	D306	96 points

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Animal trainer
- Companion animal behaviour therapist
- Behavioural researcher
- Animal welfare scientists and officers
- Zoo keeper
- Education, training and teaching



ANIMATION

FdA / BA (Hons) / BA (Hons) Top-up



Across the disciplines of film, games, and media, animation skills are highly sought after.

Studying for a BA (Hons) in Animation at Warwickshire College and University Centre, you will embark upon acquiring an Animation Skills Framework which will allow you to go forward and work either solely or collaboratively in this creative industry.

You will not only learn the latest technical skills in order to be industry ready but you will learn integral supporting creative skills in visual communication, life drawing, collaborating, and innovations and trends in animation.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Animation (Integrated Foundation Year)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	A303	Level 3
Animation	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS - Full-time	A301	80 points
Animation	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	A302	80 points
Animation	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Part-time	N/A	80 points
Animation (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	A304	Level 5
Animation (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Part-time	N/A	Level 5

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Studio runner
- Junior animator
- Independent film maker
- Senior animator
- Lecturer
- Teacher



For part-time courses, apply direct at wcuc.ac.uk

BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT

FdA



At the centre of learning for this Foundation degree are the student's employability and the understanding of how businesses function and thrive.

Students will be introduced to the professional standards of corporate business and be exposed to entrepreneurial concepts that will enable them to see opportunities for creating businesses or engage in a rewarding career.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Business and Management	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS – Full-time	NN12	80 points
Business and Management	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS – Part-time	N/A	80 points

CAREER PROGRESSION

- HR manager
- Financial manager
- Retail store manager
- Marketing manager
- Hospitality manager
- Hairdressing or beauty salon manager
- Business owner or manager
- Further study (completion of a Level 6 Top-up qualification) leading to a Master's degree



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DID YOU KNOW?

Our FdA Business and Management course carries the **Higher Technical Qualification kitemark** and is aligned to the Level 5 Operations or Departmental Manager standard.



BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT

BA (Hons) / BA (Hons) Top-up



This exciting degree course in Business and Management has been designed in collaboration with local employers to meet their knowledge and skills requirements.

This course includes study modes that are ideal for those in full-time work wishing to achieve an Honours degree in part-time hours and for those who have already completed a Foundation degree or HND.

The course fully exploits students' employment experience and can be greatly beneficial to students in their roles as employees and employers alike. Students will develop high level academic and work skills, enabling them to critically analyse, evaluate and research issues affecting business, strategy and management. BA (Hons) students also study professionally-aligned modules.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Business & Management (Integrated Foundation Year)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	NN14	Level 3
Business & Management	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	NN13	80 points
Business & Management	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Part-time	N/A	80 points
Business & Management (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	NN22	Level 5
Business & Management (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Part-time	N/A	Level 5

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Small company leader
- Senior management role
- Graduate programmes
- Level 7 qualification leading to MBA



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CANINE REHABILITATION & HYDROTHERAPY*

BSc (Hons)



Canine rehabilitation is widely regarded as one of the fastest growing areas in pet welfare and veterinary practice.

The course will develop your understanding of the scientific principles and clinical practice of the prehabilitation techniques for maximum performance and health and rehabilitation techniques for animals post veterinary treatment.

It will cover aspects of hydrotherapy and land-based rehabilitation in the

small animal including the in-patient, the out-patient and the elite athlete.

