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CHIEF EXECUTIVE’S WELCOME

IT IS MY PLEASURE, ON BEHALF OF GOVERNORS AND STAFF OF SOUTH WEST COLLEGE, TO INTRODUCE THE 2019-20 FULL-TIME PROSPECTUS.

At South West College, we recognise that this is a massively important time in your life; it's time to move on and build a new future in different surroundings. We want you to let us help you be confident in your decision making and take control of your future career.

Whether you are leaving school and coming to College for the first time, looking to start an apprenticeship or taking a step towards university or employment we are here to support you, every step of the way.

South West College is the perfect path for you to try something new, gain independence and embrace your individuality.

We aim to provide you with a stimulating and relevant experience that is created in line with employer's needs. Nurturing you to leave College fully prepared for your future career, the world of work, or continuing your journey to Higher Education.

We look forward to welcoming you in September.

Michael McAlister
JOIN AN AWARD WINNING COLLEGE

EXCELLENCE
Be the best we can be.

INNOVATION
Improvement and new approaches.

TEAMWORK
Together we can do better.

INTEGRITY
Delivering on what we promise.

CONFIDENCE
Having a positive attitude.

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OUR VISION
DEVELOPING PEOPLE / ACHIEVING POTENTIAL.

OUR MISSION
"TO PROVIDE LIFELONG LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE SOUTH WEST REGION AND BEYOND, THROUGH QUALITY EDUCATION AND TRAINING IN SUPPORT OF ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT."
GENERAL INFORMATION

EQUALITY STATEMENT
South West College is committed to ensuring that everyone who comes in contact with the College is treated fairly and should not experience inequality, prejudice or discrimination on the grounds of age, gender, disability, marital status, family or dependent responsibility, culture or nationality, race or ethnic group, religion or belief, political opinion, or sexual orientation.

DECLARATION
South West College has made every effort to ensure that the information contained in this prospectus is accurate. However, the College cannot accept responsibility for any inaccuracies or omissions. South West College reserves the right to review, change or cancel any of the courses outlined subject to application.

COLLEGE CENTRAL TELEPHONE NUMBER
For enquiries at all Campuses:
Tel 028 8225 0109
Web www.swc.ac.uk/contactus
At South West College we believe that we can provide an environment that’s right for you. We start with your individuality, ambitions and experiences and combine these with our bespoke courses to make sure you are ready for your chosen career.

The College campuses provide dedicated, relaxed and supportive learning environments perfect for student engagement, staff-student interactivity, social development and most importantly inclusivity. All campuses have excellent study facilities with Innovation Centres, Learning Resource Centres and private study areas. What isn’t standard is the unrivalled support we offer you whilst you’re part of the SWC family.

We know that your learning experience is dependent on your physical and mental wellbeing and the quality of our teaching and learning input, and this combined will ultimately lead to your success.

Support is available throughout your journey and we have dedicated student support workers who are here to support and help you with all of your needs.
WHY CHOOSE SOUTH WEST COLLEGE?

IT’S DIFFERENT TO SCHOOL
Firstly, there are no uniforms. We encourage our students to be individuals, express themselves and nurture their uniqueness. As a student embarking on your career journey at the College, we are passionate about your individual progression and strive to provide you with all the skills you need to develop in your chosen subject area. Students value our independent, flexible approach to study and non-traditional evaluation methods enhanced by smaller, supportive class sizes.

WE CARE ABOUT YOU!
At SWC we offer excellent student support services which can help you with finances, welfare, careers guidance, learning support, counselling and much more. You can also get help with study skills such as essay and report writing, IT and referencing. We’re here to make sure you get the most out of your time at college and achieve the qualification and skills you need to succeed.

IT’S AN EXPERIENCE LIKE NO OTHER!
With industry standard facilities and equipment you are guaranteed to experience a dynamic and modern learning experience. You’ll also find we have a range of exciting learning technologies available in very unique learning spaces in the College Innovation Centres; IDEA, CREST, STEM & IMAGE (see page 36).

WE WANT TO MAKE YOU EMPLOYABLE
We offer a wide range of courses designed to support your career development. We’ve worked with employers and industry to develop our courses to make sure you are gaining the skills and knowledge they need. You’ll also find opportunities to undertake work placements. All of our lecturers have worked in industry so they know first-hand what’s expected of you and they can enrich your learning with real experiences. These connections ultimately lead to an increasing amount of our students gaining employment or progressing to Higher Education after qualifying.
CAMPUS OPENING HOURS

COOKSTOWN/DUNGANNON
Monday – Wednesday  8.30am – 10.00pm
Thursday  8.30am – 6.00pm
Friday  8.30am – 4.00pm

ENNISKILLEN CAMPUS
Monday – Thursday  8.30am – 10.00pm
Friday  8.30am – 4.00pm

OMAGH CAMPUS
Monday – Thursday  8.30am – 10.00pm
Friday  8.30am – 4.00pm

TECHNOLOGY & SKILLS CENTRE
Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 7.45am – 9pm
Wednesday & Friday  7.45am – 6pm

COLLEGE CENTRAL TELEPHONE NUMBER
For all enquiries at all Campuses:
Tel  028 8225 0109
www.swc.ac.uk
IDENTIFICATION
All students will be required to produce ID upon enrolment for e.g. passport, driver’s license, National Insurance card, electoral card etc.

Please note: This brochure will be made available, on request, in alternative formats for those unable to access information in the standard format.

EXAM ENTRY & TIMETABLE
It is the responsibility of all students to ensure they are entered for relevant examinations by the due closing date; similarly, the student is responsible for ascertaining the timing(s) of examination(s) sitting. Enquiries should be made to the Course Tutor or Examinations Office at the campus you attend.

UNIQUE LEARNER NUMBER (ULN)
Whilst at the College, you will be issued with a Unique Learner Number (ULN). The ULN is a personal 10 digit number which will remain with you throughout your life, similar to your National Insurance (NI) Number. Like your National Insurance Number your ULN will be protected and only used for the purpose that it is intended for. It will only be used to pull together your educational experiences and outcomes, enable you to view your learner record online and be used by government agencies who have responsibilities for education. For further information please contact the Admissions Office at your local campus.
WE’RE HERE TO SUPPORT YOU!

CAREERS ADVICE & GUIDANCE
Making the right career decision is important and at South West College the Student Engagement Officer HE and Employability will assist you in choosing the right course and helping you plan your next step, be it entry into higher education or employment. From career planning and development, employer visits and job fairs, interviews and employment advice, our team of friendly, qualified careers advisers are on hand to provide advice for all full-time and part-time Higher Education students.

Advisers are based at Dungannon, Enniskillen and Omagh campuses and welcome you to contact them on careers@swc.ac.uk or just call into your nearest Student Services office.

CAREERS GUIDANCE AND SUPPORT KEY CONTACTS:
Dungannon & Cookstown Campuses: claire.o’neill@swc.ac.uk
Enniskillen Campus: nichola.melanaphy2@swc.ac.uk
Omagh Campus: teresa.taggart@swc.ac.uk

STUDENT LEARNING SUPPORT
The College is committed to providing a supportive and friendly learning environment for all students. We have a confidential student learning support service that can help students with a disability and / or learning difficulty. Learning support offered can include:
- In class support (e.g. note takers and a learning support worker) as well as one-to-one support outside the classroom (e.g. help with assignments)
- Loan of specialist equipment (talking calculators, loop system) and specialist software

You are advised to register with the Student Learning Support Team to ensure that individual arrangements are put in place that will support you through your time at the College.

COUNSELLING
Hopefully your time at South West College will be an enjoyable and fulfilling experience but there may be times when things do not go to plan and you may want to consider counselling, which will give you the opportunity to talk, in confidence with an independent and trained professional.

Each campus has its own confidential student counselling service to help with whatever difficulty you are facing.

To make an appointment with a counsellor, please contact the Student Support team at your campus.
STUDENT FINANCE

THE STUDENT SERVICES TEAM ARE HERE TO HELP ENSURE YOU HAVE APPLIED FOR ALL THE AVAILABLE FUNDING, INCLUDING STUDENT SUPPORT LOANS AND BURSARIES, TRUSTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS AS WELL AS ACCESSING BENEFITS YOU MAY BE ENTITLED TO.

For confidential help or advice on any issue relating to financial support, please contact the Student Engagement and Support Officer at your local campus:

STUDENT SUPPORT AND GUIDANCE KEY CONTACTS:
Dungannon & Cookstown Campuses: sharon.watters@swc.ac.uk
Enniskillen Campus: sharon.pritchard@swc.ac.uk
Omagh Campus: judith.mccusker@swc.ac.uk

SUPPORT FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES
The Student Support Services team at South West College works closely with students, staff, departments, and the campus administration to ensure that the programmes, services, and activities of the College are accessible to, and usable by, students with disabilities. All employees of the College work to promote a welcoming environment that is increasingly inclusive of people with disabilities in all aspects of its environment and in the attitudes, behaviours and endeavours of college students, staff and the wider community. South West College values the depth of experience and character that often arises from living with a disability in our society and the richness that experience can add to a college community that respects and includes individuals’ disability experiences. The College views our relationship with individual students as a partnership in which to promote pride in the value of individual disability-related experiences, self-advocacy, and self-determination.

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Enniskillen Campus: sharon.pritchard@swc.ac.uk
Omagh Campus: judith.mccusker@swc.ac.uk

CRECHE
Dungannon and Omagh Campuses have fully functional crèche facilities on site. These facilities are operated by Washingford Day Care and are available for staff and student bookings. Both offer full-time and part-time places, a drop-in service, pre-school aftercare and a pick-up service.

KEY CONTACTS:
Washingford Day Care
Omagh: (028) 8225 5214
Dungannon: (028) 8775 2220
Email: washingforddaycare@hotmail.co.uk
YOUR COLLEGE EXPERIENCE ISN’T JUST ABOUT THE PROGRAMME YOU’RE STUDYING, IT’S ALSO ABOUT DEVELOPING YOU AS A PERSON, INSIDE AND OUTSIDE OF THE CLASSROOM. TO HELP YOU GET THE MOST OUT OF COLLEGE LIFE, WE OFFER A RANGE OF ACTIVITIES BOTH INSIDE AND OUTSIDE OF COLLEGE HOURS. THERE IS LOTS TO GET INVOLVED IN: SPORTING ACTIVITIES, SOCIAL EVENTS AND TRIPS AND VOLUNTEERING. YOU MIGHT WANT TO CONSIDER BECOMING A STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE OR STUDENT GOVERNOR.

STUDENTS UNION ‘YOUR VOICE – YOUR UNION’

South West College Students’ Union (SWCSU) is a democratically run organisation that actively works to ensure that the students of South West College are getting the most from their experience. There are four key components of our Union that make up the activities we do: Democracy & Representation, Student Activities & Events, Societies and a Student Welfare Service.

Every year, South West College students (our members) get the opportunity to vote in the annual elections to decide the Union Council. They elect the President and Vice President (Sabbatical Officers), Course Representatives and Liberation Officers (Part Time Officers). These are the people responsible for ensuring that your voice is heard at every level of the College, including on the Colleges Board of Governors. As part of this process we ensure that everything South West College does, has the students at the heart of its decisions.

HOW DO I GET INVOLVED?

When you enrol as a student of South West College you are eligible to become a member of the Students’ Union and are entitled to access all the services that it offers. You can become more involved by running for election onto the Student Council, in early October, where there are many different roles from Student President, Vice President(s), or Student Governor, to Clubs & Societies Officer, Education Officers or Diversity Officer. The aim of any Students’ Union is to represent the entire student body, and not just the majority. You can also participate in the Students’ Union activities, events and campaigns, such as Fresher’s Week, or even writing articles for the student blog, #WOW. If you want to get involved or have any questions contact your Student Engagement Team, located in Student Services on each campus – Enniskillen, Omagh and Dungannon, or contact E: studentsunion@swc.ac.uk or Tel: 028 8225 0109.

BEING A STUDENT SHOULD BE FUN!
HEALTH & WELLBEING INITIATIVES

AT SWC WE LIVE BY THE PHILOSOPHY THAT HEALTH AND WELLBEING IS "A STATE OF COMPLETE PHYSICAL, MENTAL AND EMOTIONAL WELLBEING AND NOT MERELY THE ABSENCE OF DISEASE OR INFIRMITY" (WORLD HEALTH ORGANISATION, 1946)

To support our students we have adopted an approach as a 'healthy college' recognising the importance of investing in the health and wellbeing of students by providing a physical and social environment/culture which is conducive to teaching, learning and working. We strive to have a strong culture where we work to promote student empowerment to maintain your own health and wellbeing whilst also providing you with the opportunity to achieve your full potential, in turn benefiting yourself, the staff and the College.

As an SWC student you will benefit from a range of opportunities including physical activity sessions, free health clinics, fresh fruit days as well as a range of health and wellbeing themed workshops through the year.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT
Niall.Marlow@swc.ac.uk
GET YOUR SUITCASE PACKED!

At SWC we love to give our students the opportunities to experience new things and broaden their horizons. We have a strong history and commitment to enabling students to take part in exchange experiences across Europe and internationally.

‘Currently SWC has 15 live European projects with over 40 partners worldwide through Erasmus+ and Erasmus+ International’. SWC is now positioned as one of the UK’s leading organisations achieving funding under all three key actions covered by the Erasmus+ Programme. These exchange experiences expose staff and students to new ideas and innovations that are central to their development and employability within their chosen area of specialism.

SWC recently secured its largest mobility grant which will see 150 students undertake 3-week work placements with employers based across Sweden, France, Spain, Germany, Lithuania & Iceland.

The college has also been successfully strengthening partnerships in China, Russia, USA and Canada and will continue to explore collaborative opportunities between partner institutions.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT YOUR COURSE CO-ORDINATOR

THE WORLD IS WAITING FOR YOU!

OUR INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

Erasmus+
The Hub, now in its fifth year has seen considerable growth and this year, 2017/18 we have a team of 12 tutors delivering lessons to college students, 54 schools [38 primary & 16 post-primary] together with 3 evening classes at SWC and enrolments exceeding 3400.

SWC recently launched the college’s new Business Chinese Test (BCT), an online Mandarin Chinese course, which has been designed to develop basic communication skills for collaboration with Chinese businesses. The BCT Online Mandarin Chinese course is accredited by Hanban, China and will be delivered online however tutorial support is available from the SWC Confucius Hub Mandarin Chinese tutors. All students will have the opportunity to avail of this programme, ideal for C.V. building in today’s competitive and increasingly global market place.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT linda.beatty@swc.ac.uk
FACILITIES & DEVELOPMENTS

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LEARNING RESOURCE CENTRES
The Learning Resource Centres exist to support the information needs of everyone at the College including students, lecturers, managers and support staff. The LRCs offer an excellent range of services and facilities designed to provide access to both the latest technology and traditional learning resources. Experienced staff are available to answer enquiries, to help users access information and resources.

To support students in their studies all centres provide a range of mentoring services either in group sessions or one-to-one including the following:

GETTING READY FOR ACADEMIC STUDY:
• Student inductions - accessing College Systems
• Referencing - how to reference and referencing tools
• Researching projects / assignments
• Using Discovery
• Understanding plagiarism and copyright
• Assistance with 'Turn It In'

I.T. FACILITIES:
• Computer suite equipped with a wide range of software
• High speed internet access and Wi-Fi
• Blackboard learning environment

OTHER:
• Printing, photocopying and scanning
• Laptop loans for use in the LRC

KEY CONTACTS:
Dungannon: Melissa Grimes 028 8225 0109 Ext 3630 melissa.grimes@swc.ac.uk
Omagh: Kerry-Jo Chesters 028 8225 0109 Ext 5213 kerry-jo.chesters@swc.ac.uk
Enniskillen: Doreen Dunwoody 028 8225 0109 Ext 2216 doreen.dunwoody@swc.ac.uk

EXPERIENCE LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS TAILORED FOR YOU!

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As part of the College’s drive to embed innovation within the curriculum across each Campus there are now four innovation centres, linked directly to InnoTech, available for students, of all levels, to utilise as part of their learning. These centres are:

- **STEM** – is a specially designed state-of-the-art teaching facility and exhibition space, focused exclusively on delivering educational and instructional activities in the areas of STEM. The Centre at the Dungannon campus is now a model for learning replicated across the UK due to its pioneering approach to STEM delivery.

- **IDEA** – is a unique interactive learning and exhibition space in the Omagh Campus. The centre has been created to support a wide range of students and organisations from a variety of industrial backgrounds to participate in the creative process of generating new ideas. In this space ideas are conceived, nurtured and developed into prototypes that are then tested to establish proof of concept.

- **IMAGE** – is an exciting creative technologies studio in the Enniskillen campus. It is a design and development area focused on providing resources and services in the area of digital animation. Image has state-of-the-art equipment such as motion capture technology, rendering facilities and recording studios.

- **CREST** – is a centre of excellence for Renewable Energy and Sustainable Technology. The centre is the only passive educational facility in the UK and comprises of three areas, the Pavilion, R&D Lab and Hub, providing industry R&D, demonstration and testing facilities for new renewable energy products and sustainable technologies. The centre also contains bespoke laboratory and demonstration facilities for the design, development, manufacture and testing of renewable and sustainable technologies. The centre has quickly established a reputation for supporting SMEs and entrepreneurial students in bringing ideas for new products to fruition.
AT SOUTH WEST COLLEGE WE RECOGNISE THAT LEARNING IS CHANGING, SO OUR CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT HAS DEVELOPED TO INCLUDE BOTH FACE TO FACE TEACHING SUPPORTED BY E-LEARNING AND E-SERVICES TO BRING LEARNING TO LIFE. THE TECHNOLOGIES USED ARE FORWARD-THINKING, INTERACTIVE, BUT MOST IMPORTANTLY STUDENT-CENTRED, TO ENABLE YOU TO LEARN IN A SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT.

As a student we aim to provide you with platforms to enable you to be engaged thinkers, active learners, knowledge constructors and global citizens of the 21st century. We want to take you on a rapidly evolving digital journey.

**SWC VIRTUAL ACADEMY**

As part of the SWC Virtual Academy you will be able to develop your skills, embrace new opportunities and experience emerging cutting-edge technologies through the SWC Virtual Academy. All students can take part in and avail of:

- Digital Badge Certifications
- Virtual Learner Resource Centre (LRC)
- Remote Home Access
- Immersive Technologies
- Game Based Learning
- Virtual Worlds

Our Virtual Academy aims to build your C.V. and increase your employability in today’s increasingly competitive workplace, through embracing ‘your world’ of on-line technologies.

More information is provided to students on induction, and through discussions with your course co-ordinator.
NEW ENNISKILLEN ERNE CAMPUS

OPENING 2020

THE NEW SOUTH WEST COLLEGE ENNISKILLEN CAMPUS WILL SEE THE DELIVERY OF THE FIRST EDUCATIONAL BUILDING WORLDWIDE TO ACHIEVE THE HIGHEST INTERNATIONAL STANDARD IN ENVIRONMENTAL CONSTRUCTION, PASSIVHAUS PREMIUM, RANKING IT ALONGSIDE PRESTIGIOUS BUILDINGS SUCH AS THE APPLE CAMPUS IN TERMS OF SUSTAINABLE INNOVATION AND DESIGN.

The new campus will be situated on the site of the former Erne hospital in Enniskillen and represents an investment of over £29 million by the Department for the Economy. The building, which is due to be completed in February 2020, will further enhance the College’s existing global reputation in the sustainable construction sector and will be used to attract international companies and students.
QUALIFICATIONS EXPLAINED

ENTRY LEVEL
No formal qualifications required. Courses focus on personal and social development.

