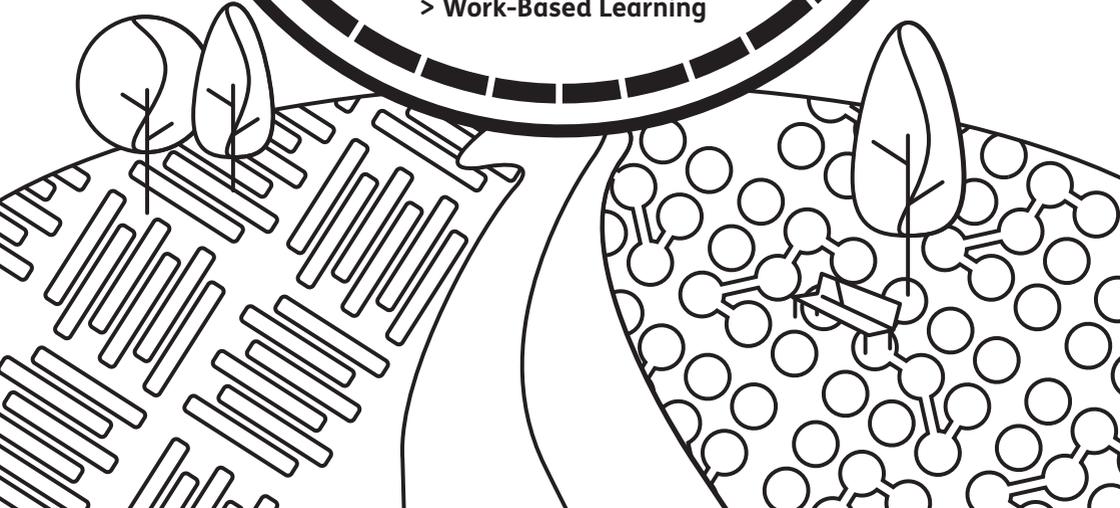




**Barnsley
College**

Adult Learning

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- > Work-Based Learning



Our Future is Bright

Barnsley College is joining with Chilypep to make a brighter future for our community. We've donated the colour from our Vocational, Part-time and Sixth Form course guides to raise awareness of Mental Health and Mindfulness.

One in four people will experience a mental health issue each year and 75% of mental illness starts before the age of 18*. We believe everyone deserves to have good wellbeing and grow up equipped with the tools they need to understand and support their mental wellbeing as they move into adulthood. Whilst there is growing awareness of the importance of wellbeing and the majority of young people are happy with their lives, it remains the case that many are not.

Why Chilypep?

Chilypep's purpose is to promote the rights, wellbeing and opportunities of all young people across South Yorkshire. The charity work with young people to campaign around issues that affect them; and work with organisations, schools, community services and local authorities to ensure that young people's rights are protected and that their best interests are served.

Both Barnsley College and Chilypep are working together to develop The Wellbeing Hub, a hub in Barnsley town centre, where young people can access emotional wellbeing support in a relaxed social space.

We can all play a vital role....

We can brighten up someone else's day by everyday actions such as checking in on a neighbour, calling a relative for a chat or asking, "are you ok?" All small acts of kindness can make a huge difference to a person's mental wellbeing.

Barnsley College recognises that our College has a responsibility to create an environment that promotes student and staff wellbeing; proactively supports student and staff mental health and as a result we have signed the Association of Colleges' Mental Health and Wellbeing Charter.

All students have access to an award-winning Health and Wellbeing Centre. Based at the Old Mill Lane campus, the Centre is open Monday to Friday and is staffed by a Health and Wellbeing team who can provide advice on a range of topics including mental health, counselling and mindfulness.

More information about the support available at the College can be found on page 24 or contact the Health and Wellbeing Centre by calling: ☎ **01226 216 233** or emailing:

✉ hwbc@barnsley.ac.uk

Find out more about Chilypep by visiting:

🌐 chilypep.org.uk



*NHS

Welcome to Barnsley College

Want to learn a new skill? Thinking about changing your career or starting your own business? Looking for a promotion but need a university-level course?

We can support you to achieve your goals!

Barnsley College offers a variety of courses for adults, from GCSEs to apprenticeships, Access to Higher Education courses to degrees. It's never too late to return to

education so if you are looking for a career change, want to brush up on your maths and English skills, or you need training to progress at work, we can help.