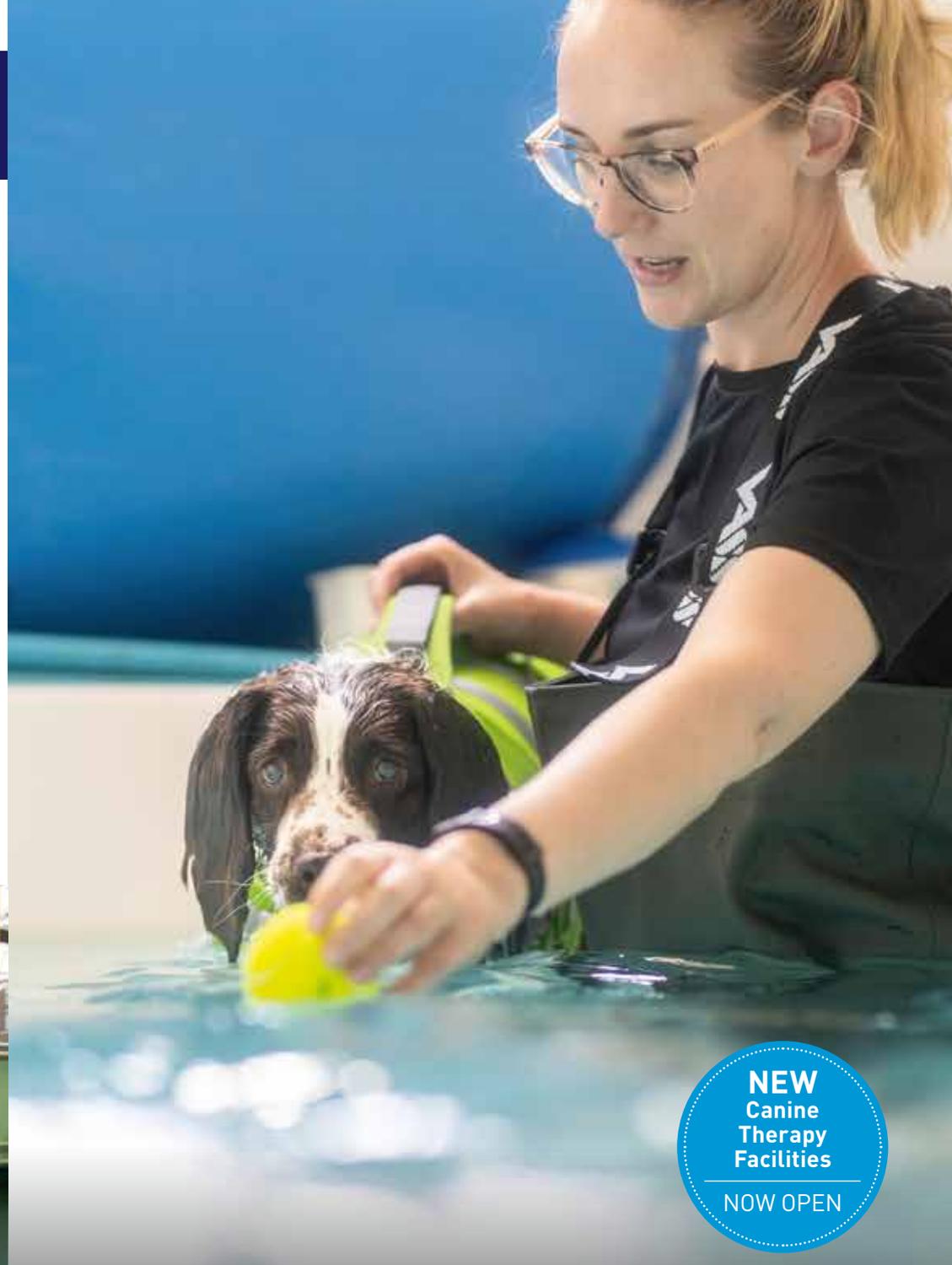
The overall focus of the course is a holistic approach to maintaining and improving animal health and welfare and therefore also includes the development of positive behavioural modification techniques and therapeutic handling skills to facilitate the rehabilitation process.



SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Canine Rehabilitation and Hydrotherapy (Integrated Foundation Year)*	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	D302	Level 3
Canine Rehabilitation and Hydrotherapy*	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	D301	96 points

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Working for a charity, an animal rescue centre or kennels or specialising in rehabilitation
- Opportunities to specialise in hydrotherapy and / or massage



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COMPUTER NETWORKS & CYBERSECURITY

FdSc / BSc (Hons) / BSc (Hons) Top-up



This course offers students the chance to immerse themselves in practical aspects of computing and network technology.

Work-based learning and placements are an integral feature of this course. The understanding of how key aspects of business are fundamental to network and IT infrastructure and business operations is explored.

Students are introduced to industry professional standards and cover subjects in addition to networking including security, programming, user experience, systems analysis and database design.

The course maps to the CCNA curriculum giving students the opportunity to register for the qualification test. FdSc and BSc (Hons) students also study professionally-aligned modules.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (SEE PAGE 65)
Computer Networks & Cybersecurity (Integrated Foundation Year)	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	RLS & RUG - Full-time	1905	Level 3
Computer Networks & Cybersecurity	Warwickshire College	FdSc	RLS & RUG - Full-time	1902	80 points
Computer Networks & Cybersecurity	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	RLS & RUG - Full-time	1903	80 points
Computer Networks & Cybersecurity	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	RLS & RUG - Part-time	N/A	80 points
Computer Networks & Cybersecurity (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	RLS & RUG - Full-time	1906	Level 5
Computer Networks & Cybersecurity (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	RLS & RUG - Part-time	N/A	Level 5

CAREER PROGRESSION

- IT support / network / end user IT support engineer
- Information technology consultant
- Systems analyst

DID YOU KNOW?

Our FdSc Computer Networks and Cybersecurity course carries the **Higher Technical Qualification kitemark** and is aligned to the Level 4 Network Engineer occupational standard.



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It's been amazing. I really enjoyed working with the practical networking and doing my own research.

Zoe Purnell, BSc (Hons) Computer Networks and Cybersecurity



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CONSTRUCTION & THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT

HNC / HND



Both courses are intended as vocational qualifications within the construction industry. They are also ideal for those who are already working in, or training for, a technician role in the construction industry and are looking to enhance their qualifications to progress in their career.