LEVEL 1
No formal qualifications required. Recognised qualifications; BTEC Awards, Certificates, NVQ, Skills for your Life and Skills for Work courses.

LEVEL 2
Entry requirements: 4 GCSEs at Grades D to G or successful completion of a Level 1 related qualification. Recognised qualifications; BTEC Awards, Certificates, Diplomas, NVQ, Training for Success, Apprenticeships, or Skills for Work. Automatic progression is not guaranteed.

LEVEL 3
Entry requirements: 4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths (please check individual course details), or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Recognised qualifications; BTEC Diplomas, Apprenticeships, and Access to Higher Education courses.

LEVEL 4
Entry requirements: A-Levels or successful completion of Level 3 related qualification or related industry experience. Recognised qualifications; Higher National Certificates (HNCs), Higher Level Apprenticeships (HLAs). Subject to interview.

LEVEL 5
Entry requirements: Successful completion of a Level 3 or 4 qualification or related industry experience. Recognised qualifications; Higher National Diplomas (HNDs), Foundation Degrees. Subject to interview.

LEVEL 6
Entry requirements: Successful completion of a Level 5 qualification or related industry experience. Recognised qualifications; Bachelor’s Degree. Subject to interview.

STEP BY STEP, YOU CAN GET THERE!
AT SWC WE OFFER A LARGE RANGE OF COURSES WHICH ARE FULLY RECOGNISED BY EMPLOYERS AND UNIVERSITIES. THERE ARE MANY DIFFERENT PATHWAYS AND PROGRESSION ROUTES WHICH ALLOW FOR FURTHER STUDY OR EMPLOYMENT.

ENTRY LEVEL
A suite of programmes to develop your personal, social development, living skills and employability skills. These programmes are designed for those with learning barriers and special skills needs.

LEVEL 1
(Certificate and Award, NVQ, Skills for your Life, Skills for Work)
Level 1 courses are for those students who have few qualifications but who are looking to develop their professional and employability skills. These courses are ideal if you have special educational needs or have experienced barriers to education or employment. They will give you a good foundation of skills which you can build upon to progress to Level 2.

LEVEL 2
(First Diploma, Certificate, Skills for Work, Apprenticeship)
A Level 2 qualification gives you good knowledge, understanding and practical skills of a range of subjects. You will have the ability to perform a variety of tasks with some guidance or supervision. Success at Level 2 will enhance your ability to progress to employment or to further study at Level 3. A Level 2 Apprenticeship will equip you with foundation level knowledge and skills for employment within your industry sector.
ACCREDITATION OF PRIOR EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING (APEL)

SWC operates an Accreditation of Prior Experiential Learning (APEL) process to acknowledge unaccredited learning experiences. APEL is a process through which the learning students have gained from experience can be counted. This process relates to prior learning which has been gained by students that has not already been formally assessed. This includes prior learning gained through community-based learning, workplace learning and training, continuing professional development and independent learning.

APEL can help students to:
• Get a place on an appropriate Foundation Degree. If you don’t have the normal entry qualifications but can demonstrate that you have the necessary knowledge, skills and understanding.
• Gain credit towards modules of a Foundation Degree to shorten the normal period of learning.

Who is APEL for?
• Individuals in the workplace looking for recognised credit for entry to an academic programme at higher education level.
• Learners who may have exited a Higher Education programme prior to completion or the receipt of credit and who wish to count that learning towards another award.

For further information:
Contact the relevant Course Coordinator outlined in this prospectus or Liam Curran, HE Co-ordinator. E: liam.curran@swc.ac.uk

LEVEL 3
(Subsidiary Diploma, 90-credit Diploma, Diploma top up, Extended Diploma top up, Apprenticeship)
A Level 3 qualification gives you the ability to gain or apply a range of knowledge, skills and understanding, at a detailed level. Level 3 Diplomas can help you progress to employment or to Higher Education courses at Level 4 or Level 5 programmes either at SWC or University. A Level 3 Apprenticeship will equip you with the knowledge and skills within your employment sector.

LEVEL 4
(Higher Level Certificate, Higher Level Apprenticeship)
These are popular with students who are already in employment as they enable you to put the skills you learn into practice within your current job. You can study at Level 4 and then progress to further study at Level 5.

LEVEL 5
(Foundation Degree, Higher Level Diploma, Higher Level Apprenticeship)
These qualifications combine academic study with work-based learning. They are designed to equip you for a particular area of work, as well as giving you advanced technical and managerial skills, problem solving techniques and knowledge for your chosen career.

LEVEL 6
(Degree)
This qualification helps you develop advanced understanding of professional and technical areas. A Degree will help you develop your analytical, intellectual and report writing skills. You will also develop leadership and management skills.

AccessNI
Some of our courses, particularly those in relation to Health Care and Early Years require an AccessNI Criminal Record Check. This will disclose any criminal records or cautions that you may have and ensure that you are safe to work with the general public. There is a cost of £33 associated with this and it will be your responsibility to pay for this check, in order to enrol on the course.
ADMINISTRATION, BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT COURSES

OCR Level 2 Diploma in Administration (Business Professional) 50
Pearson BTEC Level 3 90 Credit Diploma in Business 52
Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Business 54
OCR Level 3 Diploma in Administration (Business Professional) 56
OCR LEVEL 2 DIPLOMA IN ADMINISTRATION (BUSINESS PROFESSIONAL)

Course Code: 50061252
Session Code: TBA
Awarding Body: OCR (Oxford, Cambridge & RSA)
Campus Location: Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh
Level: 2
No. Years: 1
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Campus (during term time)
Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time)
Dungannon - Kate McCaul
Kathryn.McCaul@swc.ac.uk
Enniskillen - Clare Donohoe
Clare.Donohoe@swc.ac.uk
Omagh - Kieran McGuigan
Kieran.McGuigan@swc.ac.uk
Contact (during non-term time)
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus 028 8225 0109

Course Description
This course develops your understanding of administrative functions and activities.
You’ll explore and carry out a range of administrative tasks, learning practical modern methods relevant to the work context. This course is flexible: you can choose the units that best fit your needs and level of achievement.

What you will learn
You’ll learn a range of skills that focus on modern-administrative functions.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Working in Administration
• Written Business Communication.
Plus optional units in addition to the above.
Course Content Optional Units
Examples of optional units include:
• Making and Receiving Calls
• Welcoming Visitors
• Career Planning in Administration
• Communicating with Customers
• Teamwork in Administration
• Financial Transactions
• Organising Business Travel and Accommodation
• Organising Meetings and Handling Diary Systems

Additional Information
Additional complementary courses may include:
• Word Processing
• Sage Accounting
• Digital/Social Media Marketing

Entry Requirements
There are no formal entry requirements for this course, however, a reasonable standard of written and spoken English is required. Word processing experience is desirable but not essential.

Assessment Methods
All units will involve course work, but your own needs and learning preferences will be taken into consideration.

Word Processing and Sage Accounting skills will be assessed through externally set and marked exams.

Progression
You can progress to a Level 3 Award, Certificate or Diploma programme, typically in Administration.

Future public or private sector employment and career pathways include:
• Administrative Assistant
• Receptionist
• Sales Representative
• Telesales Operator

This qualification provides evidence of achievement of a range of practical skills as well as of underpinning knowledge and understanding of administration.

THIS COURSE IS FLEXIBLE: YOU CAN CHOOSE THE UNITS THAT BEST FIT YOUR NEEDS AND LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT.
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3
90 CREDIT DIPLOMA
IN BUSINESS

Course Description
This is a one year course equivalent to 1.5 A Levels, which allows you to gain additional UCAS points.

What you will learn
You'll study technical and theoretical units in areas including:
- marketing
- finance law
- e-business
- human resources management
- retail

Learning is enhanced by real life projects, industry visits, work placement and expert lecturers. You’ll also experience the international dimension of business and have the opportunity to participate in European project work.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
- The Business Environment
- Business Resources
- Introduction to Marketing
- Business Communication

Course Content
Optional Units
Optional units include:
- Business Accounting
- Creative Product Promotion
- Developing Teams in Business
- Business Project Management
- Visual Merchandising

Additional Information
This course offers additional qualifications in areas such as:
- Leadership and Team Skills
- Social Media

Entry Requirements
The minimum requirement for entry is 4 GCSEs, grade “C” or above. Entry requirements may be enhanced subject to demand. Students who do not possess a Grade “C” in English, Maths and ICT will be required to complete essential skills qualifications in these subject areas.

Assessment Methods
The course is assessed through assignments, presentations, and project-based coursework. There are no formal examinations.
Each module will be awarded a specific Grade with an overall summative Grade on completion. This final Grade attracts UCAS points in the same way as A Levels.

Progression
This course can lead on to the BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Business, or when combined with other qualifications, it can lead to Higher Education courses such as:
- Business Studies
- Business Management
- Accounts
- Marketing
- Financial Services
- Human Resources
- Administration

THIS COURSE WILL PROVIDE YOU WITH KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND UNDERSTANDING TO HELP SECURE EMPLOYMENT IN THE BUSINESS SECTOR OR PROGRESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION.
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3 EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN BUSINESS

Course Description
This is a one year course equivalent to 1.5 A-levels which is designed to allow students to gain additional UCAS points.

What you will learn
You’ll study technical and theoretical units in areas including:
• marketing
• finance law
• e-business
• human resources management
• retail
Learning is enhanced by real life projects, industry visits, work placement and expert lecturers. You’ll also experience the international dimension of business and have the opportunity to participate in European project work.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• The Business Environment
• Business Resources
• Introduction to Marketing
• Business Communication

Optional Units
Optional units include:
• Business Accounting
• Business Project Management

Internet Marketing in Business
Work Experience
Employment Law

Additional Information
This course offers additional qualifications in areas such as:
• Financial Trading
• Leadership and Team Skills
• Enterprise and Entrepreneurship
• Social Media

Entry Requirements
The minimum entry requirement is 4 GCSEs, grade "C" or above. Entry requirements may be enhanced subject to demand. Students who do not possess a Grade "C" in English, Maths and ICT will be required to complete essential skills qualifications in these subject areas.

Assessment Methods
The course is assessed through assignments, presentations, and project-based coursework. There are no formal examinations.

Each module will be awarded a specific Grade with an overall summative Grade on completion.
This final Grade attracts UCAS points in the same way as A Levels.

Progression
On successful completion, you can go into employment or start your own business. You can also progress to Higher Education including the following courses at the South West College:
• Foundation Degree in Business Services Management (validated by Ulster University)
• Foundation Degree in Financial Services (validated by Ulster University)
• Higher Level Apprenticeship in Accounting

ON SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION, YOU CAN GO INTO EMPLOYMENT OR START YOUR OWN BUSINESS. YOU CAN ALSO PROGRESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION
# OCR LEVEL 3 DIPLOMA IN ADMINISTRATION (BUSINESS PROFESSIONAL)

## Course Description
This course develops your understanding of complex administrative functions and activities in a modern work context. You’ll learn how to perform a range of non-routine administrative tasks in a senior or supervisory role.

This course is flexible: you can choose the units that best fit your needs and level of achievement.

### What you will learn
You’ll learn a range of skills that support modern administrative functions at a senior or supervisory level.

### Course Content

#### Mandatory Units
- Producing Complex Business Documents
- Understanding Functions and Roles within Business Organisations

#### Optional Units
Examples of optional units include:
- Supporting Recruitment and Selection Procedures
- Verbal Communication in Business
- Organising a Business Event

### Entry Requirements
Learners should have completed the OCR Level 2 Diploma in Administration (Business Professional). Entry is subject to a successful interview. A reasonable standard of written and spoken English is required. Word processing experience is desirable but not essential. Minimum of six points at GCSE level. This criterion may increase subject to demand on places. Students will be required to purchase a uniform and kit that is available from the College upon commencement of the programme.

### Assessment Methods
All units will involve coursework, but your own needs and learning preferences will be taken into consideration. Word Processing and Sage Accounting skills will be assessed through externally set and marked exams.

### Progression
Once you complete this course, you can progress to further learning such as the Level 4 Award/Certificate/Diploma in Administration or related areas. This qualification is evidence of substantial practical skills and understanding of modern administration, so you’ll be ideally placed to seek employment in an administrative role.

### Additional Information
This is a one year course if you’ve already achieved the OCR Level 2 Diploma in Administration (Business Professional). If you don’t have Level 2, it will take two years.

## Course Code
5806485X

## Session Code
TBA

## Awarding Body
OCR (Oxford, Cambridge & RSA)

## Campus Location
- Dungannon
- Enniskillen
- Omagh

## Level
3

## No. Years
1

## Interview Required
Yes

## Contact Campus (during term time)
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- Enniskillen: Clare Donohoe, Clare.Donohoe@swc.ac.uk
- Omagh: Kieran McGuigan, Kieran.McGuigan@swc.ac.uk

## Contact (during non-term time)
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus: www.swc.ac.uk/contactus 028 8225 0109

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3

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## Interview Required:
Yes

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## You’ll learn a range of skills that support modern administrative functions at a senior or supervisory level.
ART, DESIGN AND CREATIVE COURSES

Pearson BTEC Level 3 90 Credit Diploma in Art and Design 60
Level 3/4 Foundation Diploma in Art and Design 62
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3
90 CREDIT DIPLOMA IN ART AND DESIGN

Course Description
If you have committed your career to Art and Design then this course will provide you with the creative experience you've been looking for. This course will engage, inspire and challenge students, equipping them with the knowledge and skills to experiment, invent and create their own works of art and design. Through hands on projects, students will be able to think critically and develop a rigorous understanding of art and design while using state of the art technology and methods.

You will have the chance to explore a range of areas including: Drawing, Painting, Photography, 2D / 3D Design, Design & Communication, Textiles, Fashion, Graphics, Fine Art, Design Crafts and History of Art. The course is assessed entirely through coursework, you will work in specialist Art and Design facilities in our studios and the IDEA Centre/Image Centre.

You will undertake a number of cultural visits to galleries, craft exhibitions in addition to attending workshops with visiting artists which may incur additional costs.

What you will learn
Approximately 6 projects from a range including; printmaking, drawing and painting, ceramics, graphics, photography, product/interior design, packaging, sculpture, fashion and textiles.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Visual Recording in Art and Design
• Materials, Techniques, and Processes in Art and Design
• Ideas and Concepts in Art and Design
• Communication Through Art and Design
• Contextual Influences in Art and Design

Optional Units
The optional units are wide ranging and will allow students to explore a range of areas such as Drawing, Painting, Photography, 2D / 3D Design, History of Art, Product Design, Installation Art, Textiles, Fashion, Graphics, Fine Art, Digital Art and Design Crafts.

Additional Information
The Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Art and Design offers a vibrant, creative environment for students to experiment and develop their skills as independent learners, using state of the art technologies.

Entry Requirements
Level 2 Diploma or 4 GCSE passes at Grade C (including Art) or above (or equivalent). GCSE Maths and English at Grade C or above or equivalent e.g. Essential Skills. You will be required to complete Essential Skills in Literacy, Numeracy, or ICT if you do not have a GCSE Grade C in English, Maths or Computing.

Assessment Methods
The course is assessed entirely through coursework.

Projects will offer opportunities to achieve Pass, Merit and Distinction with a final grade giving UCAS points in the same way as A Levels.

Progression
This course has a track record of progressing students to a range of Higher Education courses such as Foundation Degrees or Honours Degrees. It is also possible to progress directly into employment as an Artist, Graphic Designer, or in some cases to self-employment, using the skills learned.

You will complete the course with a comprehensive portfolio of work to support your application at Art College or University. Level 3 courses are valued by employers, as successful students possess practical experience and a qualification equivalent to 3 ‘A’ Levels.

YOU WILL UNDERTAKE A NUMBER OF CULTURAL VISITS TO GALLERIES, CRAFT EXHIBITIONS IN ADDITION TO ATTENDING WORKSHOPS WITH VISITING ARTISTS WHICH MAY INCUR ADDITIONAL COSTS.
LEVEL 3/4 FOUNDATION DIPLOMA IN ART AND DESIGN

**Course Description**

This course is constructed to enable the student to explore a range of study disciplines through a practical and diagnostic experience in art and design. It assists students to develop an individual and confident perception of their specialist area of study prior to application to Ba Hons degree & HE courses or employment.

In semester two, students choose an area to specialise, which is continued through to their Final Major Project.

All students are given the opportunity to exhibit their work publically when they showcase their final work.

### What you will learn

In Semester one, the units you complete will address some of the fundamentals of theory and practice relating to 2D and 3D skills.

Subjects studied include drawing, painting, ceramics, textiles, graphics, printing, 3D Design, History of Art and careers progressions.

### Course Content

#### Mandatory Units

- Researching, recording and responding in Art & Design (Exploratory Stage)
- Media Experimentation in Art & Design (Exploratory Stage)
- Preparation and Progression in Art & Design (Pathway Stage)
- Information and Interpretation in Art & Design (Pathway Stage)
- Personal Experimental

Studies in Art & Design

- Final Major Project in Art & Design (Confirmatory Stage)
- Extended Media Development in Art & Design (Pathway Stage)
- Extended National Diploma in Art & Design or equivalent

### Entry Requirements

- 1 A level with 4 GCSE grades A-C
- Extended National Diploma in Art & Design or equivalent
- Mature students need a portfolio of art work or be able to show a skills and interest in Art & Design

An interview is required in which you should bring along a portfolio of selected work with examples of drawing skills, research and ideas sheets, experimentation with a variety of medium as well as finished pieces of recent work.

### Assessment Methods

Lectures, seminars, workshops, studio critiques which address practical aspects of project work, are part of the teaching and learning experience.

Each student has a personal tutor who maintains an overview of a student’s progress on the course, which is discussed through one to one tutorial sessions.

### Progression

This is an intensive course of full time study, which provides students with the fundamentals from which to progress onto a degree course or a career in Art and Design.

Previous students have progressed onto Higher Education – Ba Hons. courses in the following areas e.g. fine art - painting, graphic design, textiles, fashion, interior design, set/costume design, ceramics, jewellery, 3D design, illustration, theatre design/ make-up/prosthetics, history of art.

### Additional Information

This course not only prepares you for further study but also has the added benefit of being FREE. It carries 80 - 112 UCAS tariff points and will not restrict you to one university choice.

Subjects studied include drawing, painting, ceramics, textiles, graphics, printing, 3D design and history of art.
BARBERING COURSES
City & Guilds NVQ
Level 2 Diploma in Barbering 64
City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Barbering 68
CITY & GUILDS
NVQ LEVEL 2 DIPLOMA
IN BARBERING

Course Description
This one-year course covers the skills and knowledge required for work in the Barbering Industry. You'll incorporate your studies with work placement to understand the rigours of running a barbering business.

Work placement is an integral part of the course.

What you will learn
The course combines a large proportion of practical learning with relevant theory components. You’ll gain practical skills in shampooing and conditioning, blow-drying, colouring, cutting, detailing and grooming facial hair.

You’ll also gain knowledge on relevant health and safety, consultation and effective working practice skills. These are all important to ensure you are ready to work in the barbering industry.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Colour and Lighten Hair
• Advise and Consult with Clients
• Shampoo, Condition and Treat Hair and Scalp
• Develop and Maintain your Effectiveness at Work
• Cut Men’s Hair using Basic Techniques

Additional Information
The College will help you gain additional qualifications throughout the year, as well as engage with industry experts and participate in workshops relevant to the industry.