This booklet explains the different types of courses we offer and the financial help that might be available. If you need any further advice please contact our Information Team on: ☎ **01226 216 123** or ✉ **info@barnsley.ac.uk**

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What We Offer

| Course type | Level |
|--|----------------------------------|
| English and Maths | Entry Level to GCSE |
| English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) | ESOL Skills for Life Certificate |
| Part-time courses | Available at a variety of levels |
| Work-based learning courses | Available at a variety of levels |
| Distance learning courses | Levels 2 to 5 |
| Apprenticeships | Levels 2 to 5 |
| Access to Higher Education (HE) courses | Level 3 |
| Higher Education (HE) courses | Levels 4 to 7 |
| Teaching | Levels 2 to 4 |



2020/21 Open Day dates will be announced on our website:
📍 www.barnsley.ac.uk/events

Which Level?

All qualifications are given a level based on the National Qualifications Framework (NQF). They start at entry level and then are numbered from one to eight. At Barnsley College, our aim is to get you started at the right level. The table below will help you understand the different qualifications available at each of the levels.

| Level | Qualifications |
|---------|--|
| Entry | Entry Level courses to develop skills and increase confidence |
| Level 1 | GCSE grades 1/F to 3/D or Level 1 Certificate |
| Level 2 | GCSE grades 9/A* to 4/C or Level 2 NVQ or Level 2 Diploma |
| Level 3 | A Levels or Level 3 NVQ or Level 3 BTEC Diploma/Certificate or Technical qualification (T Level) |
| Level 4 | HNC, Level 4 Diploma or NVQ |
| Level 5 | Foundation Degree or HND or Level 5 Diploma |
| Level 6 | Bachelor's Degree (e.g. BA or BSc) |
| Level 7 | Master's Degree or Postgraduate Certificate or Postgraduate Diploma |
| Level 8 | Specialist qualifications such as PhDs |



FREE English and Maths courses

English and Maths are essential skills required by all employers, colleges and universities. Improve your reading, writing and numeracy skills with our free courses!

- Get the skills and qualifications all employers are looking for.
- Boost your C.V.
- Develop the skills to help you live, work and study.
- Improve your career prospects.

As an outstanding College, we offer:

- Free assessments.
- Flexible courses tailored to your learning needs and can fit in with your home or work life.
- Experienced staff dedicated to help you achieve the best.
- Excellent facilities.
- Courses from Entry Level to GCSE.
- Courses for adults and those aged 16 to 18.

The classes will be taught by attending one lesson in College and one lesson will be taught online. Alternatively, you may choose to study Functional Skills English and Maths as a distance learning option, meaning you won't have to attend College for any classes at all. Whichever learning method you choose, you will be required to attend College for an initial assessment and final examinations.



Ready to apply? Visit @ www.barnsley.ac.uk/essential

English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) courses

Build on your English communication skills when it comes to reading, writing, listening and speaking.

We have students from a wide range of countries and backgrounds. A total of 36 different languages are spoken by our English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) students. Our qualified teachers will help you with your English and Maths for everyday life, you will study in a friendly, safe environment, meet new friends, gain confidence and learn employability skills.

With our ESOL course you will study English and Maths and you will also get the chance to study different subjects within College to help you decide on future study or career choices. Before you start you will need to do an assessment to find the right level for you.

To complete this course, you will be required to attend College for two lessons per week and one lesson will be taught online. You will be required to attend College for an initial assessment and final examinations. For further information please contact our Information Team on ☎ **01226 216 123** or email ✉ **info@barnsley.ac.uk**.

Case Studies

Francisco Torres Carmona

“I am from Spain and my current employment involves a lot of global travel. Whilst on business in Barnsley, I decided to study English at the College. Improving my English skills has helped me in my job as I can now communicate more efficiently with clients whilst on business trips around the world.”

College courses: English Functional Skills and GCSE English

Maria Palacios

“The tutors are really helpful, very patient and provide good examples which makes the subject easier to understand. Coming to College has given me the confidence to continue with my studies and after this course I intend to study Health and Social Care.”

College course: ESOL

Ready to apply? Visit www.barnsley.ac.uk/essential

Part-time Courses

We offer part-time courses in the following areas:

Barnsley College offers part-time courses which are perfect for anyone wanting to boost their job prospects, develop new skills or learn a new one.