The aim of these courses is to develop students with a technical understanding of the construction and building industries, including the application of proven techniques and theories for the solution of real life problems.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Construction and the Built Environment	Pearson	HNC	RUG – Part-time	N/A	Level 3
Construction and the Built Environment	Pearson	HND	RUG – Full-time	K220	Level 3

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Building surveyor
- Construction manager
- Commercial manager
- Quantity surveyor
- On-site and office manager
- Senior site manager
- Designer
- Building control / planning officer
- Procurement manager



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COUNSELLING & PSYCHOTHERAPY

FdSc



This course meets professional standards required to practise as a psychological counsellor with clients of all ages and in a range of settings.

Linking theory to practice on a clinically-supervised placement, and offering a choice of Person-Centred or Cognitive Behavioural Therapy (CBT) pathways, the course will develop your skills to become a

reflective practitioner working with a wide range of clients, including children and young people (CYP), loss and bereavement, and clients with complex issues.

Our course is delivered in line with the expected standards of professional bodies within the counselling industry.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATIONS & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Counselling and Psychotherapy	Warwickshire College	FdSc	RLS & PER – Full-time	B942	See below
Counselling and Psychotherapy	Warwickshire College	FdSc	RLS & PER – Part-time	N/A	See below

Entry requirements: Applicants must have achieved a full Level 3 Certificate in Counselling Skills. Applicants with a Level 2 in Counselling Skills will be considered provided that they are deemed to have sufficient transferable experience AND alternative relevant qualifications at Level 3 or above.

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Progression to Level 6 to achieve a full degree with WCUC
- University or college counsellor / psychotherapist
- School counsellor (primary or secondary)
- Counsellor for Employee Assistance Programme
- Counselling service manager
- Private practice
- Counsellor / psychotherapist in tertiary care, e.g. specialist services for bereavement, mental health, addictions or survivors of abuse



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COUNSELLING & PSYCHOTHERAPY

BSc (Hons)



This course meets professional standards required to practise as a psychological counsellor with clients of all ages and in a range of settings.

Students taking the BSc (Hons) course will achieve their qualification at Level 6 on completing three years full-time study.

Linking theory to practice on a clinically-supervised placement, and offering a choice of Person-Centred or CBT

pathways to Level 5, the course will develop your skills to become a reflective practitioner working with a wide range of clients, including children and young people (CYP), loss and bereavement, couples* and clients with complex issues.

Our course is delivered in line with the expected standards of professional bodies within the counselling industry.

*Couples and relationship counselling is covered at Level 6 only.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Counselling and Psychotherapy	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	RLS & PER – Full-time	B943	See below
Counselling and Psychotherapy	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	RLS & PER – Part-time	N/A	See below

Entry requirements: Applicants must have achieved a full Level 3 Certificate in Counselling Skills. Applicants with a Level 2 in Counselling Skills will be considered provided that they are deemed to have sufficient transferable experience AND alternative relevant qualifications at Level 3 or above.

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Progression to postgraduate study
- Training within an NHS setting
- Postgraduate teaching qualification
- Teaching on a Higher Education Counselling programme
- Postgraduate counselling specialisms including working with couples

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COUNSELLING & PSYCHOTHERAPY

BSc (Hons) Top-up



This course is intended for students who are already qualified at Level 5 (FdSc or FdA) in counselling and / or psychotherapy and who have completed an appropriately-supervised clinical placement of a minimum 100 hours.

Students taking this course are usually working in the sector and wish to study to Honours level and beyond in order to enhance their academic status and/or employment and promotion prospects.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Counselling and Psychotherapy (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	RLS & PER – Full-time	C844	See below
Counselling and Psychotherapy (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	RLS & PER – Part-time	N/A	See below

Entry requirements: FdSc or FdA in counselling, psychotherapy or a related specialism, e.g. addiction counselling

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Progression to postgraduate study
- Training within an NHS setting
- Postgraduate teaching qualification
- Teaching on a Higher Education Counselling programme
- Postgraduate counselling specialisms including working with couples

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EARLY YEARS DEVELOPMENT & EDUCATION

FdA / BA (Hons)



The course is designed to offer skills and knowledge relating to professional practice, and the application of work based experience. It provides you with a 'licence to practice' in an early years setting (ages 0 - 7 years).

In a personal and responsive learning environment you will obtain the skills and knowledge needed to make a difference in children's lives and develop understanding of strategies to promote early years development. FdA and BA (Hons) students also study professionally-aligned modules.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS [see page 65]
Early Years Development and Education† (Integrated Foundation Year)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS & RUG – Full-time	X400	Level 3
Early Years Development and Education†	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS & RUG – Full-time	X377	80 points
Early Years Development and Education†	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS & RUG – Part-time	N/A	80 points
Early Years Development and Education†	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS & RUG – Full-time	X379	80 points
Early Years Development and Education†	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS & RUG – Part-time	N/A	80 points

† Depending on applicant numbers it may be necessary to consolidate this course for delivery at Royal Leamington Spa College. This will be communicated at the earliest opportunity and before enrolment.