You’ll also have the opportunity to gain qualifications in Numeracy, Literacy and ICT if needed.

Students will be required to purchase a uniform and kit at the start of the programme.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades D to G or successful completion of a Level 1 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

Assessment Methods
Qualifications are assessed through practical observation, online theory tests and written tasks.

Progression
This qualification can lead to employment in the barbering industry and progression to a Level 3 Diploma Barbering.

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CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 3 DIPLOMA IN BARBERING

Course Code : 60156983
Session Code : BDP1A / BOP1A
Awarding Body : City & Guilds
Campus Location : Dungannon Omagh
Level : 3
No. Years : 1
Interview Required : No
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Omagh - Sinead McElhone Sinead.McElhone@swc.ac.uk
Contact (during non-term time) : The Admissions Office at your relevant campus: www.swc.ac.uk/contactus 028 8225 0109

Course Description
The NVQ Level 3 Diploma in Barbering is a technical level qualification that provides you with the knowledge, understanding and skills to work as an employed and/or self-employed barber able to work on hair combining a variety of different technical skills. The college would recommend a work placement to assist with the development of skills.

What you will learn
The course combines a large proportion of practical learning with relevant theory components. You will gain practical skills in creative cutting, shaving, scalp and hair treatments. The course will also give you knowledge on relevant marketing and business management. These are all important to ensure you are ready to work in the barbering industry.

Course Content
Mandatory Units include:
- Provide Client Consultation Services
- Creatively Cut Hair using a Combination of Barbering Techniques
- Design and Create a range of Facial Hair Shapes
- Provide Shaving Services
- Provide Specialist Hair and Scalp Treatments
- Contribute to Financial Effectiveness of the Business

Additional Information
Students will be required to purchase a uniform and kit upon commencement of the programme.

Entry Requirements
Students must have a current Level 2 Diploma in Hairdressing/Barbering or equivalent.

Assessment Methods
A combination of practical observations and on-line theory tests are used to assess this qualification.

Progression
Career opportunities exist in a variety of contexts, including commercial barbershops/salons, employed or self-employed, product manufacturing and training and Cruise liners. There are further learning opportunities available which include VTCT Level 4 Award in Creative Male Grooming, Level 4 Certificate in Salon Management, Level 4 Diploma in Salon Management etc.

THE COLLEGE WOULD RECOMMEND A WORK PLACEMENT TO ASSIST WITH THE DEVELOPMENT OF SKILLS.
BEAUTY THERAPY COURSES
City & Guilds Level 1 VRQ Diploma in Hairdressing and Beauty Therapy 72
City & Guilds Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Beauty Therapy 74
City & Guilds Level 2 Technical Certificate in Beauty Therapy 76
City & Guilds Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Hairdressing and Media Make-up 78
City & Guilds Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Beauty Therapy 80
City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Hairdressing and Media Make-up 82
**CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 1 VRQ DIPLOMA IN HAIRDRESSING AND BEAUTY THERAPY**

**Course Description**
This course provides hair and beauty skills, techniques and knowledge to help you progress to the next level of vocational learning in the hair and beauty sector.

**What you will learn**
The course combines a large proportion of practical learning with relevant theory components. You'll gain practical skills for the hair and beauty sector, as well as knowledge on relevant health and safety, consultation and effective working practices at a basic level.

**Course Content**
**Mandatory Units**
Mandatory units include:
- Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector
- Following Health and Safety in the Salon
- Working for Others
- Applying Basic Make-up
- Skin Care
- The Art of Photographic Make-up
- Providing Basic Manicure Treatment
- Nail Art
- Presenting a Professional Image in a Salon
- Create a Hair and Beauty Image
- The Art of Dressing Hair
- The Art of Colouring Hair

**Additional Information**
The College will also help you gain additional qualifications throughout the year, as well as engage with industry experts and participate in workshops relevant to the industry.
You’ll also have the opportunity to gain qualifications in Numeracy, Literacy and ICT if needed.

Students will be required to purchase a uniform and kit at the start of the programme.

**Entry Requirements**
No formal qualifications required. Please ask for advice and guidance from individual Course Co-ordinators prior to application.

**Assessment Methods**
Qualifications are assessed through practical observation, online theory tests and written tasks.

**Progression**
This qualification will prepare you for further study at Level 2 and you may choose to develop your skills in a specialist pathway.

**THIS QUALIFICATION WILL PREPARE YOU FOR FURTHER STUDY AT LEVEL 2 AND YOU MAY CHOOSE TO DEVELOP YOUR SKILLS IN A SPECIALIST PATHWAY.**
CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 2 NVQ DIPLOMA IN BEAUTY THERAPY

Course Code: 50087654
Session Code: TBA
Awarding Body: City & Guilds
Campus Location: Dungannon, Enniskillen, Omagh
Level: 2
No. Years: 1
Interview Required: Yes
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Omagh - Leah Quinn
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Contact (during non-term time):
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus:
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Course Description
If you’re interested in a career in the beauty therapy industry, this is the course for you. You’ll be trained in a realistic working environment in the college’s state-of-the-art salons. You’ll experience the normal day-to-day running of a beauty salon and will engage with customers and potential employers. This course will get you ready to begin an exciting journey within the beauty industry or follow other pathways.

What you will learn
The course combines a large proportion of practical learning with relevant science and business units. You’ll gain practical skills in facials, make-up, manicure, pedicure, waxing, lash and brow treatments. The course will also give you knowledge of relevant health and safety, promotion of products and services as well as reception skills. These are all important to ensure you’re ready to work in the beauty industry.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Ensure Responsibility for Actions to Reduce Risks to Health and Safety

Additional Information
The College will also help you gain additional qualifications throughout the year, as well as engage with industry experts and participate in workshops relevant to the industry.

• Promote Additional Products or Services to Clients
• Fulfil Salon Reception Duties
• Develop and Maintain Your Effectiveness at Work
• Provide Facial Skincare Treatment
• Enhance the Appearance of Eyebrows and Lashes
• Carry out Waxing Services
• Provide Make-up Services
• Provide Manicure Services
• Provide Pedicure Services

Assessment Methods
Qualifications are assessed through practical observation and online theory tests.

Progression
When you complete this course, you’ll be eligible to enter employment in Beauty Salons or the Cosmetic Industry. Or you can progress onto the NVQ Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy, Holistic Therapy Programmes or Hair and Media Make-up.

YOU’LL BE TRAINED IN A REALISTIC WORKING ENVIRONMENT IN THE COLLEGE’S STATE-OF-THE-ART SALONS. YOU’LL EXPERIENCE THE NORMAL DAY-TO-DAY RUNNING OF A BEAUTY SALON AND WILL ENGAGE WITH CUSTOMERS AND POTENTIAL EMPLOYERS.
CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 2 TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE IN BEAUTY THERAPY

Course Description
This City & Guilds Level 2 Technical Certificate in Beauty Therapy aims to provide you with a range of essential technical and practical skills and knowledge, which will equip you to seek employment or further training within the beauty industry. These skills include carrying out treatments such as: manicure, pedicure, hair removal, facial treatments, lash and brow treatments, application of make-up and light cured gel polish. These are all important to ensure you are ready to work in the beauty industry.

What you will learn
You will gain practical skills in manicure, pedicure, hair removal, facial treatments, lash and brow treatments, application of make-up and light cured gel polish. These are all important to ensure you are ready to work in the beauty industry.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Anatomy & Physiology
• Principles of Practice for Beauty Therapy
• Hair Removal Treatments
• Facial & Skin Analysis
• Manicure Treatments

Entry Requirements
Requirements for this course include 4 GCSEs grades A-D to include English and a Science related subject, and a passion of for all aspects of Beauty Therapy and the ability to study independently to enhance the learner’s knowledge and skill. Places are subject to individual interview due to the nature of this course. All applicants must attend a pre-entry guidance session. This criterion may increase subject to demand for places.

Assessment Methods
To gain this qualification, candidates must successfully achieve the following assessments: one externally set, externally moderated assignment; one externally set, externally marked exam, sat under examination conditions. Optional unit assessments as required. This qualification allows achievement at pass, merit, distinction or distinction*.

Progression
On completion of this course students will be eligible to enter into employment in Beauty Salons or the Cosmetic Industry. Alternatively, they may wish to further their studies by progressing onto the Level 3 qualification in Beauty Therapy, Holistic Therapy programmes or Hair and Media Make-up.

YOU WILL GAIN PRACTICAL SKILLS IN MANICURE, PEDICURE, HAIR REMOVAL, FACIAL TREATMENTS, LASH AND BROW TREATMENTS, APPLICATION OF MAKE-UP AND LIGHT CURED GEL POLISH.
CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 2 DIPLOMA IN HAIRDRESSING & MEDIA MAKE-UP

Course Code : 50088452
Session Code : TBA
Awarding Body : City & Guilds
Campus Location : Dungannon
Level : 2
No. Years : 1
Interview Required : Yes
Contact Campus (during term time) : Dungannon
Contact : Tanya Purvis
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Contact (during non-term time) : The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
Contact : 028 8225 0109

Course Description
This course is for you if you’re interested in a career in the hairdressing, fashion, theatrical and media make-up industry. You’ll experience the realistic work environment and develop relevant skills for progression within this fast-moving industry. The course will also involve sessions outside the normal timetabled day to ensure the requirements of the qualifications are met.

What you will learn
The course combines a large proportion of practical learning with relevant theory components. You’ll gain practical skills for the hair and media make-up industry, as well as knowledge on relevant health and safety, eyelash and eyebrow treatments, tanning, make-up, photographic and body art, plus skills in styling, dressing and colouring hair. As part of the course, you’ll also be expected to make and style a hair piece.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Working in Beauty Related Industries
• Following Health and Safety Practice in the Salon
• Client Care and Communication in Beauty-related Industry
• Apply Make-up
• Provide Eyelash and Eyebrow treatment
• Create an Image Based on a Theme Within the Hair and Beauty Sector
• The Art of Photographic Make-up
• Body Art Design
• Apply Skin Tanning Techniques
• The Art of Colouring Hair
• The Art of Dressing Hair
• Make and Style a Hair Addition

Additional Information
The College will also help you gain additional qualifications throughout the year, as well as engage with industry experts and participate in workshops relevant to the industry. You’ll also have the opportunity to gain qualifications in Numeracy, Literacy and ICT if needed.

Students will be required to purchase a uniform and kit at the start of the programme.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades D to G or successful completion of a Level 1 related qualification. Equivalent to 4 GCSEs. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

A creative and artistic flair is essential and you’ll have to demonstrate this at interview.

Assessment Methods
Qualifications are assessed through practical observation, online assessments and written tasks.

Progression
On completion of this course you’ll be eligible to progress to a Level 3 Diploma in Hair and Media Make-up.

THIS COURSE IS FOR YOU IF YOU’RE INTERESTED IN A CAREER IN THE HAIRDRESSING, FASHION, THEATRICAL AND MEDIA MAKE-UP INDUSTRY.
CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 3 NVQ DIPLOMA IN BEAUTY THERAPY

Course Code : 50087617
Session Code : TBA
Awarding Body : City & Guilds
Campus Location : Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh
Level : 3
No. Years : 1
Interview Required : Yes
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Contact (during non-term time)
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
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Course Description
This course is for you if you’re interested in advanced techniques in the beauty therapy industry.
You’ll be trained in a realistic working environment in the college’s state-of-the-art salons. You’ll experience the normal day-to-day running of a beauty salon and will engage with customers and potential employers. This course will get you ready to begin an exciting journey within the beauty industry or follow other pathways.

What you will learn
The course combines a large proportion of practical learning with relevant science and business units.
You’ll gain practical skills in advanced facial and body electrical treatment, full body massage and electrical epilation. The course will also give you knowledge on the monitoring processes required for health and safety. The planning and implementation of promotional activities is another mandatory component of this course. These are all essential to prepare you for working in the beauty industry in a supervisory capacity.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Monitor procedures to safely control work operations
• Contribute to the planning and implementations of promotional activities

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths, or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.
Entry is subject to a successful interview.

Assessment Methods
Qualifications are assessed through practical observation and online theory tests.

Progression
Once you successfully complete the NVQ Level 3 in Beauty Therapy, you can progress to a range of industry-relevant courses including Complimentary Therapies or the Level 5 HND Hair and Beauty Management.
You’ll also be eligible to enter employment in Beauty Salons or the Cosmetic or Spa Industries.

ONCE YOU SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE THE NVQ LEVEL 3 IN BEAUTY THERAPY, YOU CAN PROGRESS TO A RANGE OF INDUSTRY-RELEVANT COURSES INCLUDING COMPLIMENTARY THERAPIES OR THE LEVEL 5 HND HAIR AND BEAUTY MANAGEMENT.
CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 3 DIPLOMA IN HAIRDRESSING AND MEDIA MAKE-UP

Course Code: 5209001X
Session Code: BEF1A
Awarding Body: City & Guilds
Campus Location: Enniskillen
Level: 3
No. Years: 1
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Campus (during term time): Enniskillen
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time): Jayne Daley
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Contact (during non-term time): The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
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Course Description
This course is for you if you’re interested in a career in the fashion, theatrical and media hairdressing, make-up industry. You’ll experience the realistic work environment and develop relevant skills for progression within this fast-moving industry. The course will also involve sessions outside the normal timetabled day to ensure the requirements of the qualifications are met.

What you will learn
The course combines a large proportion of practical learning with relevant theory components. You’ll gain practical skills for the hair and media make-up industry, as well as knowledge on relevant health and safety, eyelash and eyebrow treatments, tanning, make-up, photographic and body art, plus skills in styling, dressing and colouring hair. As part of the course, you’ll also be expected to make and style a hair piece.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Working with Colleagues Within the Beauty-related Industries
• Monitor and Maintain Health and Safety Practice in the Salon

Additional Information
The College also will help you gain additional qualifications throughout the year, as well as engage with industry experts and participate in workshops relevant to the industry.

YOU’LL GAIN PRACTICAL SKILLS FOR THE HAIR AND MEDIA MAKE-UP INDUSTRY, AS WELL AS KNOWLEDGE ON RELEVANT HEALTH AND SAFETY, EYELASH AND EYEBROW TREATMENTS, TANNING, MAKE-UP, PHOTOGRAPHIC AND BODY ART.

• Creative Hairdressing Design Skills
• Fashion and Photographic Make-up
• Apply Airbrush Make-up to the Face
• Camouflage Make-up
• Apply Individual Permanent Lashes
• Media Make-up
• Style and Dress Hair Using a Variety of Techniques

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths, or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

You’ll also be asked to demonstrate artistic flair during the interview process.

Assessment Methods
Qualifications are assessed through practical observation, online assessments and written tasks.

Progression
On completion of this course you’ll be eligible to progress onto specialisms in Theatrical and Special Effects, Foundation Degree in Media Make-up, Special Effects Make-up and Hair Design, or employment.
BUILT ENVIRONMENT COURSES

Pearson First Extended Certificate in Construction and the Built Environment 86
Pearson BTEC Level 3 90 Credit Diploma in Construction 88
Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Construction (Civil Engineering) 90
PEARSON FIRST EXTENDED CERTIFICATE IN CONSTRUCTION AND THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT

Course Code : 60102585
Session Code : TBA
Awarding Body : Pearson
Campus Location : Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh
Level : 1/2
No. Years : 1
Interview Required : Yes
Contact Campus (during term time) Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time) Dungannon - Vanessa Cobane Vanessa.Cobane@swc.ac.uk
Enniskillen - Trevor Mills Trevor.Mills@swc.ac.uk
Omagh - Patricia McElduff Patricia.McElduff@swc.ac.uk
Contact (during non-term time) The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus 028 8225 0109

Course Description
This course will give you an engaging and stimulating introduction to the construction industry and help you to progress to Level 3 and into employment.

What you will learn
You'll take responsibility for your own learning and develop skills that are essential for today's workplace. These skills include team working, working from a prescribed brief, working to deadlines, presenting information effectively and accurately, and completing administrative tasks and processes.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
- Construction Technology
- Construction and Design
- Scientific and Mathematical Applications for Construction
- Sustainability in Construction

Optional Units
Optional units include:
- Exploring Brickwork and Blockwork Principles and Techniques
- Exploring Plumbing Principles and Techniques
- Exploring Carpentry and Joinery Principles and Techniques
- Exploring Plumbing Principles and Techniques

Additional Information
Practical work such as construction drawing and workshops are incorporated into the course to develop your potential.
You'll also have the opportunity to complete GCSE Maths and English and/or Essential Skills qualifications.

Entry Requirements
GCSEs at Grade D-G/3-1, or at the discretion of the course tutor.
English and/or Mathematics will be included in your timetable if you don't have GCSE at Grade A*-C in these subjects

Assessment Methods
The course includes two externally assessed units and the remaining units are internally assessed.

Progression
From here, you can progress to the BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Construction or to NVQ Plumbing or Electrical Installation.

THIS COURSE WILL GIVE YOU AN ENGAGING AND STIMULATING INTRODUCTION TO THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY AND HELP YOU TO PROGRESS TO LEVEL 3 AND INTO EMPLOYMENT.
Course Code: 60110958
Session Code: TBA
Awarding Body: Pearson
Campus Location: Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh
Level: 3
No. Years: 1
Interview Required: Yes
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Enniskillen - Paul Allen
Omagh - Robert Graham
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time):
Dungannon - Vanessa Cobane
Enniskillen - Paul Allen
Omagh - Robert Graham
Contact (during non-term time):
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus:
www.swc.ac.uk/Contactus
028 8225 0109

Course Description
This course will develop your skills and deepen your understanding of construction/civil engineering, and prepare you to either progress to Higher Education in the field, or enter the industry directly. The practical nature of the course helps develop your expertise in the area of construction/civil engineering through hands-on experience, case studies and projects using the latest industry-standard software and technologies.

What you will learn
The course is suitable for school leavers wishing to progress to an Extended Diploma, university or undertake a Foundation Degree at SWC, or those who've been in industry (perhaps coming from a trade background) who wish to progress their career often complete this course. Traditionally the course is undertaken full-time, 3 - 4 days per week, giving students the opportunity to work part-time.

During the course, students can undertake additional qualifications to support their main programme of study, for example, 2D AutoCAD. Regular visits to construction sites help contextualise learning and guest speakers from disciplines across the industry also regularly deliver lectures on specialised topics.

All learners will be given the chance to undertake a short work placement in the construction/civil engineering industry.

**Course Content**
**Mandatory Units**
Mandatory modules include:
- Health, Safety and Welfare in Construction and the Built Environment
- Sustainable Construction
- Mathematics in Construction and the Built Environment
- Science and Materials in Construction and the Built Environment
- The course also includes CSR training and Level 2 2D Computer Aided Design.

**Course Content**
**Optional Units**
Optional modules include:
- Building Technology in Construction
- Project Management in Construction and the Built Environment
- Graphical Detailing in Construction and the Built Environment
- Measuring, Estimating and Tending Processes in Construction and the Built Environment
- Conversion and Adaptation of Buildings
- Principals and Applications of Management Techniques in the Construction Industry
- Tendering and Estimating in Construction
- Structural Behaviour and Design for Construction
- Building Regulations and Control in Construction
- Property Law in Construction
- Property Valuation in Construction
- Further Mathematics in Construction and Civil Engineering
- Construction in Civil Engineering
- Topographic Surveying in Construction
- Digital Technologies in Construction and Civil Engineering
- Measuring, Estimating and Tending Processes in Construction and Civil Engineering

**Assessment Methods**
As a practically focused, vocational course, assessment is carried out through projects and coursework assignments which are graded Pass, Merit or Distinction.