Our courses are taught by expert tutors and you can enjoy all the benefits of the College's state-of-the-art buildings and fantastic facilities. If you're looking to gain a professional qualification, enhance your career or find a new hobby, the College could have the perfect course for you!

Animal Care



Whether it's dog grooming, falconry, wildlife or habitats that appeals to you, discover our range of rewarding course focused on the care and preservation of animals. If you love animals and would enjoy making the world a better place for them, apply for a part-time Animal Care course at: www.barnsley.ac.uk/animalcare

Art, Design and Fashion



Let your creativity run wild with one of our part-time Art, Design and Fashion courses. You can try your hand at pottery, learn how to silversmith or use the latest Adobe software to design logos and edit your photos. Want to know more about our part-time Art, Design and Fashion courses and apply for a place? Visit: www.barnsley.ac.uk/art

Business and Management



Our Business and Management courses will enable you to gain qualifications that will help you to start your own business or progress within the workplace. With courses ranging from Level 2 to Level 5, there really is something for everyone. To apply for a part-time Business and Management course visit: www.barnsley.ac.uk/business

Catering and Hospitality



Do you dream of being able to make your own bread, decorate your cakes so they could rival the Great British Bake Off or whip up a curry that's bursting with flavour? Our part-time Catering and Hospitality courses will give you the skills to be able to do just that. Visit: www.barnsley.ac.uk/candh to find out which course tickles your taste buds.

Ready to apply? Visit www.barnsley.ac.uk/part-time

Childcare and Education Professions



including Teacher Training

If you want to work with children, young people or become a teacher, our Childcare and Education Professions courses will allow you to gain the skills and qualifications that will enable you to gain a rewarding career within this specialist sector.

To apply for a part-time Childcare and Education Professions course visit:

🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/childcare

Digital



Does the thought of using a computer fill you with dread? Our free ICT Functional Skills courses will develop your ICT skills and show you how to use them in real-life situations. We also offer Microsoft accredited courses which will teach you how to use individual Microsoft packages. Apply for a part-time Digital course at:

🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/computing and you'll be a computer whizz in no time.

Engineering



If you like working with your hands and fixing electrical equipment, then enrolling onto a part-time Engineering course is the perfect choice for you. Be a bright spark and apply online: 🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/engineering

English and Maths



Having recognised English and Maths qualifications is becoming more important than ever before. Don't let not holding GCSE qualifications hold you back any longer and enrol onto one of our courses at: 🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/essential. Even better, if you haven't already achieved GCSE English and Maths at grade 9/A*-4/C you can study them for free!

Foundation Learning



Our Foundation Learning courses are aimed at adults aged 19-25. These courses provide you with the necessary skills required to enable personal development in preparation for further learning and employment. Like the sound of this course and want to apply, you can at: 🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/foundation

Hair and Beauty



Train to be a hairdresser, barber, beauty therapist, nail technician or make-up artist in one of our salons based in the Old Mill Lane campus. Apply to study one of our courses at: 🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/handb and you will build up your knowledge of creative hairdressing techniques, beauty techniques, the application of artificial nails and a wide range of professional make-up skills which will help you to become more creative and develop your skills.

Ready to apply? Visit 🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/part-time

Health, Science and Social Care Professions



If you want to gain qualifications such as GCSE Biology or learn counselling skills, our Health, Science and Social Care Professions courses will enable you to gain the skills and knowledge that will allow you to gain a rewarding career within this specialist sector. To apply for a part-time Health, Science and Social Care Professions course visit: www.barnsley.ac.uk/health

Learning for Living and Work



Our Next Steps: Adults with Additional Learning Needs course is designed to give adults with additional learning needs opportunities to:

- Learn new skills
- Enhance communication and social skills
- Develop confidence, independence and employability skills
- Improve wellbeing and life skills
- Meet new people and make new friends

To apply for a Learning for Living and Work course visit: www.barnsley.ac.uk/lflw

Music and Performing Arts



Do you love being in the limelight or get a buzz from seeing people enjoy a performance? Our Music and Performing Arts courses could be perfect for you, whether it's joining the Barnsley College and Community Choir or learning how to improve your production techniques, we've got a course for you. Apply now at: www.barnsley.ac.uk/music and put yourself in the spotlight.