Our full degree opens the doors to a variety of roles or opportunities for further professional qualifications (e.g. EYTS, QTS) that are recognised within the Early Years sector. Please note that this course does not qualify you for settings where there is a higher level teaching ratio of 1-13 students.

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Teacher*
- Family support worker / social worker*
- Learning mentor*
- Children's nurse or psychologist*
- Speech / language therapist*
- Special educational needs teacher / coordinator*
- Higher level teaching assistant
- Deputy / senior manager or room leader

*Further training will be required.



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DID YOU KNOW?

Our Foundation Degree in Early Years Educator carries the **Higher Technical Qualification kitemark** and is aligned to the Level 5 Early Years Lead Practitioner standard.





EARLY YEARS CHILDHOOD & EDUCATION STUDIES

BA (Hons) Top-up



This carefully designed course has been developed to provide progression for those who have completed a Level 5 qualification in Early Years*.

Study a one-year Early Years Top-up degree that will fit around your work schedule. This course focuses on your self-development and independent learning, as well as developing your critical thinking, reflection and research skills.

The modules allow you to explore issues children face globally and factors that influence contemporary education in the UK, as well as the impact inclusive education and diverse communities have on childhood. You will also undertake a dissertation, which equips you with the research to challenge local practice in an early years setting.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Early Years Development and Education (Top-up)*	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Part-time	N/A	Level 5

*Successful completion of this course will allow you to progress to further study leading to Early Years Practitioner Status (EYPS), Early Years Teacher Status (EYTS) or Qualified Teacher Status (QTS). Please note that the Level 6 Top-up course leads to a full Bachelor's degree with Honours, however it does not qualify you for settings where there is a higher level teaching ratio of 1-13 students.

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Early years, primary or secondary teacher*
- Family support worker*
- Learning mentor*
- Social worker*
- Children's nurse*
- Child psychologist*
- Speech and language therapist*
- Special educational needs teacher*

*Further training will be required.



I think I owe a lot to the college for who I am now.

I'm dyslexic so that was a big challenge for me, but the support was there and they were really accommodating to my needs.

Daniel Priest BA (Hons) Early Years Childhood and Education Studies

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ENGINEERING

HNC / HND / BEng (Hons) Top-up



These courses have been designed to meet the needs of the industry by developing advanced technical and managerial skills. Importantly, the nature of these courses means that you will be able to apply and develop a great deal of your learning in your workplace.

This means that much of the work that you do will be personalised to your area of interest, your specific industry and even your own organisation (providing you are working within a relevant engineering environment). You'll benefit from the opportunity to share your learning experience with colleagues from a similar industry background.

Our degree-level courses in Engineering offer two pathways that will provide you with the core and specialist knowledge you need to advance in the highly employable engineering sector. Each study option looks at either manufacturing or electrical engineering and includes modern and relevant elements as the course progresses.



CAREER PROGRESSION

- Manufacturing and planning engineer
- Design engineer
- Operation engineer
- Electrification engineer



SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Electrical and Electronic Engineering	Pearson	HNC	RUG - Part-time	N/A	Level 3
General Engineering	Pearson	HNC	RUG - Part-time	N/A	Level 3
Manufacturing Engineering	Pearson	HNC	RUG - Part-time	N/A	Level 3
General Engineering	Pearson	HND	RUG - Full-time	H101	Level 3
General Engineering (Top-up)	Pearson	HND	RUG - Part-time	N/A	Level 4
General Engineering 2+1 (HND + BEng (Hons) Top-up)	Pearson / Warwickshire College	HND / BEng (Hons)	RUG - Full-time	H101	Level 3
Electrical Engineering (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BEng (Hons)	RUG - Part-time	N/A	Level 5
General Engineering (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BEng (Hons)	RUG - Full-time	H102	Level 5
Manufacturing Engineering (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BEng (Hons)	RUG - Part-time	N/A	Level 5

DID YOU KNOW?

Our part-time BEng (Hons) Manufacturing Engineering (Top-up) course is accredited by the **Institution of Engineering and Technology** on behalf of the Engineering Council as meeting the requirements for Further Learning for registration as an **Incorporated Engineer**. Candidates must hold a IEng accredited HND / FdEng / FdSc to comply with full IEng registration requirements.



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EQUINE PERFORMANCE COACHING

BSc (Hons)



The modern coach plays a vital role in the development of sporting performance, and coaching is no longer seen as purely teaching but has evolved to include a more holistic approach.

Knowledge of areas such as sports psychology, nutrition, biomechanics, fitness and new technologies is vital in the coaching of horse and rider partnerships to fulfil their potential and reach peak performance.

This course is suited to students who are keen to study equine to degree level in order to successfully coach horse riders of all levels.

Students have the opportunity to ride and gain practical coaching experience weekly over the duration of the course. Students may also gain 1st4sport equine coaching qualifications on successful completion of their degree.



SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Equine Performance Coaching (Integrated Foundation Year)	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	DX42	Level 3
Equine Performance Coaching	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	DX41	104 points

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Freelance equestrian coach
- Performance coach
- Postgraduate qualification in performance coaching or sport psychology



EQUINE SCIENCE

BSc (Hons)



This course covers all aspects of Equine Science to provide students with the key knowledge and skills to enter the equine science industry.

From exciting new developments in equine microbiology, nutrition and reproduction through to advances in biotechnology; if you aspire to a career in equine science, research or clinical practice, then this is

the course for you. Offering a rich and varied syllabus that explores equine science from both clinical and welfare perspectives, the course facilitates the development of real world professional skills and knowledge essential to those wishing to work in a clinical or scientific context.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Equine Science (Integrated Foundation Year)	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	D324	Level 3
Equine Science	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	D323	104 points

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Equine nutritionist
- Veterinary researcher
- Microbiologist
- Laboratory scientist
- College lecturer



EQUINE THERAPY & REHABILITATION

BSc (Hons)



Therapy and rehabilitation of equine performance is a rapidly growing area of the equine industry. It is now recognised by the industry that the need for alternative and complementary therapies are paramount in order to promote horse health and performance.

This innovative course enables students to develop excellent therapeutic vocational skills, as well as provide sound academic and specialist knowledge in order to

promote equine performance within all fields of the equine industry. Students will make full use of our hydrotherapy equipment including water treadmill and ECB cold water spa within the specialist equine therapy and rehabilitation centre.

The course is accredited to AHPR allowing students to register on successful completion of their degree to work as an equine rehabilitation therapist.



SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Equine Therapy and Rehabilitation (Integrated Foundation Year)	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	D423	Level 3
Equine Therapy and Rehabilitation	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	D422	104 points

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Equine physical therapist
- Rehabilitation centre manager
- Equine hydrotherapist



ESPORTS*

FdA / BA (Hons) / BA (Hons) Top-up



Esports is a fast paced, rapidly growing global industry that offers career opportunities in a wide range of skill areas.

This degree course covers aspects of the industry such as business and marketing, events management, online broadcasting and streaming,

and data analysis. It also focuses on the competitor performance side of Esports, allowing you to study player coaching and psychology, wellbeing, and performance management. There is a focus on gaining practical experience of hosting and participating in Esports events, and you'll get chance to be part of WCG's successful Esports team, the Leamington Spartans.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Esports (Integrated Foundation Year)*	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS – Full-time	I636	Level 3
Esports*	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS – Full-time	I634	80 points
Esports*	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS – Part-time	N/A	80 points
Esports*	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS – Full-time	I635	80 points
Esports*	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS – Part-time	N/A	80 points
Esports (Top-up)*	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS – Full-time	I637	Level 5
Esports (Top-up)*	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS – Part-time	N/A	Level 5

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Esports team management
- Live streaming
- Community management
- Esports competitor
- Games development
- Events management
- Online marketing
- Community management
- Broadcast / sports management or coaching



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FILM & SCREEN PRODUCTION

FdA / BA (Hons) / BA (Hons) Top-up



This is a practical course which aims to develop creative craft skills in visual storytelling.

At its core, the course embeds current discussions on film and screen culture. This is achieved through the production of practical work across different media platforms for participation in the world arena, whilst contributing to the debate on how film is received and consumed in today's world.

Industry craft skills are taught in production and post-production techniques with constant access to industry standard equipment and software. This supports the teaching and learning of these skills with a view to creating narratives in differing contexts and for differing purposes.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Film and Screen Production (Integrated Foundation Year)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	029W	Level 3
Film and Screen Production	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS - Full-time	027W	80 points
Film and Screen Production	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS - Part-time	N/A	80 points
Film and Screen Production	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	028W	80 points
Film and Screen Production	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Part-time	N/A	80 points
Film and Screen Production (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	P314	Level 5
Film and Screen Production (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Part-time	N/A	Level 5

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Freelance film-maker
- Content producer
- Teaching / software training
- Camera operator / editor
- Producer / director



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GAMES ART

FdA / BA (Hons) / BA (Hons) Top-up



Our Games Art courses are designed to develop students' skills in the research, development and production of video game assets. It is designed for students who wish to turn their artistic talents into a career in the games industry.

Students will learn and utilise techniques in 3D modelling, texturing and lighting, concept art, animation and traditional art. Students will learn alongside others who are passionate about games and will be taught both software and traditional techniques from introductory to advanced level.

Our Games Art courses are delivered



in one of the UK's games industry hubs, Royal Leamington Spa. Written and developed with over 10 local games studios, this course will teach you how to research, develop and produce industry-standard video game assets and indie games.

This course is recognised by ScreenSkills, the industry-led skills body for the UK's screen-based industries, and carries the ScreenSkills Select quality mark which indicates courses best suited to prepare students for a career in the screen industries.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Games Art (Integrated Foundation Year)	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS - Full-time	1633	Level 3
Games Art	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS - Full-time	1630	80 points
Games Art	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	1632	80 points
Games Art (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	1631	Level 5

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Game designer
- 2D / 3D artist
- Concept artist
- Technical artist



GRAPHIC DESIGN WITH PHOTOGRAPHY

FdA / BA (Hons) / BA (Hons) Top-up



This course will equip you with the practical and contextual knowledge in graphic design and photography. With a very hands-on approach to teaching, you will develop integral creative software skills that will challenge and inspire you.