**Progression**
Learners may progress to an Extended Diploma in Construction, or there is the possibility of progress on to Higher Education courses such as a Foundation Degree in, for example, Construction Engineering and Management, Civil Engineering, Architectural Engineering and many other related programmes. You could also progress directly into employment, or in some cases self-employment.

**Entry Requirements**
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths (please check individual course details), or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

Entry is subject to a successful interview.
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3 EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN CONSTRUCTION (CIVIL ENGINEERING)

Course Code: 58071397
Session Code: TBA
Awarding Body: TBA
Campus Location: Dungannon
Enniskillen
Omagh
Level: 3
No. Years: 2
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Campus (during term time):
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Enniskillen
Omagh
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time):
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Omagh - Robert Graham
Robert.Graham@swc.ac.uk
Contact (during non-term time):
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus:
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028 8225 0109

Course Description:
This course will develop your skills and deepen your understanding of construction/civil engineering, and prepare you to either progress to Higher Education in the field, or enter the industry directly. The practical nature of the course helps develop your expertise in the area of construction/civil engineering through hands-on experience, case studies and projects using the latest industry-standard software and technologies.

What you will learn:
The course is suitable for school leavers wishing to progress to university or undertake a Foundation Degree at SWC. Those who have been in industry (perhaps coming from a trade background) who wish to progress their career often complete this course. Traditionally the course is undertaken full time, 3 - 4 days per week giving students the opportunity to work part-time. Students will also have the opportunity to complete Essential Skills or GCSE qualifications in Mathematics, English and ICT.

During the course, students can undertake additional qualifications to support their main programme of study, for example, 2D AutoCAD. Regular visits to construction sites help contextualise learning and guest speakers from disciplines across the industry also regularly deliver lectures on specialised topics.

All learners will be given the chance to undertake a short work placement in the construction/civil engineering industry.

Course Content:
Mandatory Units:
- Health, Safety and Welfare in Construction and the Built Environment
- Sustainable Construction
- Mathematics in Construction and the Built Environment
- Science and Materials in Construction and the Built Environment
- Surveying in Construction and Civil Engineering
- Construction Technology and Design in Construction and Civil Engineering

The course also includes CSR training and Level 2 2D Computer Aided Design.

Optional Units:
- Project Management in Construction and the Built Environment
- Graphical Detailing in Construction and the Built Environment
- Computer-Aided Drafting and Design for Construction
- Building Technology in Construction
- Measuring, Estimating and Tendering Processes in Construction and the Built Environment
- Setting Out Processes in Construction and Civil Engineering
- The Underpinning Science for the Provision of Human Comfort in Buildings
- Structural Mechanics in Construction and Civil Engineering
- Building Surveying in Construction
- Mechanical and Electrical Services in Construction
- Further Mathematics in Construction and the Built Environment

Additional Information:
You’ll develop a sound understanding of the subject area and build your transferable skills like time management and computer competency. Successful students will have the opportunity to progress to university and complete an honours degree or a foundation degree. Many past students have successfully gained employment in a range of areas within the public and private sector.

Entry Requirements:
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths (please check individual course details), or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification.

Progression:
Upon successful completion learners may progress to a range of Higher Education courses such as a Foundation Degree or Honours Degree in, for example, Construction Engineering and Management, Civil Engineering, Architectural Engineering and many other related programmes. You could also progress directly into employment, or in some cases self-employment.

Assessment Methods:
As a practically focused, vocational course, assessment is carried out through projects and coursework assignments which are graded Pass, Merit or Distinction.

Additional Information:
Degree at SWC. Those undertake a Foundation Degree (perhaps coming from a trade background) who wish to progress to university or complete an honours degree or a foundation degree. Many past students have successfully gained employment in a range of areas within the public and private sector.

Entry Requirements:
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths (please check individual course details), or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification.

Progression:
Upon successful completion learners may progress to a range of Higher Education courses such as a Foundation Degree or Honours Degree in, for example, Construction Engineering and Management, Civil Engineering, Architectural Engineering and many other related programmes. You could also progress directly into employment, or in some cases self-employment.

Assessment Methods:
As a practically focused, vocational course, assessment is carried out through projects and coursework assignments which are graded Pass, Merit or Distinction.

Additional Information:
Degree at SWC. Those undertake a Foundation Degree (perhaps coming from a trade background) who wish to progress to university or complete an honours degree or a foundation degree. Many past students have successfully gained employment in a range of areas within the public and private sector.

Entry Requirements:
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths (please check individual course details), or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification.

Progression:
Upon successful completion learners may progress to a range of Higher Education courses such as a Foundation Degree or Honours Degree in, for example, Construction Engineering and Management, Civil Engineering, Architectural Engineering and many other related programmes. You could also progress directly into employment, or in some cases self-employment.
CHILDCARE COURSES

City & Guilds Level 2 Diploma for Children's Care, Learning and Development 94
Pearson BTEC Level 2 Diploma in Children's Care, Learning and Development 96
City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma for Children's Care, Learning and Development 98
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Children's Care, Learning and Development 100
CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 2
DIPLOMA FOR CHILDREN’S
CARE, LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Course Code: 50119047
Session Code: HO1A/HDF1A
Awarding Body: City & Guilds
Campus Location: City & Guilds
Level: 2
No. Years: 1
Interview Required: Yes
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028 8225 0109

Course Description
This qualification will give you an understanding of the children and young people’s sector, and what it’s like to work in a childcare role. You’ll be fully supported by highly qualified and experienced staff who are committed to creating engaging and exciting learning environments for everyone on the programme.

Because this is a work-based programme, you’ll have the opportunity for ‘learning’ and ‘doing’.

What you will learn
You’ll experience a mix of classroom-based learning and work placement. Staff will guide you through the relevant childcare theory and give you the opportunity to develop the mandatory skills needed by employers, such as good communication and teamwork.

You’ll also have the opportunity to undertake work placements in Early Years settings, one of which will be with the 0-6 age group. This will also give you an insight into the range of different childcare pathways and employment opportunities that exist within the childcare sector.

BECAUSE THIS IS A WORK-BASED QUALIFICATION, YOU’LL BE OBSERVED WORKING WITH CHILDREN IN AN EARLY YEARS SETTING AND YOU’LL BE REQUIRED TO DEMONSTRATE YOUR COMPETENCE IN THE ROLE.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Introduction to Communication in Health, Social Care or Children’s and Young People’s Settings
• Introduction to Personal Development in Health, Social Care or Children’s and Young People’s Settings
• Introduction to Equality and Inclusion
• Understand Partnership Working in Services for Children and Young People

If you don’t have a Grade C or above in GCSE English, Maths or ICT when you join the programme, you’ll be required to undertake Essential Skills Level 2 qualifications as an integral part of this programme.

Optional Units
Optional units include:
• Support Children and Young People at Meal Times
• Contribute to the Support of Children’s Communication, Language and Literacy
• Contribute to the Support of Children’s Creative Development

Additional Information
You’ll be required to wear a college Polo Shirt while on placement. This costs around £7.

You’ll need to pay for the Access NI check which is £33.

If any course-related excursions and trips are planned, there may be some additional costs.

Entry Requirements
You need to have a minimum of 6 points at GCSE (or equivalent) and a grade D or above in GCSE English or Essential Skills Literacy and Numeracy at Level 1. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

Preference will be given to GCSE qualifications in English and Maths at Grade C or above.

An offer of a place is conditional until satisfactory completion of an Access NI criminal records check, Health Declaration and, if appropriate, a Social Services check.

Assessment Methods
Because this is a work-based qualification, you’ll be observed working with children in an early years setting and you’ll be required to demonstrate your competence in the role.

You will also be required to complete written assignments to demonstrate your knowledge.

Progression
When you complete this programme, you can apply for entry onto the Level 3 Diploma in Children’s Care, Learning and Development, or other related Level 3 programmes.

You may also have the opportunity to seek employment in the childcare sector as a Nursery Assistant or other similar job roles at an assistant level.
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 2
DIPLOMA IN CHILDREN’S CARE, LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Course Description
This course is ideal if you’re interested in working a range of childcare settings. You’ll gain the knowledge, understanding and skills needed to help you on your journey into employment in the childcare sector, or progress onto a relevant Level 3 programme. You’ll be fully supported by highly qualified and experienced staff who are committed to creating engaging and exciting learning environments for all students on the programme.

As work placement is a vital part of this programme, you’ll have the opportunity for both ‘learning’ and ‘doing’.

What you will learn
This course comprises both classroom-based learning and work placement.

Classroom-based activities will help you gain an understanding of the relevant childcare theory which can then be put into practice within a childcare setting. You’ll complete 300 hours of work placement during the course of the year.

You’ll also be encouraged to develop skills such as confidence, communication, teamwork and time management through various programme activities.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
• Keeping Children Safe

Additional Information
You’ll be required to wear a college Polo Shirt while on placement. This costs around £7.

You’ll need to pay for the Access NI check which is £33.

If any course-related excursions and trips are planned, there may be some additional costs.

Entry Requirements
You will need to have a minimum of two GCSEs at Grade C or above (or equivalent) to be considered for this programme. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application.

Assessment Methods
You’ll be assessed through written assignments, oral presentations, creating posters and leaflets, group practical activities and through being observed on work placement.

Progression
This programme gives you an excellent basis for progression onto the Level 3 Childcare or Health and Social Care programmes offered at South West College.

You’ll also be encouraged to develop skills such as confidence, communication, teamwork and time management through various programme activities.
IN THIS COURSE, YOU’LL LEARN ABOUT THE CARE, LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT OF CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 0-19 YEARS, EQUIPPING YOU WITH THE KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS TO PURSUE A REWARDING CAREER IN THE CHILDCARE SECTOR.
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3
NATIONAL DIPLOMA IN CHILDREN’S CARE, LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Course Code : 50018127
Session Code : HDF1A/HEF1A
Awarding Body : Pearson
Campus Location : Dungannon Enniskillen
Level : 3
No. Years : 2
Interview Required : Yes
Contact Campus (during term time) : Dungannon Enniskillen
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time) : Dungannon - Fey Cole Fey.Cole@swc.ac.uk
Enniskillen - Ruth Moore Ruth.Moore@swc.ac.uk
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Course Description
If you want to pursue a rewarding career working with children, this course will give you the knowledge and skills you need.

Highly qualified and experienced staff will create a positive and exciting, yet challenging learning environment and will support you fully to work to your potential.

On successful completion of this programme, you’ll achieve qualified practitioner status allowing you to work with the 0-8 age group.

This programme is the equivalent to three A Levels.

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What you will learn
You’ll experience a mix of classroom-based learning and work placement. Staff will guide you through the relevant childcare theory and help you develop the mandatory skills needed by employers, such as good communication and teamwork.

You’ll need to complete 800 hours of work placement in four different childcare settings and with four different age ranges, which will help you understand the link between the theory and practice. It will also give you an insight into the range of different childcare pathways and employment opportunities.

WITH THE QUALIFIED PRACTITIONER STATUS, YOU CAN PROGRESS STRAIGHT INTO EMPLOYMENT IN A CHILDCARE SETTING SUCH AS A PRE-SCHOOL, NURSERY, CRÈCHE OR PRIMARY SCHOOL.

Course Content

Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Promoting Children’s Development
• Safeguarding Children
• Promoting Children’s Rights
• Children’s Learning Activities and Play
• Reflecting on and Developing Practice for Children aged 0-8
• Positive Environment for Children’s Care, Learning and Development
• Positive Relationships for Children’s Care, Learning and Development

If you don’t have a Grade C or above in GCSE English, Maths or ICT when you join the programme, you’ll be required to undertake Essential Skills Level 2 qualifications as an integral part of this programme.

Course Content Optional Units
Optional units include:
• The Development and Care of Babies and Children Under 3 Years
• Promoting Well-being and Resilience in Childcare

Additional Information
You’ll be required to wear a college Polo Shirt while on placement. This costs around £7.

You’ll need to pay for the Access NI check which is £33.

If any course-related excursions and trips are planned, there may be some additional costs.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above. Preference will be given to those that have GCSE Maths and English or equivalent.

Previous experience of working with children, either through a work placement or in a voluntary capacity, will be looked upon favourably.

An offer of a place is conditional until satisfactory completion of an Access NI criminal records check, Health Declaration and, if appropriate, a Social Services check.

Assessment Methods
Assessment methods include direct observation of practice on placement, written assignments, oral presentation, the creation of posters and leaflets, oral discussions and group activities.

Progression
With the qualified practitioner status, you can progress straight into employment in a childcare setting such as a pre-school, nursery, crèche or primary school.

You could also progress to a higher level programme within South West College such as the Foundation Degree in Early Childhood Studies or the Foundation Degree in Health and Social Care. Or you can apply for entry onto a degree programme in a local or national university.
COMPUTING AND ICT COURSES

OCR Level 2 Cambridge Technical Diploma in IT 104
Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Computing 106
Pearson BTEC Level 3 90 Credit Diploma in Computing 108
Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Computing 110
OCR LEVEL 2 CAMBRIDGE TECHNICAL DIPLOMA IN IT

Course Description
This practical, work-related course is right for you if you’re interested in following a career path in IT/Computing, but you have fewer than four GCSEs at Grade C. This course is 100% coursework based and exam-free.

What you will learn
You’ll complete projects and coursework based on the latest IT technologies and creative industries, including programming, computer graphics and website development.

Mobile technology, WhatsApp, robotics, cyber security, drones and use of Alexa/Google Home will be taught in addition to an OCN NI Social Media qualification.

You’ll also improve your employability and personal development skills through work experience and the completion of the OCN NI Workskills qualification.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Communicating in the IT Industry
• Working in the IT Industry
• Computer Graphics
• Developing Programming Solutions

• Installing Hardware Components
• Database Systems and Web Development

Units taught vary from campus to campus.

Additional Information
You’ll also be offered:
• OCN NI Level 2 Award in Skills for Employment Training and Personal Development
• Work Experience
• OCN NI Level 2 Social Media
• Essential Skills in Communication, Numeracy and ICT / GCSE Maths & English resit

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades D to G or successful completion of a Level 1 related qualification.

Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

Assessment Methods
As a practical, vocational course, assessment focuses on coursework, internally assessed by the lecturers over the two semesters.

Learners can attain Pass, Merit and Distinction Grades which are combined to produce one final Grade at the end of the course.

Progression
This qualification has been designed to develop the right skills, knowledge and understanding for progression to Further Education in the same or related areas, progress onto Level 3 Extended Diploma in IT, or employment within the computer industry.

Career pathways include:
• IT Technician
• IT Sales
• Technical Support

MOBILE TECHNOLOGY, WHATSAPP, ROBOTICS, CYBER SECURITY, DRONES AND USE OF ALEXA/GOOGLE HOME WILL BE TAUGHT IN ADDITION TO AN OCN NI SOCIAL MEDIA QUALIFICATION.
Course Description
This course is a specialist work-related qualification in Computing and is equivalent to 1 A Level.

All units are internally assessed and are both practical and theoretical. The course will be taught through lectures, demonstrations, workshops and group work.

What you will learn
You’ll learn a broad range of industry relevant computing and IT skills, such as E-commerce, Hardware/Software configuration, and the use of ICT in employment.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
- Communication and Employability Skills for IT
- Computer Systems

Course Content
Optional Units
Optional units include:
- Information Systems
- E-Commerce
- Web-development
- Spreadsheet Modelling

These units are subject to variation depending on local needs.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

Assessment Methods
The qualification is 100% coursework-based and exam-free.

Progression
Successful completion of the Subsidiary Diploma will attract UCAS points necessary for University.
**PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3 90 CREDIT DIPLOMA IN COMPUTING**

**Course Code:** 60038871  
**Session Code:** TBA  
**Awarding Body:** Pearson  
**Campus Location:** Cookstown / Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh  
**Level:** 3  
**No. Years:** 1  
**Interview Required:** Yes  
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028 8225 0109

**Course Description**  
This course is a specialist work-related qualification in Computing, taught through lectures, demonstrations, workshops and group work. It’s equivalent to 1.5 A Levels and allows for direct progression in year 2 to the Extended Diploma.

**What you will learn**  
Students learn a broad range of industry relevant computing and IT skills, such as Programming, Networks, Web Development, Hardware/Software configuration and use of ICT in employment.

**Course Content**  
**Mandatory Units**  
Employability Skills for IT  
• Computer Systems and Information Systems

**Course Content**  
**Optional Units**  
Optional units include:  
• Event Driven Programming  
• Software Design and Development  
• Digital Graphics  
• Website Production  
• Communication Technologies  
• Computer Animation  
• Workskills

These units are subject to variation depending on local needs.

**Entry Requirements**  
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

**Progression**  
Progression is to second year to achieve an Extended Diploma in Computing.  
Successful completion of the Extended Diploma attracts UCAS points, which allows you to progress to Higher Education at University.  
Alternatively, you can choose the route into Foundation Degree in Computing at South West College followed by progression to second year at University.

**Assessment Methods**  
The qualification is 100% coursework-based and exam-free.

**Possible employment opportunities include:**  
• Administrator  
• Animator  
• IT Trainer / Teacher  
• Programmer  
• Technical Sales  
• Technical Support Technician  
• Web Designer

PROGRESSION IS TO SECOND YEAR TO ACHIEVE AN EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN COMPUTING. SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF THE EXTENDED DIPLOMA ATTRACTS UCAS POINTS, WHICH ALLOWS YOU TO PROGRESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION AT UNIVERSITY.
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3 EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN COMPUTING

Course Description
This course is a specialist work-related qualification in Computing, taught through lectures, demonstrations, workshops and group work.

When preceded by the Level 3 90 Credit Diploma in Computing in year 1, the Extended Diploma results in a total equivalent of 3 A Levels.

What you will learn
Students learn a broad range of industry relevant computing and IT skills, such as Programming, Networks, Web Development, Hardware/Software configuration and the use of ICT in employment.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Communication and Employability Skills for IT
• Computer Systems and Information Systems

Course Content
Optional Units
Optional units include:
• Event Driven Programming
• Software Design and Development

These units are subject to variation depending on local needs.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

If you don’t have a Grade C in GCSE Maths or English, you’ll undertake Essential Skills in Numeracy and Literacy or GCSE Maths.

Assessment Methods
The qualification is 100% coursework-based and exam-free.

Progression
The Extended Diploma in Computing is equivalent to three A Levels. Successful completion attracts UCAS points, which allows you to progress to Higher Education at University, or a Foundation Degree in Computing at South West College followed by progression to second year at University.

Employment opportunities include:
• Administrator
• Animator
• IT Trainer / Teacher
• Programmer
• Technical Sales
• Technical Support Technician
• Web Designer

THIS COURSE IS A SPECIALIST WORK-RELATED QUALIFICATION IN COMPUTING, TAUGHT THROUGH LECTURES, DEMONSTRATIONS, WORKSHOPS AND GROUP WORK.
COMPUTER GAMING COURSES

Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Creative Media Production Games Development with Subsidiary Diploma in Interactive Media

Pearson BTEC Extended Diploma in Creative Media Production / (Games Development)

Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Computing (Games) – Games Development
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3
DIPLOMA IN CREATIVE MEDIA
PRODUCTION GAMES
DEVELOPMENT WITH SUBSIDIARY
DIPLOMA IN INTERACTIVE MEDIA

Course Description
Games design fuses technical knowledge with core artistic principles. Through work-related projects and coursework, this course will grow your understanding of 3D Modelling, 3D Animation, Game Design and more. You'll develop a substantial mandatory of knowledge in areas such as Pre-Production, Critical Analysis of Game Concepts and industry standard software.