Sport



If fitness is your motivation, then enrol onto one of our part-time Sports courses. You can learn about sports massage, fitness instructing or how to facilitate your own business. On your marks, get set, and go apply at: www.barnsley.ac.uk/sport

Ready to apply? Visit www.barnsley.ac.uk/part-time

Common Questions Answered



Why should I study a part-time course?

All part-time courses give you an opportunity to increase your confidence, gain new skills or qualifications and progress onto higher levels of study. To see our course listings and apply, visit: www.barnsley.ac.uk/part-time

What courses are available?

We offer a range of part-time courses, from entry level to degree level in the following subjects: Art and Design; Beauty; Business and Management; Catering; Childcare and Education Professions; Computing; ESOL; Foundation Learning; GCSE English and Maths; Hairdressing; Health, Science and Social Care Professions; Learning for Living and Work; Music; Sport and Teaching. We are always adding to our course listings.

To see our latest part-time offer and apply for a place, visit:

www.barnsley.ac.uk/part-time



When will a course start?

Our courses mainly start in September, January or April. The start date of each course will be listed on our website. Simply visit:

www.barnsley.ac.uk/part-time to search our course directory and find the start date of the course you want to study.

Where will I study?

You will study at one of our purpose-built campuses based in Barnsley town centre*. All of our campuses are located just a short walk from the bus and train station and pay and display car parking is available on County Way. For more information about our campuses see pages 26-27 or visit www.barnsley.ac.uk/campuses. A map can be found on page 39.



Ready to apply? Visit www.barnsley.ac.uk/part-time

* Due to the COVID-19 situation and the restrictions in place about accessing building, please check our website for the latest information about course delivery



How much does a course cost?

Our course prices are related to government funding so the fee of each course varies. All our courses are listed on our website. Visit www.barnsley.ac.uk/part-time and search our course directory to find the cost of the course you want to study. Some courses are free depending on your circumstances or you could be entitled to an Advanced Learner Loan (see page 29 for further details). More information about paying for your course can be found on page 28 or by visiting www.barnsley.ac.uk/paying

How do I apply?

- You can apply online by completing our online application form. Simply click on the 'Apply' button next to your chosen course, complete the form and press submit.
- If you need any support, please email info@barnsley.ac.uk and our Information Team will be able to help.



How do I enrol?

Enrolment is really easy. Due to the COVID-19 situation, we are enrolling students online for courses starting in September 2020. More information about how to enrol can be found on page 28.



Ready to apply? Visit www.barnsley.ac.uk/part-time

Work-Based Learning

Work-based learning courses allow you to study a course related to the field of work you are in.

They are available in the following subject areas:

Business:

- Advice and Guidance
- Assessor Award
- Business Administration
- Careers Guidance
- Customer Service
- Libraries, Archives, Records and Information Services
- Management

Childcare:

- Assessor Award
- Children and Young People's Workforce
- Leadership
- Playwork
- Support and Specialist Support for Teaching and Learning in Schools

Health:

- Assessor Award
- Internal Quality Assurance

Distance Learning

Distance learning gives you the flexibility to study when and where you want at your own pace. You can study without attending the College. You will have the same status as on-campus students and gain the same qualification.

We offer distance learning courses in the following subject areas:

- Childcare
- Fresh Start - Certificate in employability skills, Maths and English (for 19-24 year olds)
- Functional Skills and GCSE English
- Functional Skills and GCSE Maths
- Leadership and Management
- Lean Organisation Management Techniques



Open Days

2020/21 Open Day dates will be announced on our website:
🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/events

Ready to apply? Visit 🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/apply

Apprenticeships

Apprenticeships aren't just for school leavers. Anyone living in England, over 16 and not in full-time education can apply to be an apprentice.

A key element of an apprenticeship is work-based experience, so you must find an employer who is prepared to employ you as an apprentice. We can help you to find a vacancy and provide CV and interview workshops. To see our current vacancies visit: www.barnsley.ac.uk/ap-jobs

As employees, apprentices earn a wage and work alongside experienced staff to gain job-specific skills and knowledge.

You will usually attend classes at College for one day per week, and for the remainder of the week you will be in the workplace. Here, you will produce a portfolio of evidence which shows your trainer what you are able to do and records your achievements as you progress through the apprenticeship.

Apprenticeships can take between one and five years to complete depending on the level of the apprenticeship, the apprentice's ability and the industry.

There is a minimum salary for apprentices set by the Government, however, many apprentices earn significantly more.