The course aims to help you confidently navigate your creative practice to launch a career in the graphic design or photography creative industry.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Graphic Design with Photography (Integrated Foundation Year)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	WW29	Level 3
Graphic Design with Photography	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS - Full-time	WW27	80 points
Graphic Design with Photography	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS - Part-time	N/A	80 points
Graphic Design with Photography	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	WW28	80 points
Graphic Design with Photography	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Part-time	N/A	80 points
Graphic Design with Photography (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	WW30	Level 5
Graphic Design with Photography (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Part-time	N/A	Level 5

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Graphic designer
- Photographer
- Art director / creative lead
- Freelance designer
- Marketing officer
- Creative artworker



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MEDIA CONTENT CREATION

FdA / BA (Hons) / BA (Hons) Top-up



This course is designed for people looking to become digital producers and marketers of innovative media content for various digital platforms that are corporate, institutional and social, including v/blogging and social media such as YouTube, Instagram, Facebook, TikTok, etc.

Training will focus on producing content that engages audiences in an immersive

experience and understands the market that the content is being created for.

Twenty-first century communication is all about connectivity and participation and the way we connect and participate is changing these lines of communication. Our digital narratives involve complex networking across platforms and navigating this is a desired skill both in our personal and work lives.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Media Content Creation (Integrated Foundation Year)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	025W	Level 3
Media Content Creation	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS - Full-time	023W	80 points
Media Content Creation	Warwickshire College	FdA	RLS - Part-time	N/A	80 points
Media Content Creation	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	024W	80 points
Media Content Creation	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Part-time	N/A	80 points
Media Content Creation (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Full-time	026W	Level 5
Media Content Creation (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RLS - Part-time	N/A	Level 5

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Media content producer
- Content writer and researcher
- Digital marketing and PR
- Social media content producer
- Video producer
- Communications officer
- Digital journalist
- Video editor
- Camera operator
- Blogger or YouTuber



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PERFORMING ARTS

FdA / BA (Hons) / BA (Hons) Top-up



The FdA and BA (Hons) Performing Arts courses are designed for students who wish to turn their creative talents and passion into a career as a practitioner or teacher in theatre, film, TV and other emerging platforms.

Alongside ensemble and theatre company style performance work, students undertake classes in audition and acting techniques, screen acting, voice, singing,

improvisation, movement and physical theatre, stage combat, dance, text analysis and interpretation, digital theatre and applied theatre and education.

As well as working with our passionate team of lecturers, we have an exciting programme of visiting companies and professionals. They provide workshops and lectures throughout the year, in which students can forge links with the industry.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Performing Arts (Integrated Foundation Year)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RUG – Full-time	W474	Level 3
Performing Arts	Warwickshire College	FdA	RUG – Full-time	W470	80 points
Performing Arts	Warwickshire College	FdA	RUG – Part-time	N/A	80 points
Performing Arts	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RUG – Full-time	W473	80 points
Performing Arts	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RUG – Part-time	N/A	80 points
Performing Arts (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RUG – Full-time	W472	Level 5
Performing Arts (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BA (Hons)	RUG – Part-time	N/A	Level 5

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Performer
- Actor
- Dancer
- Musician
- Teacher
- Singer



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SUSTAINABLE HORTICULTURE TECHNOLOGY (AGRITECH)

FdSc / BSc (Hons) / BSc (Hons) Top-up



This course is about harnessing technologies for sustainable productivity improvements in horticulture and agriculture to produce food. Horticulture in this context relates to the growth and production of fruit and vegetables.

You will study at Pershore College which is within the Vale of Evesham in Worcestershire. This area is known as the fruit and vegetable basket of England due to its exceptionally fertile soil.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Sustainable Horticulture Technology (Agritech) (Integrated Foundation Year)	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	PER – Full-time	D606	Level 3
Sustainable Horticulture Technology (Agritech)	Warwickshire College	FdSc	PER – Full-time	D604	80 points
Sustainable Horticulture Technology (Agritech)	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	PER – Full-time	D605	80 points
Sustainable Horticulture Technology (Agritech)	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	PER – Part-time	N/A	80 points
Sustainable Horticulture Technology (Agritech) (Top-up)	Warwickshire College	BSc (Hons)	PER – Full-time	D607	Level 5

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Agronomist
- Horticultural nursery manager
- Logistics manager (fresh produce)
- Laboratory research



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VETERINARY NURSING

FdSc



The FdSc in Veterinary Nursing combines academic study and occupational competence, and the course is accredited by the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons (RCVS).