What you will learn
The course provides a foundation in the theory and practice of Computer Games Development. You’ll learn professional practices of Game Design and Development and apply these to your own ideas.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Pre-Production Techniques for the Creative Media Industries
• Communication Skills for Creative Media Production
• Research Techniques for the Creative Media Industries
• Creative Media Production Management Project
• Working to a Brief in the Creative Media Industries
• Understanding the Computer Games Industry

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

Assessment Methods
Units will be assessed by coursework assignments, reflecting the nature of the module content.

Progression
Once you complete this course, you can progress to HND Games Development at South West College, or to a higher qualification in Games Development at University or College.
Alternatively, you can progress directly to employment in Games Development.

THROUGH WORK-RELATED PROJECTS AND COURSEWORK, THIS COURSE WILL GROW YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF 3D MODELLING, 3D ANIMATION, GAME DESIGN, LEVEL DESIGN AND MORE.
BTEC EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN CREATIVE MEDIA PRODUCTION / (GAMES DEVELOPMENT)

Course Description
This course will introduce you to the process of game design and development, grow your understanding of the gaming industry, and help you develop your own game ideas. Units include theory and practical work.

What you will learn
The course provides a foundation in the theory and practice of Computer Games development. You’ll learn professional practices of game design and development, and apply these to develop your own game ideas.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
- Pre-Production Techniques
- Communication Skills
- Research Techniques
- Creative Media Production Management Project
- Working to a Brief
- Critical Approaches
- Understanding the Computer Games Industry
- Computer Game Platforms and Technologies

Optional Units
- 3D Modelling
- 3D Animation
- 3D Environments
- Computer Game Engines
- Computer Game Design
- Computer Game Story Development
- Digital Graphics for Computer Games
- Developing a Small

Business in the Creative Media Industries
- Human-Computer Interfaces for Computer Games
- Event-driven Programming
- Web Authoring

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

Assessment Methods
Units will be assessed by coursework assignments, reflecting the nature of the module content.

Progression
This course is a first step towards a career in Computer Games Development and Multimedia. Many universities, both locally and in the UK, now offer Computer Games Development degree courses as well as closely linked Computer Animation and Multimedia degrees.

In South West College, students can progress to a Foundation Degree in Computing or Digital Arts or a HNC in Games.

COMPUTER GAMING
Computing is one of the fastest-growing and most exciting sectors in the digital industry. The world market for games and ‘edutainment’ software has grown to $25 billion in 2017/18, making this a global industry with lots of opportunities.
PEARSON LEVEL 3 EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN COMPUTING (GAMES) – GAMES DEVELOPMENT

Course Code : 60038895
Session Code : TCF1A
Awarding Body : Pearson
Campus Location : Cookstown
Level : 3
No. Years : 2
Interview Required : Yes
Contact Campus (during term time) : Cookstown / Dungannon
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time) : Ann Marie Watterson
AnnMarie.Watterson@swc.ac.uk
Contact (during non-term time) : The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus 028 8225 0109

Course Description
This course is a specialist work-related qualification in Computing and is equivalent to 3 A Levels.

All units are internally assessed and are both practical and theoretical. This course will be taught through lectures, demonstrations, workshops and group work.

What you will learn
You’ll learn a broad range of industry relevant computing and IT skills, such as Developing Computer Games, 2D Animation, Computer Games Design, Interactive Media Authoring, Digital Graphics for Interactive Media, Workskills and the use of ICT in employment.

Course Content

Mandatory Units

• Communication and Employability Skills for IT
• Computer Systems
• Information Systems
• Event Driven Programming
• Software Design and Development
• Systems Analysis and Design

Optional Units

• Digital Graphics
• Website Production
• Communication Technologies
• Computer Animation
• E-Commerce
• Project Planning with IT
• Developing Computer Games

*These units are subject to variation depending on local needs.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

If you don’t have a Grade C in GCSE Maths or English, you’ll undertake Essential Skills in Numeracy and Literacy or GCSE Maths.

Assessment Methods
The qualification is 100% coursework-based and exam-free.

Progression
Successful completion attracts UCAS points, which allows you to progress to Higher Education at University, or a Foundation Degree in Computing at South West College followed by progression to second year at University.

Employment opportunities include:
• Administrator
• Animator
• IT Trainer / Teacher
• Programmer
• Technical Sales
• Technical Support Technician
• Web Designer

YOU’LL LEARN A BROAD RANGE OF INDUSTRY RELEVANT COMPUTING AND IT SKILLS, SUCH AS DEVELOPING COMPUTER GAMES, 2D ANIMATION, COMPUTER GAMES DESIGN, INTERACTIVE MEDIA AUTHORING, DIGITAL GRAPHICS FOR INTERACTIVE MEDIA, WORKSKILLS AND THE USE OF ICT IN EMPLOYMENT.
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PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 1/
LEVEL 2 DIPLOMA
IN ENGINEERING

Course Description
This one year course is
designed to benefit learners
who are interested in all
forms of engineering and
have no formal qualifications.
The BTEC Level 1/2 course
provides a practical, work
based introduction into the
field of engineering, building
knowledge in order to progress
into employment.

What you will learn
Students will develop skills for
employability that employers
have asked to be included in
the course. The student will
learn technical and practical
skills to Weld and Fabricate
a product. The course will
prepare the student to use a
Lathe, design and mark out
material. The Student will
carry out tests on various
materials to establish which is
suitable for a particular task.
The student will complete
essential skills English, Maths
and ICT.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory modules include:
• The Engineering World
• Investigating an
Engineering Product

Optional Modules
The Optional Modules studied
are:
• Health and Safety in
Engineering
• Engineering Materials
• Electronic Circuit Design
• Welding
• Computer Numerical Control
• Introduction to
Communications for
Engineering

Entry Requirements
GCSEs at Grade D-G/3-1 or at
the discretion of the course
tutor.
English and/or Mathematics
will be included in your
timetable if you have not
achieved a GCSE at Grade A*-C
in these subjects when you
commence your course.

Assessment Methods
These eight modules are
assessed by assignment on
a continuous basis making
up the bulk of assessments.
Learners will have to take two
compulsory external exams.
The two external exams can be
repeated throughout the year.
Ten modules in total.

Progression
Learners can progress to
Level 3 BTEC Engineering and
ultimately onto a Foundation
Degree, or a range of
Apprenticeship Programmes.
This course can lead to a career
in the engineering industry
with a large number of local
companies very eager to offer
placements to those who have
qualified or are on their way to
qualification.

THIS QUALIFICATION HAS BEEN DEVELOPED
TO GIVE YOU AN ENGAGING AND STIMULATING
INTRODUCTION TO THE ENGINEERING INDUSTRY
AND HELP YOU TO PROGRESS TO LEVEL 3 AND
INTO EMPLOYMENT.
Course Description
The BTEC 90-Credit Diploma in Engineering is designed to equip learners with the knowledge and understanding required for success in a range of mechanical and electrical/electronic engineering occupations.

The qualification is also suitable for learners who have not yet decided on a particular engineering specialism and who wish to gain a broader understanding of engineering. Learners will have the opportunity to link with a local firm and be mentored for the duration of their course.

What you will learn
Students will gain a foundation in the core disciplines of mechanical and electrical/electronic engineering.

College facilities, such as the new state of the art Idea Centre with 3D printers and the latest prototyping technology, provide an opportunity for project-based learning. With a fully equipped Robotics Lab, Hydraulics/Pneumatics Lab and Workshop with the latest cutting edge technology, students will gain an understanding of industry standard equipment.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Delivery will be on a full time basis.
- Mandatory Units
- Health and Safety in the Engineering Workplace
- and an option of either
- Mechanical Principles and Applications or Electrical and Electronic Principles

Optional Units
Optional units include:
- Engineering Drawing for Technicians
- Electrical Installation
- Properties and Applications of Engineering Materials
- Electrical Technology
- Computer Aided Drafting
- Engineering Secondary and Finishing Techniques and Processes
- Selecting and Using Programmable Logic Controllers
- Further Mathematics for Engineering Technicians
- Industrial Robot Technology
- Applications of Computer Numerical Control in Engineering
- Electro, Pneumatic and Hydraulic Systems and Devices
- Fabrication Processes and Technology, Engineering Design.

Additional Information
Students will be given the opportunity to learn about the many different roles available in the engineering industry through site visits and engineering talks from high calibre industry leaders.

Assessment Methods
To successfully achieve this qualification a learner must complete all units. Assessment is by means of a series of internally set assignments and projects.

Progression
This qualification is equivalent to AS Levels and upon completion learners can choose to progress to an Extended Diploma in Engineering.

WITH A FULLY EQUIPPED ROBOTICS LAB, HYDRAULICS/PNEUMATICS LAB AND WORKSHOP WITH THE LATEST CUTTING EDGE TECHNOLOGY, STUDENTS WILL GAIN AN UNDERSTANDING OF INDUSTRY STANDARD EQUIPMENT.
Course Description
The BTEC Extended Diploma in Engineering is designed to equip learners with the knowledge and understanding required for success in a range of mechanical and electrical/electronic engineering occupations.

The qualification is also suitable for learners who have not yet decided on a particular engineering specialism and who wish to gain a broader understanding of engineering.

What you will learn
Students will gain a foundation in the core disciplines of mechanical and electrical/electronic engineering.

College facilities, such as the new state of the art Idea Centre with 3D printers and the latest prototyping technology, provide an opportunity for project-based learning. With a fully equipped Robotics Lab, Hydraulics/Pneumatics Lab and Workshop with the latest cutting edge technology, students will gain an understanding of industry standard equipment.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Health and Safety in the Engineering Workplace
• Communications for Engineering Technicians
• Engineering Project
• Mathematics for Engineering Technicians
• Mechanical Principles and Applications
• Electrical and Electronic Principles

Course Content
Optional Units
Optional units include:
• Engineering Drawing for Technicians
• Electrical Installation
• Properties and Applications of Engineering Materials
• Electrical Technology
• Computer Aided Drafting
• Engineering Secondary and Finishing Techniques and Processes
• Selecting and Using Programmable Logic Controllers
• Further Mathematics for Engineering Technicians
• Industrial Robot Technology
• Applications of Computer Numerical Control in Engineering
• Electro, Pneumatic and Hydraulic Systems and Devices
• Fabrication Processes and Technology
• Engineering Design

Additional Information
Students will be given the opportunity to learn about the many different roles available in the engineering Industry through site visits and engineering talks from high calibre industry leaders.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

Assessment Methods
Projects and coursework assignments will offer opportunities to achieve Pass, Merit and Distinction criteria, and will be tracked through the year to form a final grade, giving UCAS points in the same way as A Level grades.

Progression
This qualification is equivalent to three A Levels and upon completion learners can choose to progress to Higher Education (Foundation Degree or Honours Degree courses) in areas such as: Mechanical Engineering; Electrical/Electronic Engineering; Mechatronic Engineering; Computer Science; Automotive Engineering; Wind Turbine Technology; Renewable Energy Engineering.

Alternatively, learners may wish to seek employment. Common areas of employment include CAD Draughtsperson and Engineering Technician.
### HAIRDRESSING COURSES

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CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 1 VRQ DIPLOMA IN HAIRDRESSING AND BEAUTY THERAPY

Course Description
This course provides hair and beauty skills, techniques and knowledge to help you progress to the next level of vocational learning in the hair and beauty sector.

What you will learn
The course combines a large proportion of practical learning with relevant theory components. You’ll gain practical skills for the hair and beauty sector, as well as knowledge on relevant health and safety, consultation and effective working practices at a basic level.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector
• Following Health and Safety in the Salon
• Working for Others
• Applying Basic Make-up
• Skin Care
• The Art of Photographic Make-up
• Providing Basic Manicure Treatment
• Nail Art
• Presenting a Professional Image in a Salon
• Create a Hair and Beauty Image
• The Art of Dressing Hair
• The Art of Colouring Hair

You’ll also have the opportunity to gain qualifications in Numeracy, Literacy and ICT if needed.

Entry Requirements
No formal qualifications required. Please ask for advice and guidance from individual Course Co-ordinators prior to application.

Assessment Methods
Qualifications are assessed through practical observation, online theory tests and written tasks.

Progression
This qualification will prepare you for further study at Level 2 and you may choose to develop your skills in a specialist pathway.

You’ll gain practical skills for the hair and beauty sector, as well as knowledge on relevant health and safety, consultation and effective working practices at a basic level.

Additional Information
The College also will help you gain additional qualifications in Numeracy, Literacy and ICT if needed.

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Entry Requirements
No formal qualifications required. Please ask for advice and guidance from individual Course Co-ordinators prior to application.

Assessment Methods
Qualifications are assessed through practical observation, online theory tests and written tasks.

Progression
This qualification will prepare you for further study at Level 2 and you may choose to develop your skills in a specialist pathway.

You’ll gain practical skills for the hair and beauty sector, as well as knowledge on relevant health and safety, consultation and effective working practices at a basic level.
CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 2 DIPLOMA IN HAIRDRESSING

Course Description
If you’d like a career in hairdressing, this two-year course is perfect for you. You’ll be trained in a realistic working environment in the college’s state-of-the-art salons. You’ll experience the normal day to day running of a hairdressing salon and engage with customers and potential employers. This will ensure you’re ready to begin an exciting journey within this creative industry. This course opens up various pathways for progression.

Work placement is an integral part of the training and often leads to employment.

What you will learn
The course combines a large proportion of practical learning with relevant theory components. You’ll gain practical skills in shampooing and conditioning, blow-drying, colouring, cutting and setting. The course will also give you knowledge on relevant health and safety, consultation and effective working practice skills. These are all important to ensure you are ready to work in the hairdressing industry.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Style and Finish Hair
• Set and Dress Hair
• Cut Hair using Basic Techniques
• Colour and Lighten Hair
• Advise and Consult with Clients
• Shampoo, Condition and Treat Hair and Scalp
• Develop and Maintain your Effectiveness at Work
• Cut Men’s Hair using Basic Techniques

Additional Information
The College also will help you gain additional qualifications throughout the year, as well as engage with industry experts and participate in workshops relevant to the industry.

You’ll also have the opportunity to gain qualifications in Numeracy, Literacy and ICT if needed.

Students will be required to purchase a uniform and kit at the start of the programme.

Assessment Methods
Qualifications are assessed through practical observation and online theory tests.

Progression
This qualification can lead to employment in the hairdressing industry and progression to a Level 3 Diploma in Hairdressing, Level 3 Diploma Barbering or Level 2/3 Diploma in Hair and Media Make-up.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades D to G or successful completion of a Level 1 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

Contact
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus.
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus
028 8225 0109

THE COURSE WILL GIVE YOU KNOWLEDGE ON RELEVANT HEALTH AND SAFETY, CONSULTATION AND EFFECTIVE WORKING PRACTICE SKILLS. THESE ARE ALL IMPORTANT TO ENSURE YOU ARE READY TO WORK IN THE HAIRDRESSING INDUSTRY.
**Course Description**
This course is for you if you're interested in a career in the fashion, theatrical and media make-up industry. You'll experience the realistic work environment and develop relevant skills for progression within this fast-moving industry. The course will also involve sessions outside the normal timetabled day to ensure the requirements of the qualifications are met.

**What you will learn**
The course combines a large proportion of practical learning with relevant theory components. You'll gain practical skills for the hair and media make-up industry, as well as knowledge on relevant health and safety, eyelash and eyebrow treatments, tanning, make-up, photographic and body art, plus skills in styling, dressing and colouring hair. As part of the course, you'll also be expected to make and style a hair piece.

**Course Content**

**Mandatory Units**
- Working in Beauty Related Industries
- Following Health and Safety Practice in the Salon
- Client Care and Communication in Beauty-related Industry

**Additional Information**
The College also will help you gain additional qualifications throughout the year, as well as engage with industry experts and participate in workshops relevant to the industry. You'll also have the opportunity to gain qualifications in Numeracy, Literacy and ICT if needed.

Students will be required to purchase a uniform and kit at the start of the programme.

**Entry Requirements**
4 GCSEs at Grades D to G or successful completion of a Level 1 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application.

**Assessment Methods**
Qualifications are assessed through practical observation, online assessments and written tasks.

**Progression**
On completion of this course you’ll be eligible to progress to a Level 3 Diploma in Hair and Media Make-up.
CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 3 DIPLOMA IN HAIRDRESSING

Course Description
This Level 3 qualification builds on the principles and practical skills required for hairdressing. You’ll gain a high level of occupational competence which will allow you to progress into employment within the hairdressing industry. Work placement is an integral part of the course.

What you will learn
The course combines a large proportion of practical learning with relevant theory components. You’ll gain practical skills in how to creatively style and dress hair, colour correction, advanced cutting and colouring, hair and scalp treatments. The course will also give you knowledge on relevant health and safety, consultation and effective working practice skills. These are all important to ensure you are ready to work in the hairdressing industry.

Course Code: 60156971
Session Code: TBA
Awarding Body: City & Guilds
Campus Location: Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh
Level: 3
No. Years: 1
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Campus (during term time): Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time):
Dungannon - Paula Hurson
Paula.Hurson@swc.ac.uk
Enniskillen - Susan Doyle
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Omagh - Edel McCullagh
Edel.McCullagh@swc.ac.uk
Contact (during non-term time):
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus
028 8225 0109

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Creatively Style and Dress Hair
• Creatively Cut Hair using a Combination of Techniques
• Creatively Colour and Lighten Hair
• Provide Client Consultation Services
• Hair Colour Correction Services
• Provide Specialist Hair and Scalp Treatment

Additional Information
The College also will help you gain additional qualifications throughout the year, as well as engage with industry experts and participate in workshops relevant to the industry.

You’ll also have the opportunity to gain qualifications in Numeracy, Literacy and ICT if needed.

You’ll be required to purchase a uniform and kit at the start of the programme.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths, or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

You will also need to have a placement secured.

Assessment Methods
Qualifications are assessed through practical observation and online theory tests.

Progression
You can work in a commercial salon as a senior stylist with supervisory skills, or progress to other specialist qualifications in Hairdressing, Level 3 Diploma Barbering or Level 2/3 Diploma in Hair and Media Make-up, including Level 5 HND in Hair and Beauty Management.

You may also be eligible to enter employment in salons as a Trainer, Advisor or Manager.

YOU CAN WORK IN A COMMERCIAL SALON AS A SENIOR STYLIST WITH SUPERVISORY SKILLS, OR PROGRESS TO OTHER SPECIALIST QUALIFICATIONS IN HAIRDRESSING INCLUDING LEVEL 5 HND IN HAIR AND BEAUTY MANAGEMENT.
CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 3
DIPLOMA IN HAIRDRESSING
AND MEDIA MAKE-UP

Course Description
This course is for you if you're interested in a career in the fashion, theatrical and media make-up industry. You'll experience the realistic work environment and develop relevant skills for progression within this fast-moving industry. The course will also involve sessions outside the normal timetabled day to ensure the requirements of the qualifications are met.