The College offers over 100 apprenticeship programmes. For more information and to see the full list visit:

🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/apprenticeships

Benefits of doing an apprenticeship

Apprenticeships are a great way of gaining knowledge and skills as well as practical experience. Employers are always looking for people with skills and experience so apprentices have an amazing amount to offer.

Key benefits:

- Earn a salary.
- Receive training.
- Learn job-specific skills.
- Develop a career.
- Increase future earning potential.



Ready to apply? Visit 🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/apprenticeships

Steph Swann

“I have completed a Level 2 Business Administration Apprenticeship and a Level 3 Customer Service Apprenticeship and achieving NVQs in both specialisms has given me the foundations and experience to progress from an apprentice role to secure a full-time position.”

College courses: Level 2 Business Administration Apprenticeship and Level 3 Customer Service Apprenticeship

Kallam Edwards

“The course content is good at the College and the facilities are great. It is a good place to study.”

College course: Level 3 Infrastructure Technician Apprenticeship

Are you a business owner and looking to improve your employees' skills or recruit an apprentice? Contact our Business Development team to find out how we support employers to be more competitive.

☎ 01226 216 166

✉ employer@barnsley.ac.uk

🌐 www.barnsley.ac.uk/employers

Ready to apply? Visit www.barnsley.ac.uk/apprenticeships

Higher Apprenticeships



Higher Apprenticeships offer an alternative to full-time study. You combine work with study to gain skills, knowledge and work experience which provides the opportunity to improve your career prospects.

You can study a Higher Apprenticeship at Levels 4 and 5. You will study part-time at College and spend the rest of the time at your workplace.

We offer Higher Apprenticeships in:

- Associate Project Manager
- Building Services Engineering Technician
- Construction: Design and Build Technician
- Construction Site Engineering Technician
- Cyber Security Technologist
- Data Analyst
- Healthcare Assistant Practitioner
- Learning and Skills Teacher
- Network Engineer
- Operations/Departmental Manager
- Professional Accounting Taxation Technician
- Retail Manager
- School Business Professional
- Software Developer

Key benefits of a Higher Apprenticeship:

- Earn a salary.
- Receive training.
- Get practical work experience.
- Learn job/industry related skills.
- Develop your career.
- Increase future earning potential.

Ready to apply? Visit www.barnsley.ac.uk/apprenticeships

The Application Process

If you have left school and you are ready to start an apprenticeship now



Step 1: Search

Find an apprenticeship programme in the College prospectus or online at: 🌐 www.barnsley.ac.uk/apprenticeships or via the Find An Apprenticeship website: 🌐 www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship



Step 2: Apply

To apply for a specific apprenticeship job vacancy, click on the job title on the College's website: 🌐 www.barnsley.ac.uk/ap-jobs This will take you to the Find An Apprenticeship website where you will need to click the 'Sign in to apply' button.

OR to apply to become an apprentice and learn more about our pathways, either visit the College's website:

🌐 www.barnsley.ac.uk/apprenticeships or complete a College paper application form. You will need to send an electronic copy of your CV to: ✉ apprenticeships@barnsley.ac.uk



Step 3: College Information Session

You will be invited into College to attend an information session with a trainer. Remember to bring proof of your qualifications and a copy of your CV, if you haven't already submitted it to us.



Step 4: Interview Shortlisting

We will send your CV to the employer who will choose the candidates they wish to interview.



Step 5: Employer Interview

If you are selected, you will attend an interview with the employer. Be prepared! If unsuccessful, don't worry you have gained valuable experience. Simply start your search again.

We are here to help.



Step 6: Induction

If you are offered the job, we will contact you and arrange for you to come into College to complete your induction and meet your trainer.

Step 7: Start Your Apprenticeship

You can start an apprenticeship at any time during the year!

Ready to apply? Visit 🌐 www.barnsley.ac.uk/apprenticeships

Access to Higher Education Courses

Want to study a degree but not got the right qualifications?

Our Access to Higher Education (HE) courses can help.

Aimed at adults, our Access to HE courses are designed to help you develop knowledge within your chosen subject whilst improving your study skills and confidence.

Once you've successfully completed your Access to HE course, you could progress

on to study a HNC/D, Foundation Degree, Degree or Higher Apprenticeship.