Students begin this three-year course with introductory nursing modules, as well as breeding and nutrition, progressing onto further nursing modules as well



as anaesthesia, surgical and diagnostic procedures. In the third year there are opportunities to specialise in specific optional modules, as well as undertaking a reflective research project. Students will work in a veterinary practice gaining the clinical skills needed to become a registered veterinary nurse.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Veterinary Nursing	Coventry University	FdSc	PER – Full-time	D311	80 points

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Veterinary nurse
- Veterinary practice manager
- Veterinary lecturer
- Related career in the pharmaceutical industry



VETERINARY NURSING

BSc (Hons) / BSc (Hons) Top-up



Like the FdSc course, the BSc (Hons) course combines academic study and occupational competence and is accredited by the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons (RCVS).

Students begin this four-year course with introductory nursing modules, as well as breeding and nutrition, progressing onto further nursing modules as well as anaesthesia, surgical and diagnostics. In the third year there are opportunities to specialise in specific optional modules, and in the final year, students undertake a dissertation.



The BSc (Hons) Top-up is a one-year, progression award for those who have completed the FdSc Veterinary Nursing or a related course with RCVS recognised veterinary nursing competencies up to Level 5. It offers students the opportunity to build upon their existing knowledge and is ideal for those wishing to pursue a senior management role or move into teaching and/or research. You will study five modules throughout the year, all at Level 6 including a dissertation.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Veterinary Nursing	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	D310	104 points
Veterinary Nursing (Top-up)	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	D3NF	Level 5

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Veterinary nurse
- Veterinary practice manager
- Veterinary lecturer
- Related career in the pharmaceutical industry



VETERINARY PHYSIOTHERAPY

BSc (Hons)



This course is an excellent opportunity for students wishing to qualify as a Veterinary Physiotherapist whilst studying a degree qualification. Recognised by the National Association of Veterinary Physiotherapists (NAVVP) and the Animal Health Professions' Register (AHPR), this course combines academic study and occupational competence.

Graduates will be eligible to apply for full membership of NAVVP, which works for the promotion of professional standards, and provides insurance,



CPD opportunities and recognition within the industry. There is an opportunity to engage with our on-site Canine Therapy Clinic as part of your studies.

Our courses are accredited with NAVVP (National Association of Veterinary Physiotherapists) and the AHPR (Animal Health Professions' Register). Study with us and you will be qualified to apply for NAVVP membership and direct entry to the AHPR register.

SUBJECT	AWARDING BODY	AWARD	LOCATION & STUDY MODE	UCAS CODE	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (see page 65)
Veterinary Physiotherapy	Coventry University	BSc (Hons)	MM – Full-time	56D2	128 points

CAREER PROGRESSION

- Work within greyhound and equine sports
- Work with livestock or zoo animals
- Veterinary physiotherapist



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It was challenging but definitely worth it.

Really hands on with the animals. I really enjoyed the practicals with dogs and you get to know the staff dogs.

Holly Paton – BSc (Hons)
Veterinary Physiotherapy

CELEBRATE AT YOUR GRADUATION

A TRULY MEMORABLE OCCASION

The beautiful streets of historic Warwick are the backdrop for our graduation ceremony. WCUC graduates don their gowns, hoods and mortarboards before moving with friends and family to the ceremony at the 900-year-old St Mary's Church. Following the ceremony is a procession led by a trumpet fanfare*.



HIGHER & DEGREE APPRENTICESHIPS

HIGHER APPRENTICESHIPS

Did you know that you have the opportunity to move your career forward and gain professional skills – all whilst working and earning a salary?

Higher apprenticeships enable you to get a head-start in your career and gain technical knowledge and skills by offering you the chance to learn from the experts whilst you study and practice your learning during on-the-job work experience. WCG has worked with leading companies such as Jaguar Land Rover and the Air Ambulance to offer higher apprenticeships, with new employers offering positions all-year-round*.

According to government figures, **94% of apprentices in England stayed on in employment after completing their qualification** and **70% with the same employer****

We are able to offer the following higher apprenticeship standards:

- Propulsion Technician (Level 4)
- Engineering Manufacturing Technician (Level 4)

DEGREE APPRENTICESHIPS

Just like traditional degrees, an apprenticeship is a great route to a successful career. With a degree apprenticeship, you can achieve a full Bachelor's degree.

Degree apprenticeships bring together the best of higher and technical education, **combining degree study with practical skills gained in work** and the **financial security of a regular salary**.

Apprentices split their time between studying for their degree and applying this while learning new skills in the workplace, and are employed throughout. This enables them to achieve their qualification alongside earning a wage and getting real on-the-job experience. WCG has worked with leading companies such as Cummins, Meggitt and Parker Hannifin on degree apprenticeships in Engineering, and new programmes are currently being developed*.