What you will learn
The course combines a large proportion of practical learning with relevant theory components. You’ll gain practical skills for the hair and media make-up industry, as well as knowledge on relevant health and safety, eyelash and eyebrow treatments, tanning, make-up, photographic and body art, plus skills in styling, dressing and colouring hair. As part of the course, you’ll also be expected to make and style a hair piece.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Working with Colleagues Within the Beauty-related Industries
• Monitor and Maintain Health and Safety Practice in the Salon
• Creative Hairdressing Design Skills
• Fashion and Photographic Make-up
• Apply Airbrush Make-up to the Face
• Camouflage Make-up
• Apply Individual Permanent Lashes

Additional Information
The College also will help you gain additional qualifications throughout the year, as well as engage with industry experts and participate in workshops relevant to the industry.

Students will be required to purchase a uniform and kit at the start of the programme.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths, or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application.

Criteria may be subject to change.

You’ll also be asked to demonstrate artistic flair during the interview process.

Assessment Methods
Qualifications are assessed through practical observation, online assessments and written tasks.

YOU’LL EXPERIENCE THE REALISTIC WORK ENVIRONMENT AND DEVELOP RELEVANT SKILLS FOR PROGRESSION WITHIN THIS FAST-MOVING INDUSTRY

Progression
On completion of this course you’ll be eligible to progress onto specialisms in Theatrical and Special Effects, Foundation Degree in Media Make-up, Special Effects Make-up and Hair Design, or employment.
HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE COURSES

Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2
First Diploma in Health and Social Care  142

Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended
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PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 1/ LEVEL 2 FIRST DIPLOMA IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

Course Code: 60101702
Session Code: HDF1A/HDF1A
Awarding Body: Pearson
Campus Location: Dungannon Omagh
Level: 2
No. Years: 1
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Campus (during term time): Dungannon Omagh
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time): Dungannon - Emma Tener Emma.Tener2@swc.ac.uk
Omagh - Desmond O’Doherty Desmond.O’Doherty@swc.ac.uk
Contact (during non-term time): The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus 028 8225 0109

Course Description
"This course will provide you with an insight into Health and Social Care.

The knowledge, understanding and skills you learn can lead to further study and help prepare you for the field of Health and Social Care.

You’ll undertake a 60 hour placement over the course of the academic year, helping you understand the link between theory and practice."

What you will learn
This course is about putting knowledge into practice on placement. You’ll look at real life case studies and scenarios, you’ll learn about the theory and practice of care work, and you’ll gain an understanding of different professionals and settings and their roles such as nurse, hospital work, social workers, youth and community workers, midwives and care assistants.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Human Lifespan
• Health and Social Care Values
• Effective Communication in Health and Social Care
• Equality and Diversity in Health and Social Care
• Individual Rights in Health and Social Care
• Healthy Living
• Carrying out a Research Project

Optional Units
Optional units include:
• Promoting Health and Wellbeing
• Human Body Systems and Care of Disorders
• Vocational Experience in Health and Social Care
• Skills and Qualities for working in the Health and Social Care Sector
• An Introduction to First Aid

Additional Information
You’re encouraged to undertake Essential Skills Literacy, Numeracy and ICT, if you don’t possess these qualifications at GCSE Level.

You’ll also take an additional programme which will widen your knowledge and skills, for example, a personal development or employability qualification.

Entry Requirements
For entry onto this Level 2 Diploma, we recommend that you have two C passes at GCSE, or an equivalent qualification may be considered. You also need a strong desire to care for others.

Wellbeing
• Human Body Systems and Care of Disorders
• Vocational Experience in Health and Social Care
• Skills and Qualities for working in the Health and Social Care Sector
• An Introduction to First Aid

Additional Information
You’re encouraged to undertake Essential Skills Literacy, Numeracy and ICT, if you don’t possess these qualifications at GCSE Level.

You’ll also take an additional programme which will widen your knowledge and skills, for example, a personal development or employability qualification.

Entry Requirements
For entry onto this Level 2 Diploma, we recommend that you have two C passes at GCSE, or an equivalent qualification may be considered. You also need a strong desire to care for others.

Progression
Studying the Level 2 Diploma can lead to the Level 3 Extended Diploma in Health and Social Care.

We recommend that you have a minimum of a Merit qualification in your Level 2 programme to progress.

Learners can also undertake a more vocational Level 2 programme under an apprenticeship scheme.

You’ll undertake a 60 hour placement over the course of the academic year, helping you understand the link between theory and practice.
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3 EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

Course Code: 50095018
Session Code: HOF1A/HDF1A/HEF1A
Awarding Body: Pearson
Campus Location: Dungannon, Enniskillen, Omagh
Level: 3
No. Years: 2
Interview Required: Yes
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- Enniskillen: Yvonne O’Brien
  Yvonne.O’Brien@swc.ac.uk
- Omagh: Alison Wilson
  Alison.Wilson@swc.ac.uk
Contact (during non-term time):
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus
028 8225 0109

Course Description:
The aim of the course is to provide a vocationally related qualification that draws on the main themes of work in the Health and Social Care sector.
You’ll gain a broad understanding of the sector and specialist understanding of specific aspects of the sector. You’ll also complete work placements - these can be undertaken locally, regionally or further afield such as Sweden.

100 hours of placement must be completed in all of the following areas:
- Special Educational Needs
- Care of Elderly
- Childcare

You’ll be taught by staff who have vocationally relevant industrial experience. You’ll also benefit from guest lecturers or field visits.

What you will learn:
This course will provide you with a mix of classroom-based learning and work placement, carefully selected to reflect the needs of employers and reflect the broad scope of social and health care.

You can progress onto the Foundation Degree in Health and Social Care, Higher National Certificate in Health and Social Care, Access Course or Foundation Degree in Early Childhood Studies.

Entry Requirements:
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above. Preference will be given to candidates who have GCSE English and Maths at Grade C or above. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.
You’ll also need to be vetted in accordance with the requirements of the Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups N.I. Order (2006) [Access NI].
Entry to the course is subject to successful interview.

Assessment Methods:
Assessment is ongoing and includes assignments, time-constrained assignments, projects, oral presentations, work placement reports, log books and reflective diaries.

Progression:
You can progress onto the Foundation Degree in Health and Social Care, Higher National Certificate in Health and Social Care, Access Course or Foundation Degree in Early Childhood Studies.
You can also progress onto Level 6 university degree programmes in a wide range of areas such as Teaching, Occupational Therapy, Podiatry, Nursing, Social Work, Psychology, Social Policy, Housing, Sociology, Criminology and Special Educational Needs.
Or you can enter employment in the health and social care field.

Learners will be guided through the relevant theory and given opportunities to develop the mandatory skills.

Course Content:
Mandatory Units:
- Equality Diversity and Rights in Health and Social Care
- Developing Effective Communication in Health and Social Care
- Anatomy and Physiology in Health and Social Care
- Personal and Professional Development
- Health and Safety
- Development Through the Life Stages

Optional Units:
- Promoting Health Education
- Caring for Older People
- Caring for Individuals with Additional Needs
- Psychological Perspectives

Virtual learning is an integral part of this programme with digital badges to complete and online courses which add to your qualification portfolio.

Additional Information:
If you don’t have GCSEs in English, Mathematics or ICT, you’ll need to undertake Essential Skills in these areas. You may also enrol in GCSE programmes in English and Mathematics.
HOSPITALITY AND CATERING COURSES

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CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 1
DIPLOMA IN INTRODUCTION TO PROFESSIONAL COOKERY

Course Code: 60106025
Session Code: TBA
Awarding Body: City & Guilds
Campus Location: Dungannon
Level: 1
No. Years: 1
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Campus (during term time): Dungannon
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time): Darren.Pitts@swc.ac.uk
Contact (during non-term time): Peter.Waterson@swc.ac.uk

Course Description:
This course is perfect for beginners and is the programme of choice for anyone wanting to have a solid, industry backed and industry based learning experience which will set you up for a career in a sector which is amazingly diverse, global and fun.

It’s for enthusiastic people who love a challenge and like to be in a busy, lively and people focused environment. It opens up a world of opportunities and pathways – not just for the workplace, but for personal, lifelong skills which will ensure you are never out of work.

What will you learn?
You’ll be working in kitchens from the beginning, developing knife skills, learning about key ingredients and how to use them, gaining an understanding of cooking processes and the science behind them, getting to know how to use professional kitchen equipment, learning about working safely and hygienically, and of course, creating and cooking your first dishes.

You’ll also begin to learn about the catering and hospitality industry; the opportunities, and the size, scale and diversity of food and service.

While you’re building your skills, you’ll learn much more about yourself and about how to be successful at work. You’ll start making decisions about where you would like to focus your efforts – fine dining, public sector, cruise ships, street food, hotels, your own business… the list is endless.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units cover the full range of cooking methods – boiling, roasting, steaming, baking, grilling, braising, deep and shallow frying etc. using a wide range of commodities including meat, poultry, fish, vegetables, rice. You’ll also make desserts and pastries.

Assessment Methods
Practical skills, work processes and product are under continual assessment throughout the year by the teaching team, and students are given periodic practical exams designed to build confidence and bring you to two ‘showstopper’ final assessments.

Entry Requirements
All applicants to this programme will be considered on an individual basis and a thorough interview process will determine suitability.

Numeracy and Literacy at Level 2 will enhance your application, but the absence of formal qualifications won’t preclude you from the course, providing you can demonstrate a good basic level of these skills.

The most important entry requirement is a genuine interest in the Catering Industry, a love of good food and working with people, good communication skills and a strong work ethic.

The College has a fully operational restaurant which is open to the public and operated by the catering students in preparation for the workplace.

The programme incorporates some evening sessions and we often make changes to timetable to enable us to service events internally and externally.

Students also get the opportunity to go on industry visits throughout the programme, broadening the experience and embedding what they are doing at college.

Progression
As an Introductory Diploma, the programme creates the foundation for all higher level learning and enables you to gain part-time work in the Industry.

Successful candidates are expected to proceed to the Level 2 and Level 3 Professional Cookery Diplomas or similar in Professional Food and Beverage Service.

Additional Information
There are costs involved in getting properly equipped for a professional working kitchen, such as safety shoes, full chefs uniform, textbook, outdoor jacket, restaurant uniform, etc. This costs around £150.

The students receive ongoing grading of Pass, Merit and Distinction for all activities, with the final practical exams dictating what the overall result will be. Students find their inner chef and strive to be the best they can be at the final stage of the programme.

The most important entry requirement is a genuine interest in the Catering Industry, a love of good food and working with people, good communication skills and a strong work ethic.

PRACTICAL SKILLS, WORK PROCESSES AND PRODUCT ARE UNDER CONTINUAL ASSESSMENT THROUGHOUT THE YEAR BY THE TEACHING TEAM, AND STUDENTS ARE GIVEN PERIODIC PRACTICAL EXAMS DESIGNED TO BUILD CONFIDENCE
CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 2
DIPLOMA IN PROFESSIONAL COOKERY

Course Code : 50099796
Session Code : TBA
Awarding Body : City & Guilds
Campus Location : Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh
Level : 2
No. Years : 1
Interview Required : Yes

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Dungannon - Darren Pitts
Darren.Pitts@swc.ac.uk
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Claire.Currid@swc.ac.uk
Omagh - Michael Donaghey 
Michael.Donaghey@swc.ac.uk
Contact (during non-term time)
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus 028 8225 0109

Course Description
A Professional Cookery programme will allow you to develop real world, industry relevant skills which will equip you with the basic knowledge needed to work effectively in chef positions in restaurants, bars, cafés, hotels, schools, hospitals and numerous other food service providers.

The course moves students directly into a real working kitchen and the focus is on building practical culinary skills alongside essential workplace skills. This happens in a supportive, nurturing and encouraging environment which allows you to build confidence and develop at a pace that works for you.

What you will learn
You'll learn culinary skills, food knowledge, and what it’s like to work in a fast paced environment, under pressure, as part of a team, while working safely and hygienically.

You’ll learn a lot about yourself and unleash talent and skills you didn’t know you had; taking pride in your work and achievements, and developing meaningful lifelong communication and social skills.

The most important entry requirement is a genuine interest in the catering industry.

We have state-of-the-art facilities, and we structure programmes to ensure that classic techniques and methods are delivered alongside modern technological advances in equipment and trends.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Working as part of a team
• Health, safety and security in the work environment
• Food safety
• Certificate in Professional Food and Beverage Service

Optional Units cover:
• Preparing and finishing of various commodities like vegetables, poultry, meat and fish, sauce making, rice dishes, pasta soups, breads, cakes and sponges, hot and cold desserts.

Additional Information
This programme offers lots of additional learning opportunities and experiences, from in-house, local and regional competitions to entrepreneurial activities, continual preparation for the world of work in the catering and hospitality industry, and careers help and guidance.

We'll help you access worthwhile part-time employment which will steer you in the right direction for your early development in the industry. We also help you make informed decisions about the many career pathways you could follow.

Entry Requirements
All applicants to this programme will be considered on an individual basis and a thorough interview process will determine suitability.

We accept applicants straight onto this programme who have relevant experience within the industry or who can demonstrate a certain level of basic knowledge about food and cooking.

Numeracy and Literacy at Level 2 will enhance your application, but the absence of formal qualifications doesn’t preclude anyone from the course, providing they can demonstrate a good basic level of these skills.

The most important entry requirement is a genuine interest in the Catering Industry, a love of good food and working with people, good communication skills and a strong work ethic.

Assessment Methods
This programme is mostly assessed by observation of performance, processes and product. You’ll agree a timeframe of training and assessment with tutors and this will be underpinned with assessment of written and/or oral questioning to ensure in-depth knowledge of the particular topic, unit or module.

The course uses a number of methods to assess learning and capabilities, but a strong emphasis is placed on, ‘know it, show it, live it’.

Progression
Some students decide to go immediately into the workplace and continue their skills development and portfolio of qualifications while studying part-time.

Some decide to go in another direction entirely within the catering industry, for example, food and beverage operations or food technology.

Students who are committed to a culinary career tend to opt for the more immersive experience of full-time study in Professional Cookery at Level 3. This builds on the basics of Level 2 and develops the complexity of skills required in the modern catering industry kitchen.
CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 3
DIPLOMA IN
PROFESSIONAL COOKERY

Course Code : 58094397
Session Code : TBA
Awarding Body : City & Guilds
Campus Location : Dungannon
Enniskillen Omagh

Level : 3
No. Years : 2
Interview Required : Yes
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Dungannon - Michael Donaghey
Omagh - Claire Currid
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Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh

Contact Co-ordinator (during term time)
Dungannon - Darren Pitts
Enniskillen - Claire Currid
Omagh - Michael Donaghey
Michael.Donaghey@swc.ac.uk

Contact (during non-term time)
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
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028 8225 0109

Course Description
If you’re keen to make your mark on the culinary world, then a Level 3 Professional Cookery Diploma is a must to demonstrate skill and commitment to the industry.

This programme builds on a sound understanding of cooking and commodities and moves you to a higher level repertoire of complex dishes and skills, increasing your knowledge of advanced tools and techniques.

Highly experienced tutors help you develop practical and interpersonal skills working with a full range of ingredients, using the latest in equipment, investigating culinary, economic and ethical trends, and learning sound operational management skills.

This is an immersive learning experience designed for those who are serious about cooking food, eating food, thinking about food, and learning about ingredients and techniques.

What you will learn
Theory lectures and practical sessions are conducted in our state of the art purpose-built kitchens. The facility operates a realistic commercial environment in which you can develop the skills required in a modern professional kitchen.

Speed, accuracy and consistency are key to what you learn and as your confidence grows, you’ll become more naturally able to correct mistakes, adjust seasoning, enjoy experimenting with flavours and finding your unique style and preferences, while learning how to lead and manage others.

The culinary lecturers take every opportunity to expose you to as many commodities, trends, cooking methods and chef’s tips as possible. You’ll also be encouraged to take part in competitions.

As a college, we’ve achieved great results regionally and nationally in individual and team events.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
- Working as part of a team
- Health, safety and security in the work environment
- Food safety
- Certificate in Professional Food and Beverage Service
- Managing Food Safety
- Nutrition in Food Production

Course Content
Optional Units
Optional units cover preparation, cooking and finishing of various complex commodities like vegetables, poultry, meat, fish, shellfish. These are integrated with other units covering complex sauce making, rice dishes, pasta, soups and stocks, complex hot and cold desserts.

Additional Information
The College offers lots of opportunities for students who take part in competitions. As a college, we’ve achieved great results regionally and nationally in individual and team events.

Course Content
This programme is mostly assessed by observation of performance, processes and product.

Entry Requirements
You’ll agree a timeframe of training and assessment with tutors and this will be underpinned with assessment of written and/or oral questioning to ensure in-depth knowledge of the particular topic, unit or module.

The course uses a number of methods to assess learning and capabilities, but a strong emphasis is placed on ‘know it, show it, live it’.

Progression
The teaching team make it their mission to ensure our new chefs emerge well-rounded, well-informed, up-to-date, industry ready and most likely, already in employment part-time or moving towards the workplace in a full-time capacity.

Depending on the individual motivations, we encourage students to take a ‘lifelong learning’ approach to their further professional development and qualification portfolio, and we support the right candidate to pursue a Level 5 degree in Culinary Arts or Hospitality Management.

Many of our students return to us to take up higher level learning, to become workplace assessors or indeed to join our part-time teaching panel.
CITY & GUILDS LEVEL 3
HOSPITALITY SUPERVISION
AND LEADERSHIP

Course Code: 68008611
Session Code: TBA
Awarding Body: City & Guilds
Campus Location: Dungannon
Enniskillen
Omagh
Level: 3
No. Years: 1
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Campus (during term time): Dungannon
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Course Description
This course gives you the skills and attributes you’ll need for
junior, trainee, supervisor or team leader roles across a
range of hospitality sectors including restaurants, bars,
cafés, hotels, hospitals, schools, contract caterers,
cruise ships, etc. It provides practical experience so you
develop relevant, work-ready skills.

This programme is right for
you if you’ve worked in the
hospitality industry for some
time - you may have plenty of
experience, and you might
already supervise others or
manage resources, but this
course will develop your
knowledge and skills further,
helping you move into a higher
management role.

What you will learn
This course gives you the
skills to work under pressure,
run shifts, deliver fantastic
customer service and motivate
your team across a variety
of functions that reflect the
nature of the industry.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Set objectives and provide
  support for team members
• Develop working
  relationships with
  colleagues
• Contribute to the control of
  resources
• Maintain the health,
  hygiene, safety and security
  of the working environment
• Lead a team to improve
  customer service

Course Content
Optional Units
Optional units include:
• Providing a food or drink
  service
• Front office and
  accommodation services
• Management skills in food
  production
• Leading and managing a
  successful meeting
• Improving the customer
  experience

Additional Information
The key to success on
this programme are the
relationships between you,
the tutors and your employer.
Together we can identify and
build on your current strengths
and attributes you’ll need for
supervision, providing they can demonstrate
a good level of these mandatory
skills.

Assessment Methods
The course comprises ongoing
assessments of practical
performance in a suitable
workplace.

Assessment is ‘solution
focused’ and involves continual
planning, implementing,
monitoring and reviewing of
the workplace.

Time is spent considering
management theories and
relevant knowledge, assessed
through questioning, role-plays
and professional discussion.

Progression
Successful completion of this
course will allow you to apply
for a wide variety of job roles in
the Hospitality, Leisure, Travel
and Tourism sector.

You may also consider
progressing to a Foundation
Degree or a Higher Level
Apprenticeship in Hospitality
Management.