We offer Access to HE Diplomas in the following subjects:

- Art and Design
- Business
- Childcare (Teaching)
- Computing
- Creative Digital Skills (TV, Film and Games)
- Criminal Justice and Policing
- Health Science Professions
- Hospitality and Tourism
- Humanities and Social Science
- Popular Music
- Sport

For more information about Access to HE courses and to apply visit:

🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/access

Students who study an Access to HE course may be eligible to apply for an Advanced Learner Loan. For more information see page 29.



Ready to apply? Visit 🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/apply



Did You Know?

If you take out an Advanced Learner Loan to fund an Access to HE course, then go on to complete a Higher Education course, you'll be eligible to have the balance of your Advanced Learner Loan written off.

Open Days

2020/21 Open Day dates will be announced on our website:

📍 www.barnsley.ac.uk/events

Higher Education



At Barnsley College Higher Education we think carefully about your future career prospects – after all, we know that the main reason you want to continue studying is to get the career you want at the end of it. Our courses are designed to maximise your development and teach you things you'll need to progress on to further study or start your career in the industry you choose.

By studying Higher Education (HE) at Barnsley College you will benefit from high academic standards, expert staff who are passionate about their subjects, excellent facilities and, on many courses, professional experience through placements. This means that by the time you graduate you'll already have a CV to be proud of.

Barnsley College is proud to work in partnership with some of the leading academic institutions in the country. Through these partnerships we are able to offer courses in the following subject areas.

Animal Care

We aim to develop your understanding of the animal management industry and provide you with opportunities to observe, practice and develop the skills of an animal management practitioner.

Art and Design

Art and Design encompasses a host of creative subjects, taught in fully equipped studios and workshops. Our programmes are practice based with theoretical modules to create a diverse, engaging and independent Higher Education experience.

Childcare and Teacher Training

Our undergraduate courses offer you the opportunity to excel in areas such as early years, education, learning support and supporting children, young people and families.

Construction

Construction is a modern, highly efficient industry which requires professionals at all levels in diverse areas of expertise. This course will develop your skills, knowledge and understanding of the planning, design and management side of the construction industry.

Health and Social Care Professions

By studying with us you will combine health and social care education with either existing employment or work placements to develop your skills and competencies for a wide range of roles across health, social or community care sectors.

Music

If your dream job lies in the music industry, Barnsley College has the staff, facilities and equipment to enable you to succeed.

Public Services and Criminology

Our Public Services courses aim to provide you with skills, experience and knowledge so you can develop a career within the Public Service sector.

You will spend time in lectures and seminars, going on trips and visits to public sector areas of interest and hearing from industry specialist speakers and lecturers.

Sport

If you have a real passion for health, coaching, physical activity or sports development and are looking to turn this commitment into a career we have the course for you. Our timetable is structured in a student focused way allowing time to gain work experience, paid employment and to complete higher level study.

Fees and finance

Our tuition fees are £5,995* per year for full-time courses. Part-time course fees are calculated on a course-by-course basis.

How to apply

Full-time HE applicants

The UCAS website provides full instructions on the application process visit:

🔗 www.ucas.com

The Barnsley College institution code is B13. You will need this when completing your application.

Part-time HE applications and Higher Apprenticeships

To apply for these courses, go to
🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/highereducation or contact our Admissions team on
☎ 01226 216 123

For more information on all our courses call
☎ 01226 216 123

* Correct as of May 2020

Open
Days

2020/21 Open Day dates will be announced on our website:

🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/highereducation



Ready to apply? Visit 🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/apply

Case Studies

Chris Thompson

“The staff let me have freedom in the way I work but also give their support. I love that I am encouraged to follow my own passions and create my own niche. My tutor has spotted my potential in creating digital art and has drawn my ability out.”

College course: Fine Art Practice BA (Hons)

Matthew Foster

“My tutors have been very professional, understanding and helpful. I enjoy learning the relevant topics that will help me in my future career and enjoy the debates about sport development.”

College course: Sport, Physical Education and Health (BA Hons) Top-Up

Ellie Jarmin

“The tutors are always there to help and offer great advice. I enjoy working on projects with my friends and the course is full of interesting modules that will help me reach my full potential.”

College course: Professional Practice in Health and Social Care Foundation Degree FdSc

In 2019 all our degree students got a 2:2 or above and 28% got a First

Did You Know?

