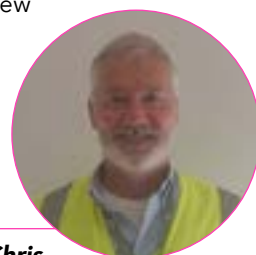


WELCOME TO MOTOR VEHICLE AT KIRKLEES COLLEGE

WELCOME FROM THE CURRICULUM AREA MANAGER

“Welcome to the Motor Vehicle department. My name is Chris and I am the Curriculum Area Manager for Motor Vehicle at Engineering Centre and look forward to welcoming you in September. The motor vehicle industry continues to develop and continues to develop new technologies for high performance vehicles. You will split your time between practical lessons in our workshops and theory-based lessons in the classroom to develop your understanding of the skills required to work in the industry.”



Chris

COURSES IN THIS AREA

- Vehicle Maintenance Level 1
- Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles Level 2
- Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles Level 3



WHERE WILL YOU BE STUDYING?

Engineering Centre

The specialist Engineering Centre boasts state-of-the-art equipment and workshops. Students based at this centre have access to the LRC on the first floor that includes computer workstations. There is also a refectory and plenty of break out spaces both inside and outside to socialise. We have also recently invested over £200,000 in Hybrid / Electric vehicle technology, training rigs and vehicles.

You will have access to two and four post ramps and tyre fitting machines, alongside balancing equipment. Workshops are set up to replicate MOT testing facilities, including rollers and MOT lanes. Students will get an opportunity to work with electrical and mechanical diagnostic equipment, hand tools, cylinder leakage tests and pressure tests.



IT STARTS WITH YOU

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Your timetable will usually be 16 hours a week. If you don't have GCSE grade 4 in English and maths then resitting these will be built into your study programme.

You don't need any special equipment for this course, all tools and any other equipment is provided. You will need to purchase a pair of overalls and some safety boots. These can be purchased from the college, or we can recommend suppliers.

You can download Microsoft software for free and access free Wi-Fi at college. If you need to access IT equipment, you can borrow devices from the LRC.

All 16 – 18 students have the opportunity to join our Sports Academy, if your timetable allows. We have a Football Academy and Rugby Academy, which both offer you the chance to train in your chosen field alongside your studies. To find out more about the different academies and trials, head to our website.

To see our centres or learn more about the Sports Academy, scan this QR code



MEET OUR STUDENTS

“ My favourite part of the course is being able to work on cars. The facilities at college are excellent and my tutors are happy to help with anything. The college is very safe and I'm always learning something new. ”

Mohammed, Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles Level 2 Diploma



MEET ONE OF OUR SUBJECT TUTORS

“ At Kirklees College, our Motor Vehicle department boasts a state-of-the-art, fully equipped modern workshop and our theory lessons offer relevant cutting-edge knowledge. Our highly skilled lecturers have decades of industry experience and we work hard to equip and qualify students with the skills needed for a successful career in the automotive industry. ”

Andrew



FINANCIAL SUPPORT



We can support you with:

- Applying for bursaries if you're eligible
- Buying uniform and kits
- Free college meals
- Support with travel costs – you can apply for a travel pass before you start or collect a form from college



STUDENT SUPPORT

We have a wide range of support available including:

- Dedicated Personal Development Coach and Pastoral Mentor. Your Personal Development Coach will help you in tutorial sessions to work on our Personal Development Programme, while your Pastoral Mentor will be on hand to offer 1:1 support if and when you need it
- Additional learning support. This is available for students with specialist educational needs and disabilities and is delivered in various forms according to an individual's assessed needs or provisions within an Education and Health Care Plan (EHCP)
- Counselling service
- Careers advice

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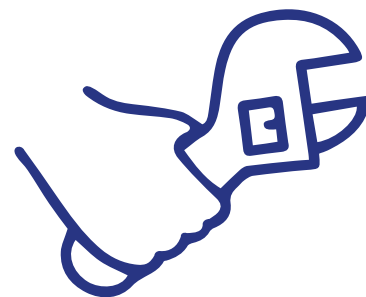


WORK PLACEMENT

As part of our Employability Pledge at college, all our 16 – 18 study programme students will have the opportunity to complete work experience and undertake a work placement during their time at college. You will work with a dedicated Work Experience Coach, who will help you find a placement suited to your course or chosen career, or complete work experience to achieve a Careers and Personal Development Passport Award.



CAREER PROGRESSION



At the end of these courses, students usually progress to employment or to an apprenticeship. We have strong links with local and national companies to support our students to progress in either of these career options.

WELCOME DAYS

We would also like to invite you to a Welcome Day at your chosen centre in July. This is a great opportunity to come in and see where you will be learning in September, find out more about our facilities, your course and meet tutors and fellow new students. You will be sent more information shortly.

The Welcome Day is:
Engineering Centre: 3 July



OPEN DAYS



Our Open Days provide information about the facilities and support available at college, as well as offer parents / carers and applicants the opportunity to ask any questions about starting a course with us.

The dates for our Summer Open Days are:

ALL HUDDERSFIELD CENTRES

WEDNESDAY 28 JUNE

5PM – 7PM (last entry 6.30pm)

OPEN DAYS - Scan the
QR code to find out more



If you would like to speak to a tutor or have any questions about your course or application, please email applications@kirkleescollege.ac.uk

Enrolment will be in August. More information will be sent out closer to the time.

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