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MADE.
LIFE AND LIVING SKILLS COURSES
OCR Entry Level Award, Certificate or Extended Certificate in Life and Living Skills (Entry 1 - Level 1)
OCR ENTRY LEVEL CERTIFICATE OR DIPLOMA IN LIFE AND LIFE AND LIVING SKILLS (ENTRY 1 - LEVEL 1)

Course Code: Arranged on application
Session Code: TBA
Awarding Body: OCR (Oxford, Cambridge & RSA)
Campus Location: Cookstown / Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh
Level: Entry 1 - 3
No. Years: 1 or 2
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Campus (during term time):
Cookstown / Dungannon
Enniskillen Omagh
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time):
Cookstown / Dungannon - Emma McConnell
Enniskillen - Winnie Boylan
Omagh - Jennifer Ward
Contact (during non-term time):
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
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Course Description
These high quality, nationally recognised qualifications are designed to recognise learners' development of knowledge and skills to operate independently and be effective in life, learning and work.

They’ve been designed for both young people and mature learners with a variety of needs, including those with profound and multiple learning disabilities.

Learners can progress to higher level units in the suite, or aim towards units at the same level if progression to a higher level isn’t possible.

What you will learn
Knowledge and understanding of transferable vocational and life skills such as looking after yourself, problem solving and time management.

An overview of key skills and knowledge relevant to the learner’s chosen area, including simulated work settings.

Course Content
Optional Units
• Art and Craft
• Communication
• The Environment and Community
• Home Management
• Horticulture

YOU WILL GAIN KNOWLEDGE AND UNDERSTANDING OF TRANSFERABLE VOCATIONAL AND LIFE SKILLS SUCH AS LOOKING AFTER YOURSELF, PROBLEM SOLVING AND TIME MANAGEMENT.

Assessment Methods
Assessment is through:
• Oral Question and Answer
• Role Play + Simulation
• Reflective Log or Diary
• Practical Demonstration
• Written Question and Answer

Progression
Learners can progress onto a higher level OCR qualification in Life and Living Skills (from Entry 1 to Entry 3) or another OCR vocational course or training programme.

Additional Information
Available on request from course coordinator.

Entry Requirements
No formal qualifications required. Students will be interviewed to access their appropriate level.
MEDIA, MUSIC AND PHOTOGRAPHY COURSES

OCR Level 2 Cambridge Technical Diploma in Media with Certificate in Art & Design 162

Pearson BTEC Level 3 90 Credit Diploma in Creative Media Production 164

Pearson BTEC Extended Diploma in Creative Media Production 166

Pearson BTEC Diploma in Creative Media Production with Subsidiary Diploma in an alternative creative subject* 168

*Art & Design/Performing Arts/Production Arts/Photography
**OCR LEVEL 2 CAMBRIDGE TECHNICAL DIPLOMA IN MEDIA WITH CERTIFICATE IN ART & DESIGN**

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**Course Description**
This course is about understanding the media and applying practical skills to create media products. You’ll develop valuable knowledge and understanding through work-related projects and assignments relevant to the media industry.

**What you will learn**
You’ll develop the responsibility and skills that are essential for the modern workplace including team working, working from a prescribed brief, working to deadlines and presenting.

**Course Content**

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**Entry Requirements**
4 GCSEs at Grades D to G or successful completion of a Level 1 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

**Assessment Methods**
All units are assignment based and Graded Pass, Merit, or Distinction.

**Progression**
You can progress onto Level 3 Creative Media Production with pathways in Games Design, Performing Arts and Art & Design, or to another suitable Level 3 course.

**YOU CAN PROGRESS ONTO LEVEL 3 CREATIVE MEDIA PRODUCTION WITH PATHWAYS IN GAMES DESIGN, PERFORMING ARTS AND ART & DESIGN**

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PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3
90 CREDIT DIPLOMA IN
CREATIVE MEDIA PRODUCTION

Course Description
This course gives you the chance to learn the basics of Creative Media Production with a view to continue to an Extended Diploma or to simply top up your UCAS points in one year by gaining the equivalent of 1.5 A-Levels. It covers the creative side of Film, TV, Journalism, Advertising, Games Development and Design, and gives you fundamental industry knowledge. Through work-related projects and coursework, you'll develop practical skills relevant to a broad range of roles in the media industry.

What you will learn
The course provides a foundation in the theory and practice of Creative Media Production. You'll learn professional practices of Creative Media Production and apply this to your own ideas.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
- Pre-Production Techniques
- Communication Skills
- Research Techniques
- Understanding the Creative Media Sector

Optional Units
- Single Camera Techniques
- Film and Video Editing
- Music Video Production
- Advertisement Production
- Documentary Production
- Digital Graphics for Print
- Multi-Camera Techniques
- Stop Motion Animation

*optional units will vary depending upon the specialism chosen

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

Assessment Methods
All units will be assessed by coursework assignments, reflecting the nature of the module content.

Progression
From here you can progress directly into the Extended Diploma or onto the BTEC Level 5 HND Creative Media, Ulster University Foundation Degree in Digital Arts and Technologies, many other undergraduate courses or straight into employment.
PEARSON BTEC EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN CREATIVE MEDIA PRODUCTION

Course Description
If you’re interested in the creative side of Film, TV, Journalism, Advertising, Games Development and Design, this is the course for you. You’ll develop fundamental industry knowledge in areas such as Pre-production Techniques, Research Techniques and Understanding the Creative Media Sector. Through work-related projects and coursework, you’ll develop practical skills relevant to a broad range of roles in the media industry.

What you will learn
The course provides a foundation in the theory and practice of Creative Media Production. You’ll learn professional practices of Creative Media Production and apply this to your own ideas. The course incorporates live projects and real clients to give you industry standard experience.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Pre-Production Techniques
• Communication Skills
• Research Techniques
• Creative Media Production Management Project
• Working to a Brief
• Critical Approaches
• Understanding the Creative Media Sector

Optional Units
Optional units include:
• Single Camera Techniques
• Film and Video Editing
• Music Video Production
• Advertisement Production
• Documentary Production
• Digital Graphics for Print
• Multi-Camera Techniques
• Games Design
• 2D Animation
• Stop Motion Animation
• 3D Modelling & Animation

*practical units may vary from campus to campus depending upon the specialisms offered on site

Additional Information
This course is equivalent to three A Levels. Assessment is coursework based and there are no exams.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

Assessment Methods
All units will be assessed by coursework assignments, reflecting the nature of the module content.

Progression
This course is the first step towards a career in Creative Media Production. From here you can progress directly into the Extended Diploma or onto the BTEC Level 5 HND Creative Media, Ulster University Foundation Degree in Digital Arts and Technologies, many other undergraduate courses or straight into employment.

YOU’LL DEVELOP FUNDAMENTAL INDUSTRY KNOWLEDGE IN AREAS SUCH AS PRE-PRODUCTION TECHNIQUES, RESEARCH TECHNIQUES AND UNDERSTANDING THE CREATIVE MEDIA SECTOR. THROUGH WORK-RELATED PROJECTS AND COURSEWORK, YOU’LL DEVELOP PRACTICAL SKILLS RELEVANT TO A BROAD RANGE OF ROLES IN THE MEDIA INDUSTRY.
PEARSON BTEC DIPLOMA IN CREATIVE MEDIA PRODUCTION WITH SUBSIDIARY DIPLOMA IN AN ALTERNATIVE CREATIVE SUBJECT*  
*ART & DESIGN/PERFORMING ARTS/PRODUCTION ARTS/PHOTOGRAPHY

Course Description
The aim of this course is to build upon the interest learners already have in the field of Creative Media Production, for example, Film, TV, Journalism, Advertising, Games Development and Design. Learners will develop a fundamental industry knowledge in aspects such as Pre-production Techniques, Research Techniques and Understanding the Creative Media Sector. Through work related projects and coursework, they will develop practical skills relevant to the broad range of roles within the media industry.

What you will learn
This course provides a foundation in the theory and practice of Creative Media Production. Students will learn professional practices of Creative Media Production and will apply this to their own ideas. The course incorporates live projects with real clients in order to provide learners with industry standard experience.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Pre-Production Techniques
• Communication Skills
• Research Techniques

Optional Units
Optional units include:
• Single Camera Techniques
• Film and Video Editing
• Photography and Photographic Practice
• Writing for TV and Video
• Factual Writing for Print
• Devising Plays
• Theatre for Children
• Developing Voice for the Actor
• Contemporary Theatre Performance
• Drama Improvisation

Please note: optional units will vary depending upon the specialism chosen.

Additional Information
This course is equivalent to 3 A Levels. Assessment is all coursework based – no exams.

Entry Requirements
Students will normally need to have at least one of the following:
• at least four GCSEs at grades A*-C
• Level 2 Diploma in a relevant subject

Assessment Methods
Units will be assessed by coursework assignments, reflecting the nature of the module content.

Progression
This course is the first step towards a career in Creative Media Production. From here you can progress directly into the Extended Diploma or onto the BTEC Level 5 HND Creative Media, Ulster University Foundation Degree in Digital Arts and Technologies, many other undergraduate courses or straight into employment.

THE AIM OF THIS COURSE IS TO BUILD UPON THE INTEREST LEARNERS ALREADY HAVE IN THE FIELD OF CREATIVE MEDIA PRODUCTION
PERFORMING ARTS - DRAMA - ACTING COURSES

Pearson BTEC Level 1/2 First Extended Certificate in Performing Arts 172

Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Performing Arts 174

Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Performing Arts with Subsidiary Diploma in Creative Media Production 176
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 1/2
FIRST EXTENDED CERTIFICATE
IN PERFORMING ARTS

Course Description
This course is for you if you have an interest in Performing Arts, or you want to test the waters to see if this is an area you’d like to pursue.

What you will learn
The course is an introduction to the performing arts industry and is designed to inspire you further. You’ll develop skills in performance, acting, singing and production techniques.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
• Individual Showcase
• Preparation, Performance and Production

Optional Units
• Acting Skills
• Musical Theatre Skills
• Devising Performance Work
• Voice and Speech for Performers
• Performing Scripted Plays

Additional Information
You’ll have the chance to attend performances and specialist workshops throughout the course. These will incur an additional cost of around £50 each year depending on the event.

Entry Requirements
Students need minimum of 3Ds at GCSEs, or equivalent. You also need to be prepared to participate in practical classes.

Assessment Methods
Assessment for the course is mostly through internally assessed assignments, although 20% of the course is externally assessed.

Progression
Successful completion of the Level 2 qualification allows you to progress to the BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Performing Arts.

SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF THE LEVEL 2 QUALIFICATION ALLOWS YOU TO PROGRESS TO THE BTEC LEVEL 3 EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN PERFORMING ARTS.
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3 EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN PERFORMING ARTS

Course Description
If you love to perform, this course is for you. You’ll learn the craft and business of performance under the expert guidance of tutors with current professional experience.

What you will learn
This general course in performing arts will introduce you to a range of disciplines to develop your all-round performance skills. The main focus is acting, but you’ll also cover singing and movement skills.

The course also develops transferable employability skills such as self-confidence, self-management, time management, critical thinking, working collaboratively, and reflective practice.

Alongside the main qualification, you’ll study additional Level 2 units in stage lighting, dance and study skills.

Course Content

Mandatory Units

- Performance Workshop
- Performing Arts Business
- Historical Context of Performance
- Rehearsing for Performance
- Performing to an Audience

Optional Units

- Classical Theatre Performance
- Theatre for Children
- Developing Voice for the Actor

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification.

Assessment Methods
Assessment will be carried out by practical performances and written assignments throughout the duration of the course.

Progression
The course helps prepare you for progression to higher education courses in the performing arts discipline, such as degrees in Performance, Theatre Studies, Drama, Acting, and HNC/HNDs in Acting or Performing Arts, which can lead to employment in the performing arts sector.

Additional Information
You’ll need to wear comfortable black clothing and shoes for rehearsals and workshops.

You’ll have the chance to attend performances and specialist workshops throughout the course. These will incur an additional cost of around £50 each year depending on the event.

Contact:
Joanne Lucas
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Entry Requirements
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Assessment Methods
Assessment will be carried out by practical performances and written assignments throughout the duration of the course.

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THE COURSE HELPS PREPARE YOU FOR PROGRESSION TO HIGHER EDUCATION COURSES IN THE PERFORMING ARTS DISCIPLINE, SUCH AS DEGREES IN PERFORMANCE, THEATRE STUDIES, DRAMA, ACTING, AND HNC/HNDs IN ACTING OR PERFORMING ARTS
Course Description
This course will build upon a strong interest individuals already possess in the Creative Arts, to develop their skills and understanding with the aim of preparing them to progress to Higher Education or to enter the industry directly.

What you will learn
The qualifications are a blend of core and carefully selected optional units and have been designed to afford learners the opportunity to gain as much practical, industry relevant experience and skills as possible. The course is practically focused to develop expertise in the areas of Drama, Technical Theatre, Music and Dance. At the end of 2 years learners will have gained L3 Diploma in Performing Arts (2 A Levels) and L3 Sub Diploma in a Creative Arts subject.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification.

You should be interested in performance, and be prepared to participate in practical classes. This will be assessed by audition. Consideration will be given to learners who don’t meet the entry requirements, but can demonstrate experience and commitment to the performing arts.

Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

Assessment Methods
Assessment is all coursework based – no exams.

As a practically focused, vocational course, assessment will be carried out by the use of performances, projects and coursework assignments over the two years. These will offer opportunities to achieve Pass, Merit, or Distinction grades, and will be tracked through the year to form one final grade for each Diploma ranging from PP to D*D*. Learners will finish with the equivalent of 3 A Levels in total and associated UCAS points.

Progression
Progression opportunities include access to Higher Education courses in Performing and Creative Arts and also to a range of Higher Education courses in other disciplines. Successful learners leave this course with well-developed skills such as teamwork, communication, planning and organisation, and creativity.

THE COURSE IS PRACTICALLY FOCUSED TO DEVELOP EXPERTISE IN THE AREAS OF DRAMA, TECHNICAL THEATRE, MUSIC AND DANCE. AT THE END OF 2 YEARS LEARNERS WILL HAVE GAINED L3 DIPLOMA IN PERFORMING ARTS (2 A LEVELS) AND L3 SUB DIPLOMA IN A CREATIVE ARTS SUBJECT.
PHOTOGRAPHY AND GRAPHIC DESIGN COURSES
OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Subsidiary Diplomas in Art & Design (Combined) 180
OCR LEVEL 3 CAMBRIDGE TECHNICAL SUBSIDIARY DIPLOMAS IN ART & DESIGN (COMBINED)

Course Code: 60040967
Session Code: TDF1A
Awarding Body: OCR (Oxford, Cambridge & RSA)
Campus Location: Dungannon
Level: 3
No. Years: 2
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Campus:
(during term time) Dungannon
Contact Co-ordinator:
(during term time) Paul Dickinson
Paul.Dickinson@swc.ac.uk
Contact (during non-term time) The Admissions Office at your relevant campus www.swc.ac.uk/contactus 028 8225 0109

Course Description
The Graphics and Photography Pathway is a two-year course split into two one-year elements.

In the first year, you’ll be placed onto the Subsidiary Diploma, where you’ll study 9 units, 18 in total over the 2 years. This is the equivalent of 3 A Levels.

What you will learn

A typical unit consists of initial research, experimentation, generating ideas for a brief, developing ideas, presenting ideas to a client, using client feedback to refine ideas, and presenting a final outcome in response to a brief. Each unit is designed to be delivered as a project, based on commercial outcomes.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Art & Design in Context is a mandatory unit in each year. You’ll specialise in your major for that year, either Photography or Graphic Design.

Course Content
Optional Units
Optional units include:
- Exploring Digital Photography
- Art and Design Illustration
- Exploring Film-based Photography
- Design for Advertising
- Digital Image Creation
- Using Digital Technology in Graphic Design
- Portrait Photography
- Character Design and Creation
- Landscape Photography
- Branding Corporate Design
- How artists and Designers Use 2D Materials, Techniques and Processes
- Realising an Outcome for a Specialist Art or Design Brief
- Exploring Artists as Photographers
- Motion Graphics
- Creating Animation
- Exhibiting and Presenting Artwork
- OCR NI Level 2 Award in Photography

Additional Information
You’ll begin with an introduction to the Adobe range of industry-standard software, and you’ll be expected to build on your skills throughout the course.

A series of industry talks and educational and team-building visits are conducted over the two years to help you develop your commercial awareness and make decisions about your future career.

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths (including Art) or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

If you don’t have Grade C in English, Maths or Computing, you’ll need to complete Essential Skills in Literacy, Numeracy and/or ICT.

You’ll also need to have a successful interview. You’ll need to bring a portfolio of art and design work to your interview, which should demonstrate an awareness and enthusiasm for Art & Design.

You’ll need to have a DSLR and a 500gb Hard Drive before joining this course.

For Progression to Year 2, satisfactory completion of Year 1 studies must be achieved.

Assessment Methods
You’ll be assessed throughout the year and you’ll be expected to complete a range of assignments on an ongoing basis. This includes the production of 2D and 3D work with accompanying sketchbooks and written work, culminating in a final major project and end-of-the-year show.

Units are delivered by coursework, which is internally assessed and externally moderated. There are no exams.

Progression
This course will give you the tools to progress to associated Degree programmes, or move directly into work placements or employment. Students who recently completed the qualification progressed to Degree and HND courses in Northern Ireland, Ireland, England, Scotland and Wales.

The course provides a pathway into the College’s HNC/D in Photography & Graphic Design, provided the prerequisite qualification level is achieved.

THIS COURSE WILL GIVE YOU THE TOOLS TO PROGRESS TO ASSOCIATED DEGREE PROGRAMMES, OR MOVE DIRECTLY INTO WORK PLACEMENTS OR EMPLOYMENT.
SCIENCE COURSES
Pearson BTEC Level 3 90 Credit Diploma in Applied Science 184
Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Applied Science 186
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3
90 CREDIT DIPLOMA IN
APPLIED SCIENCE

Course Description
This course will develop your skills and deepen your understanding of science, preparing you for progression into Higher Education or alternatively, you could move into employment within the science sector.

If you’re considering progression to Higher Education, this qualification should be undertaken to top up existing UCAS points gained through other Level 3 study.

What you will learn
You’ll learn practical skills and grow expertise through hands-on laboratory experience, industry workshops and project-based learning.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Fundamentals of Science
• Working in the Science Industry
• Scientific Investigations
• Scientific Practical Techniques

Optional Units
Optional units include:
• Psychology
• Ethics
• Environmental science
• Mathematics
• Chemistry

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths (including a science-related subject) or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification.

Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

If you don’t have Grade C in English, Maths or Computing, you’ll need to complete Essential Skills in Literacy, Numeracy and/or ICT.

Assessment Methods
You’ll complete projects and coursework assignments which will be Graded Pass, Merit or Distinction. These are tracked through the year to form one final Grade for each unit. This equates to UCAS points similar to A Level Grades.

Progression
You can progress to a range of Higher Education courses such as the Ulster University Foundation Degree in Applied and Medical Sciences (Enniskillen Campus) or other Honours Degree programmes in science and related areas.

Alternatively, you could move into employment within the science sector.

This programme provides many progression opportunities towards a variety of careers, such as biomedical science, nursing, psychology, food and nutrition, environmental science, criminology and veterinary sciences.