We offer a FREE coach service for our students. Visit www.barnsley.ac.uk/travel for pick-up points and times.

Ready to apply? Visit www.barnsley.ac.uk/apply

Why Study With Us?



87%

Our overall success rates are **87%** that's **4%** above the national average.



We can help you write a **CV** and prepare for an interview.



We offer **FREE** English and Maths qualifications.



We offer a **FREE** coach service for our students. Visit www.barnsley.ac.uk/travel for pick-up points and times.



100

We offer over **100** apprenticeship programmes.



96%

96% of our students said they were learning in a safe environment*.



95%

95% of our students said the College has a positive learning culture*.



94%

94% of our students said the teaching on their course is good*.



93%

93% of our students said they would recommend the College to a friend*.

Support for Every Student

Information Team

Drop in

Monday – Thursday 9.00am - 5.00pm

Friday 9.00am - 4.30pm

Contact us

☎ 01226 216 123

✉ info@barnsley.ac.uk

Learning Curve (Library)

Contact us

Learning Curve ☎ 01226 216 334/450

Church Street Library ☎ 01226 216 885

Additional Learning Support

We work with students who have:

- Dyslexia
- Dyspraxia
- Autism or Asperger Syndrome
- Learning difficulties/disabilities
- Mental health conditions
- Hearing impairment/visual impairment
- Physical difficulties
- Medical conditions
- A need for mobility assistance

For further information see the College's local offer at www.barnsley.ac.uk/als

Contact us

☎ 01226 216 311 or 01226 216 769

✉ ALS@barnsley.ac.uk

Student Services

The Student Services Team includes:

- Student Advisers
- Career Advisers
- Financial and Welfare Advisers
- UCAS
- Student Voice
- Volunteering
- Students' Union

Contact us

☎ 01226 216 267

✉ studentsupport@barnsley.ac.uk

Health and Wellbeing Centre

All Barnsley College students have access to the award-winning Health and Wellbeing Centre. The service works on an appointment or drop-in basis and is completely confidential and free of charge.

Services include:

- Contraception and sexual health advice
- STI screening
- Access to psychological therapies to deal with stress, depression and anxiety (IAPT)
- Counselling
- Midwife
- Smoking, drugs and alcohol support
- Chaplaincy service

Contact us

☎ 01226 216 233

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Open
Days

2020/21 Open Day dates will be announced on our website:

☎ www.barnsley.ac.uk/events

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- > *Careers advice*
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Campuses



We have a number of campuses located in and around Barnsley town centre.

All are modern and equipped with industry-standard facilities and provide our students with realistic working environments.

Campus overview

Old Mill Lane campus

The Old Mill Lane campus serves as the main College building. It has fantastic facilities including:

- Art and Design studios
- Industry-standard catering kitchens
- A commercial training bar and restaurant, The Open Kitchen
- Television studios with graphics and video playback facility and 12 channel sound systems
- Radio studio suitable for live or pre-recorded broadcast
- Simulated nursery and classroom
- Fully equipped hair salons and beauty therapy rooms
- Professional-standard music recording studios
- Simulated aircraft cabin for travel and tourism training

Construction Centre

The Construction Centre, known as The CUBE, provides our construction trades students with innovative and inspiring work areas and industry-led equipment. Facilities include:

- Specialist workshops
- Classrooms with an IT network, supported by industry-standard software
- A project workshop for new construction technologies
- Break-out areas allowing students to work independently

SciTech Innovation Digital Hub

Our new digital skills centre includes high specification PCs, network laboratories, software development studios, immersive rooms, cloud facilities, Microsoft and gaming studios, smart technologies and AR/VR technologies.

Honeywell Sports campus

The Honeywell Sports campus is tailored for our Sports, Public Services and Travel and Tourism students and was recently upgraded to offer excellent facilities, including:

- Outdoor floodlit 3G pitch
- Multi-use games area
- Two sports halls with performance standard sprung flooring
- Two fitness centres
- Gym
- Sports Science and Physiology Lab equipped with the latest performance analysis software
- Specialist sports massage suite
- Esports Arena
- Simulated crime –scenes and forensic equipment
- Honeywell Sports Village which houses a purpose-built gym and fitness facility open to the public



Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM) Centre

The STEM Centre offers excellent facilities to Engineering and Health, Science and Social Care Professions students. Facilities include:

- Engineering and electrical workshops
- Laboratory facilities
- Fully-equipped ward, complete with resuscitation mannequins

Wigfield Farm

Wigfield Farm campus is a newly refurbished working farm and visitor attraction in Worsbrough on the edge of Barnsley. We have over 60 species of animals including pigs, cows, goats, Shetland ponies, donkeys, meerkats, deer, alpacas, reptiles and many more. We also have industry-standard horticulture equipment including commercial glass houses and polytunnels. Wigfield Farm is home to our Animal Care and Horticulture students.