We are able to offer the following degree apprenticeship standards:

- Manufacturing Engineer (Level 6)

To find out more, please visit wgc.ac.uk/apprenticeships

*WCG employer relationship data 2019-20 ** DfE Apprenticeships Evaluation 2021 - Learners report



INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Every year, we welcome students from across the world. Our group of colleges offers a vast array of degree-level subjects, where you will learn alongside UK students and have a truly British learning experience. With small class sizes, specialist facilities and on-site accommodation at three of our colleges, you will receive exceptional support, making WCUC a great place to study away from home.

HOW TO APPLY

International students can follow the normal application procedure via UCAS or apply directly to us using the contact details below. Our International Office can provide additional support for international students applying through UCAS, as well as advice about visas, help when arriving in the UK and developing English language skills for academic study.



We received the **first AoC (Association of Colleges) International Charter**, recognising our provision for international students and commitment to **developing all our students as global citizens.**

Call **+44 (0)330 135 6104** or email **international@wcuc.ac.uk**

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My time here has been wonderful so far, everyone is very friendly and the campus is very spacious as well as the accommodations.

Michiko Hirano (from Japan)
– BSc (Hons) Veterinary Nursing



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

WCUC welcomes applications from students of all ages and each application is considered carefully.

Generally, for many of our courses you will need to have **4-5 GCSEs including English Language and Maths at grade C/4 or above**. The college welcomes applications from students with disabilities and those with relevant work experience who may not have related formal academic qualifications, but please always contact us to discuss further*.

UCAS tariff point requirements are listed in the course information in this guide and online. Tariff points can be achieved from many different qualifications (see [ucas.com](https://www.ucas.com) for more details).

INTEGRATED FOUNDATION YEAR

You should have **completed your Level 3 studies** achieving the equivalent of **at least two A Levels or a pass in a BTEC course**. For some courses, you may also need your **Level 2 qualifications in English and/or Maths** (please see entry requirements for each individual course). It may be possible to study as a mature student with professional or industry experience.

ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION (HE)

If you don't have the traditional qualifications to get onto a degree course, you can study a **one-year, full-time Access to HE course**. This will prepare you for a degree course in a supportive environment. Entry requirements are subject-specific and can be found on our website. UK applicants should be aged 19 or over.

TOP-UP DEGREES

Typically a **Level 5 qualification or Foundation degree** in a related subject is required for entry to a Top-up degree.

INTERVIEWS

For some courses you may be asked to attend an interview, portfolio review, audition or another type of assessment to form part of your application.

See our course pages or call **0300 456 0049** for further information.

*Entry requirements are for guidance only. We welcome students with equivalent qualifications and combinations but please contact us to discuss further.



FEES & FUNDING

FULL-TIME

Fees are indicative and subject to change. The full-time HE course fee per academic year is on each course page on our website – wcuc.ac.uk.

PART-TIME

For our degrees, the annual part-time course fee is dependent on how many academic credits you choose to study in an academic year. Each stage of the qualification (e.g. FdA Year 1 / FdA Year 2 / BA (Hons) Top-up) will require you to complete 120 credits. You can study up to 120 credits in one academic year or study at a slower pace (usually 60 academic credits per year and up to a maximum of 80 credits per year).

For HE courses where part-time study is available, the part-time course fee per academic year is on each HE course page on our website - wcuc.ac.uk.

FUNDING

Financial support may be available from the Government through student loans to pay for tuition fees and maintenance loans (for full-time courses) to cover living costs.

More information can be found at wcuc.ac.uk/financialsupport, or you can contact Student Finance England by calling **0300 100 0607**.

Please always consult the latest funding guidance on the gov.uk website to check your eligibility.

INTEGRATED FOUNDATION YEAR

The tuition fee for 2025/26 entry is set at a reduced price for the first two years of an integrated foundation year course. Subsequent years of study are at the standard fee.

BURSARIES

Bursaries are available for students participating in higher education courses at WCUC. Bursary funding may be subject to means-testing and terms and conditions can be found on the website.

INTERNATIONAL

Please see our website for details of current fees for home (UK) and international (including the EU) applicants - wcuc.ac.uk.



NEXT STEPS

Visit wcuc.ac.uk for full course details and to find out about all of our colleges.

APPLY NOW

Full-time Courses

For most of our courses, you can apply online via UCAS at ucas.com – just search for **Warwickshire College and University Centre** and / or your chosen subject.

You can find the individual course codes in this guide, on our website at wcuc.ac.uk/degreelevelcourses or give us a call on **0300 456 0049**.

Part-time Courses

To study these courses you need to apply directly to us. Just find the course on our website at wcuc.ac.uk/degreelevelcourses and click 'Apply now'.

COME AND SEE US

All of our colleges have regular open events so you can see our fantastic facilities, chat with expert tutors and find out more about our courses.

Visit our website at wcuc.ac.uk/degreeevents for upcoming dates. Booking is essential for some events, so make sure to book early so you don't miss out!

HOW TO FIND US

Maps and directions to all of our colleges are at wcuc.ac.uk/colleges.

NEED ASSISTANCE?

Call us on **0300 456 0048** if you need help reading this guide.

VISITING THE COLLEGE?

Please tell us if you have any individual requirements.





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