THIS COURSE WILL DEVELOP YOUR SKILLS AND DEEPEN YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF SCIENCE, PREPARING YOU FOR PROGRESSION INTO HIGHER EDUCATION OR EMPLOYMENT
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3 EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN APPLIED SCIENCE

Course Code : 50067205
Session Code : TBA
Awarding Body : Pearson
Campus Location : Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh
Level : 3
No. Years : 2
Interview Required : Yes
Contact Campus (during term time) : Dungannon Enniskillen Omagh
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time) : Dungannon - Ruth McAlister Ruth.McAlister@swc.ac.uk
Enniskillen - Caroline Harker Caroline.Harker@swc.ac.uk
Omagh - Christine Irvine Christine.Irvine@swc.ac.uk
Contact (during non-term time) : The Admissions Office at your relevant campus
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Course Description
This course will develop your skills and deepen your understanding of science, preparing you for progression into Higher Education or alternatively, you could move into employment within the science sector.

What you will learn
You’ll learn practical skills and grow expertise through hands-on laboratory experience, industry workshops and project-based learning.

Course Content

Mandatory Units
• Fundamentals of Science
• Working in the Science Industry
• Scientific Investigations
• Scientific Practical

Optional Units
• Physiology
• Genetics
• Infectious diseases
• Biomedical energy sources
• Forensics
• Psychology
• Ethics
• Environmental science
• Mathematics
• Chemistry

Entry Requirements
4 GCSEs at Grades C or above including English Language and/or Maths (including a science-related subject) or successful completion of a Level 2 related qualification. Please check with the individual Course Co-ordinator on application. Criteria may be subject to change.

If you don’t have Grade C in English, Maths or ICT, you’ll need to complete Essential Skills in Literacy, Numeracy and/or ICT.

You’ll also need to have a successful interview.

Assessment Methods
You’ll complete projects and coursework assignments which will be Graded Pass, Merit or Distinction. These are tracked through the year to form one final Grade for each unit. This equates to UCAS points similar to A Level Grades.

Progression
You can progress to a range of Higher Education courses such as the Ulster University Foundation Degree in Applied and Medical Sciences (Enniskillen Campus) or other Honours Degree programmes in science and related areas. Alternatively, you could move into employment within the science sector.

THIS COURSE WILL DEVELOP YOUR SKILLS AND DEEPEN YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF SCIENCE, PREPARING YOU FOR PROGRESSION INTO HIGHER EDUCATION OR ALTERNATIVELY, YOU COULD MOVE INTO EMPLOYMENT WITHIN THE SCIENCE SECTOR.
SPORT, FITNESS AND LEISURE COURSES

Pearson BTEC Level 2
First Diploma in Sport 190

BTEC Level 3 90 Credit Diploma in Sport and Exercise Science 192

BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Sport and Exercise Science 194

BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Sport (Football Studies) Sport Development, Coaching and Fitness 196
PEARSON BTEC
LEVEL 2
FIRST DIPLOMA IN SPORT

Course Description
This course will give you a broad understanding of the areas of exercise, fitness and sports development. You’ll be required to complete projects and assignments based on realistic workplace situations.

What you will learn
You’ll gain real insight into the sports science industry through academic and practical work-based assignments.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
- Practical Sports Performance
- Anatomy and Physiology for Sports Performance
- Fitness for Sport and Exercise

Optional Units
- Mind and Sports Performance
- Sports Performer in Action
- Training for Personal Fitness
- Leading Sports Activities
- Injury and the Sports Performer

Additional Information
You’ll undertake a Coach Education Programme and complete courses in:
- Sports Coaching and Leadership
- First Aid
- Safeguarding of Children in a Sports Environment
- Disability Awareness for Sports Practitioners
- RLSS UK’s Survive & Save Programme
- IFA Football Grass Roots and Level 1 Award
- GAA Foundation & Level 1 Award
- Cricket Ireland Gateway to coaching
- Introductory Performance Analysis

Entry Requirements
Standard entry requirements are a minimum of six points at GCSE (3 grade Ds) or equivalent.

Assessment Methods
Assessment methods include written documents, practical assessments, presentations, logbooks, use of video evidence, open-book tests, leaflets/brochures.

Progression
You can progress onto the Level 3 90 Credit Diploma in Sport, the Level 3 Extended Diploma in Sport and from there, onto Higher Education courses like the HND in Sport.

Career pathways include:
- Sports Nutrition
- Sports Coaching
- Personal Trainer
- Leisure and/or Events Management
- Fitness Instructor

YOU’LL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PLAY FOR A NUMBER OF TEAMS AT THE COLLEGE, INCLUDING GAELIC FOOTBALL, SOCCER AND NETBALL.
BTEC LEVEL 3 90 CREDIT DIPLOMA IN SPORT AND EXERCISE SCIENCE

Course Description
If you're hoping to pursue a career in the sport or health industries, physical education, or you're interested in how the body works, then sports science and its related disciplines could prove to be the perfect course for you.

All students are expected to participate in a range of theory and practical activities during their time on the course. You'll be given the opportunity to gain qualifications in a range of sport-related and sports coaching disciplines aimed at increasing employability and providing you with an edge when applying to higher education.

What you will learn
You'll gain full insight into the sports science industry through academic and practical work-based assignments.

Course Content

Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Anatomy for Sport and Exercise
• Sport and Exercise Physiology
• Research Methods for Sport and Exercise
• Fitness Testing for Sport and Exercise

Optional Units
Optional units include:
• Fitness Training and Programming
• Current Issues in Sport
• Instructing Physical Activity and Exercise
• Practical Team Sports

Additional Information
Students will undertake a Coach Education Programme and complete courses in:
• Sports Coaching and Leadership
• First Aid
• Safeguarding of Children in a Sports Environment
• Disability Awareness for Sports Practitioners
• RLLS UK’s Survive & Save Programme
• IFA Football Grass Roots and Level 1 Award
• GAA Foundation & Level 1 Award
• Cricket Ireland Gateway to Coaching
• Introductory Performance Analysis

You'll also have the opportunity to play for a number of teams at the College, including Gaelic football, soccer and netball.

Entry Requirements
The minimum requirement for entry is 4 GCSEs (Grade A*-C or equivalent), or successful completion of a Level 2 BTEC [First] Diploma. Preference will be given to those students with GCSE Science and/or Physical Education. Places on the course are limited, so it may be necessary to enhance the entry requirements in the event of over subscription.

Assessment Methods
Assessment methods include written documents, practical assessments, presentations, logbooks and use of video evidence.

Progression
Successful completion of the course can lead to progression onto the Pearson BTEC L3 Extended Diploma in Sport and Exercise Sciences. The qualification can also be combined with other subjects to form part of a UCAS/University application.

Progression routes are varied and follow different career pathways such as -
Life and Health Sciences:
• BSc Hons Podiatry
• BSc Hons Physiotherapy **
• BSc Hons Occupational Therapy BSc Hons Health Physiology **
• BSc Hons Healthcare Science **
• BSc Hons Nursing**
** provided the GCSE Science entry requirements are met
HE Sports Degrees and HND courses:
• Sports Studies
• Sport and Exercise Science
Other Sport Related Disciplines:
• Sports Nutritionist
• Performance Analyst
• Exercise Physiologist
• Sports Coaching
• Sports Journalist
• Fitness Instructor and Personal Trainer
• Leisure and/or Events Management
• Teaching Physical Education (Primary and Secondary via PGCE)
BTEC LEVEL 3 EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN SPORT AND EXERCISE SCIENCE

### Course Description
If you’re hoping to pursue a career in the sport or health industries, physical education, or you’re interested in how the body works, then sports science and its related disciplines could prove to be the perfect course for you.

All students are expected to participate in a range of theory and practical activities during their time on the course. You’ll be given the opportunity to gain qualifications in a range of sport-related and sports coaching disciplines aimed at increasing employability and providing you with an edge when applying to higher education.

### Course Content

**Mandatory Units**
- Anatomy for Sport and Exercise
- Sport and Exercise Physiology
- Sport and Exercise Psychology
- Research Methods for Sport and Exercise Sciences
- Fitness Testing for Sport and Exercise
- Research Project in Sport and Exercise Sciences

**Optional Units**
- Sports Biomechanics in Action
- Sports Nutrition
- Exercise, Health and Lifestyle
- Sports Coaching
- Practical Individual Sports
- Exercise for Specific Groups
- Practical Team Sports
- Instructing Physical Activity Programming
- Current Issues in Sport
- Fitness Training and Programming

### What you will learn
You’ll gain full insight into the sports science industry through academic and practical work-based assignments.

### Entry Requirements
- **Minimum Requirement:** 4 GCSEs (Grade A*-C or equivalent), or successful completion of a Level 2 BTEC (First) Diploma. Preference will be given to those students with evidence.
- **Further Entries:**GCSE Science and/or Physical Education. Places on the course are limited, so it may be necessary to enhance the entry requirements in the event of over subscription.

### Assessment Methods
Assessment methods include written documents, practical assessments, presentations, portfolios, logbooks and use of video evidence.

### Additional Information
Students will undertake a Coach Education Programme and complete courses in:
- Sports Coaching and Leadership
- First Aid
- Safeguarding of Children in a Sports Environment
- Disability Awareness for Sports Practitioners
- RLSS UK’s Survive & Save Programme
- IFA Football Grass Roots and Level 1 Award
- GAA Foundation & Level 1 Award
- Cricket Ireland Gateway to Coaching
- Introductory Performance Analysis

You’ll also have the opportunity to play for a number of teams at the College, including Gaelic football, soccer and netball.

### Progression
Successful completion of the course can lead to relevant Higher Education courses, for example, the Higher National Diploma in Sport at South West College.

The qualification can also be combined with other subjects to form part of a UCAS/University application.

### Progression routes
Progression routes are varied and follow different career pathways such as:
- Life and Health Sciences:
  - BSc Hons Podiatry
  - BSc Hons Physiotherapy
  - BSc Hons Occupational Therapy
  - BSc Hons Health Physiology
  - BSc Hons Healthcare Science
- Other Sport Related Disciplines:
  - Other Sport Related
  - Sports Nutritionist
  - Performance Analyst
  - Exercise Physiologist
  - Sports Coaching
  - Sports Journalism
  - Fitness Instructor and Personal Trainer
  - Leisure and/or Events Management
  - Teaching Physical Education (Primary and Secondary via PGCE)
**BTEC LEVEL 3 EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN SPORT (FOOTBALL STUDIES) SPORT DEVELOPMENT, COACHING AND FITNESS**

**Course Code:** 66039310  
**Session Code:** BEF1A  
**Awarding Body:** Pearson  
**Campus Location:** Enniskillen  
**Level:** 3  
**No. Years:** 2  
**Interview Required:** Yes  
**Contact Campus (during term time):** Rodney Topping  
**Contact (during non-term time):** The Admissions Office at your relevant campus.

### Course Description
The South West College Football Studies programme is ideal if you want to pursue a career in the sports industry.

You’ll achieve an internationally recognised qualification (BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Sport - equivalent to 3 A Levels) and you’ll develop your knowledge, understanding and practical ability in football.

The programme combines academic qualifications, practical skill development and experience of top level coaching delivered through theory and practical sessions. You’ll also be able to represent the college in competitive sporting fixtures.

### What you will learn
You’ll gain full insight into the sports science industry through academic and practical work-based assignments with a football theme.

### Course Content

#### Mandatory Units
- Principles of Anatomy and Physiology in Sport
- Physiology of Fitness
- Assessing Risk in Sport
- Fitness Training and Programming
- Sports Coaching
- Sports Development
- Fitness Testing for Sport and Exercise

#### Optional Units
- Practical Team Sports
- Current Issues in Sport
- Leadership in Sport
- Practical Team Sports
- Sports Injuries
- Rules, Regulations and Officiating in Sport
- Sport and Exercise Massage
- Organising Sports Events
- Practical Individual Sports
- Talent Identification and Development in Sport
- Work Experience in Sport
- Analysis of Sports Performance
- Instructing Physical Activity and Exercise

### Additional Information
Additional qualifications enhance the main programme with options such as:
- Sports Leaders UK – Level 2 Award in Community Sports Leadership
- YMCA – Level 2 Award in Instructing Circuit Training Sessions
- Safeguarding Children and Young People
- Irish FA – Level 1 Award
- Irish FA – Grassroots Introductory Award
- Irish FA – Referee Level 1 Award
- QCCNI – Level 2 Football Administration
- Basic First Aid

### Assessment Methods
Assessment methods include written documents, practical assessments, presentations, logbooks and use of video evidence.

All assignments are designed and marked by the course tutors and all assessment is portfolio based (no external exams).

These assessments have been designed in conjunction with local sport and recreation providers.

### Entry Requirements
The minimum requirement for entry is 4 GCSEs (Grade A*-C or equivalent), or successful completion of a Level 2 BTEC (First) Diploma. Preference will be given to those students with GCSE Science and/or Physical Education. Places on the course are limited, so it may be necessary to enhance the entry requirements in the event of over subscription.

### Progression
Successful completion of the course can lead to progression to Higher Education courses, for example, the Higher National Diploma in Sport at South West College.

The qualification can also be used to form part of a UCAS/University application.

The course can lead to different career pathways such as:
- Teaching Physical Education [Primary & Secondary via PGCE]
- Sports Nutritionist
- Performance Analyst
- Exercise Physiologist
- Sports Journalist
- Fitness Instructor & Personal Trainer
- Leisure and/or Events Management
- Sport Scientist
- Sports Coaching

### Progression
This programme combines academic qualifications, practical skills development and experience of top level coaching.

### Course Content

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- Sports Journalist
- Fitness Instructor & Personal Trainer
- Leisure and/or Events Management
- Sport Scientist
- Sports Coaching

### Progression
This programme combines academic qualifications, practical skills development and experience of top level coaching.
PEARSON BTEC LEVEL 3 EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN TRAVEL AND TOURISM

Course Code: 50098615
Session Code: TBA
Awarding Body: BTEC
Campus Location: Dungannon
Enniskillen
Level: 3
No. Years: 2
Interview Required: Yes
Contact Campus (during term time):
Dungannon
Enniskillen
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time):
Dungannon - Sarah Cox
Sarah.Cox@swc.ac.uk
Enniskillen - Clodagh Swift
Clodagh.Swift@swc.ac.uk
Contact (during non-term time):
The Admissions Office at your relevant campus:
www.swc.ac.uk/contactus
028 8225 0109

Course Description
This course will equip you with the knowledge, understanding and skills required for success in higher education and/or employment in the travel and tourism sector.
You’ll develop skills for the modern-day workplace, including team-working, working to deadlines, presenting information effectively and accurately completing administrative tasks and processes.

South West College has excellent relations with the local travel and tourism industry and this will significantly help your learning. The course involves industry visits and guest speakers, and you’ll be taught by lecturers with a significant amount of industry experience.

In year two of the programme, there will be a mandatory residential. You’ll be expected to make a full financial contribution, either personally and/or through fundraising.

What you will learn
You’ll explore and carry out a range of administrative tasks, learning practical modern methods relevant to the work context. You’ll learn a range of skills that focus on modern-administrative functions.

YOU’LL DEVELOP SKILLS FOR THE MODERN-DAY WORKPLACE, INCLUDING TEAM-WORKING, WORKING TO DEADLINES, PRESENTING INFORMATION EFFECTIVELY AND ACCURATELY COMPLETING ADMINISTRATIVE TASKS AND PROCESSES.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Mandatory units include:
• Investigating the Travel and Tourism Sector
• The Business of Travel and Tourism
• The UK as a Destination
• Customer Service in Travel and Tourism

Optional Units
Optional units include:
• Marketing Travel and Tourism Products and Services
• Preparing for Employment in Travel and Tourism
• European Destinations
• Long-haul Travel Destinations
• Retail Travel Operations
• Business Travel Operations
• Investigating the Cruise Industry
• Responsible Tourism
• Tour Operations
• Specialist Tourism
• Working as a Holiday Representative
• Passenger Transport for Travel and Tourism
• Events, Conferences and Exhibitions
• Tourism in Rural Areas
• UK Visitor Attractions
• Hospitality Operations in Travel and Tourism
• Entertainment for Holidaymakers
• Work Experience in the Travel and Tourism Sector
• Residential Study Visit in Travel and Tourism
• Airfares and Ticketing
• Working as a Children’s Representative in Travel and Tourism
• Researching Current Issues in Travel and Tourism
• Organising a Travel and Tourism Study Visit
• Principles of Supervising Customer Service, Performance in Hospitality Leisure, Travel and Tourism

Entry Requirements
Applicants require at least 4 GCSEs at grade C or above. Successful applicants will be required to complete Essential Skills in Literacy, Numeracy and IT if they do not have a GCSE grade C in English, Maths or ICT.

Assessment Methods
All units are coursework-based and will be assessed internally by the travel and tourism staff at the College.
Assessment methods include written tasks, worksheets, oral discussions, presentations, practical activities and group work.

Progression
You can progress to study at a higher level, for example, the Ulster University Foundation Degree in International Travel and Tourism Management, offered at South West College.
Or you could go onto employment such as working as a travel agent, tourist information advisor, member of a visitor attraction team, hotel or tour operations, tour guiding or airline cabin crew.
ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION COURSES
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ULSTER UNIVERSITY ACCESS DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES (ENNISKILLEN)

ACCESS DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL SCIENCES (DUNGANNON & OMAGH)

Course Code : P10012
Session Code : TBA
Awarding Body : Ulster University
Campus Location : Dungannon / Enniskillen / Omagh
Level : 3
No. Years : 1 Year Full-time or 2 Years Part-time
Interview Required : Yes
Contact Campus (during term time) : Dungannon
Contact Co-ordinator (during term time) : Alastair McCarley
Contact (during non-term time) : The Admissions Office at your relevant campus

Course Description
The Access Diploma offers a diverse range of social science subjects aimed at adult learners who would like to progress to university education. The course provides entry into higher education and also improves employment opportunities. The programme of study also provides learners with an interesting, supportive and enjoyable learning environment in which they can become better learners.

What you will learn
This course provides learners with a varied range of social science based subjects along with a detailed and comprehensive knowledge and understanding of these. Learners studying this course learn about social issues and social problems, how modern society operates and how human people behave. The course can be studied either full-time or part-time, during the day in Omagh, Dungannon and Enniskillen campuses.

Course Content
Mandatory Units
Semester 1 (FT)/Year 1 (PT)
• Communication
• Maths 1
• Maths 2
• Sociology
Semester 2 (FT)/Year 2 (PT)
Dungannon/Omagh Campuses
• Social Policy
• Social Research
• Human Biology, Psychology & Health and Social Care
(choose two modules from three).
Enniskillen Campus
• Studies in Contemporary Society
• Explorations in Literature
• Social, Economic and Political History of Ulster;
• Film Studies

Learners also improve their IT and personal study skills whilst learning about the social sciences.

Entry Requirements
International students must meet the entry requirements and follow the same admissions process as above.

Assessment Methods
Learners will learn particularly through lectures and tutorials, and will be assessed by assignments, examinations, presentations and practicals.

Tuition Fees
£450

Other Fees Associated
• English & Maths assessments, which must reflect the required standard.

Entry Requirements for International Students
Students are required to:
• Comply with College Policies and procedures, rules and regulations (available in your Student Diary/Higher Education Handbook, online: www.swc.ac.uk and on the College VLE).
• Submit all coursework and assessments by specified dates, coursework submitted without consent after the deadline shall not normally be accepted.

Progression
Access courses are equivalent to A levels and are an increasingly popular way to advance into higher education at a local university or further education college. Most Access learners choose to study Nursing, Midwifery and Social Work. However, learners can also enrol onto any Social Science or Humanities related course such as Psychology, Sociology, Social Policy, Politics, Law, Media, Youth and Community Work or English Literature and even some specialist Science courses.

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