Electric Theatre

The Electric Theatre is a vibrant theatre complex situated in the heart of Barnsley and includes two dance studios, classrooms and a 180-seat theatre with specialist infrastructure.

A variety of shows can be seen here including music performances, drama, musical theatre, dance and external touring shows.

Church Street campus

Home to Barnsley College Higher Education, the Church Street campus offers a range of degrees, Higher Apprenticeships and HNC/D courses from Animal Care to Childcare and Teacher Training and Fine Art to Sport. It has lots of fantastic facilities including:

- Workshops and studios dedicated to different art-based disciplines
- Access to mixing desks and recording studios
- Fully-equipped band rehearsal rooms
- Lecture theatres
- A Library and Computing Centre housing thousands of books, PCs, printers and more.

The Fleets

The Fleets campus is a 20-minute walk from the town centre campuses and will be the base for students to develop their skills and prepare them to take their next steps in education or employment. Facilities include a well-equipped training kitchen, digital suite and VR (virtual reality) area.

For more information about our campuses visit: www.barnsley.ac.uk/campuses

Course Fees

We understand course fees can be a deciding factor when considering whether to return to education.

Fees vary between courses as they are related to government funding. To find the cost of a course, visit: www.barnsley.ac.uk/courses and search our course directory to find the course you want to study.

Depending on your circumstances, the cost of your course may be **FREE** or you may be eligible to apply for an Advanced Learner Loan.

Fees are paid for one year of study at any one time. Annual payments will be made for courses of more than one year in duration. You must pay course fees in full at the time of enrolment or make instalment arrangements. You can pay by credit/debit card, cash or cheque made payable to 'Barnsley College'. Instalments are available for courses with fees over £150.

One third of the fee is payable at the point of enrolment with the balance spread over the following four months (dependent on the length of the course). The instalments are made through direct debit so you need to provide your bank details which include your account number and sort code. Without these details the instalment plan cannot be completed.

If your employer is paying your course fees please provide a letter on Company letterhead stating the course title and the fee your employer is paying.

If you would like more information about paying for your course, visit:

www.barnsley.ac.uk/paying

Our Information Team can help you through the process of applying for the course and advise on the range of funding available. Contact the Information Team for further details:

☎ **01226 216 123**

✉ info@barnsley.ac.uk

Learner Support Fund

The Learner Support Fund is available to students aged 19 or over who meet eligibility criteria to receive financial support to support them towards the cost of studying while at the College, including travel, food, childcare and study programme essentials, such as equipment, books and trips*.

Advanced Learner Loan Bursary

If you have an approved Advanced Learner Loan to cover the cost of your course fees and your household income is less than £35,000 you may be eligible for a non-repayable bursary to cover the cost of transport, childcare or Additional Learning Support. You will need to complete a Learner Support Fund application to access this fund*.

For more information about the Learner Support Fund and to apply visit:

✉ www.barnsley.ac.uk/lsf

Alternatively, contact our

Student Services team:

☎ **01226 216 267**

✉ studentsupport@barnsley.ac.uk

*Capped amounts of funding apply and are on a first-come, first-served basis.

Advanced Learner Loans

- > Aged 19 or over and thinking about Further Education?
- > Returning to education?
- > Need qualifications for work or business?
- > Want to learn a new skill or do a refresher course?

If you're planning to study at Level 3, 4, 5 or 6 and you're aged 19 or over (on the first day of your course) you may qualify for an Advanced Learner Loan to help pay for your course fees. This government loan is easy to apply for, your household income isn't taken into account and there's no credit check. Plus, you won't have to pay anything back until your income is over £26,725 a year.

The loan pays for your qualification and is paid directly to us, so you won't have to worry about sorting payment out. It's a great way to get a qualification that you may not have previously been able to afford!

If you take out an Advanced Learner Loan to fund an Access to Higher Education (HE) Diploma, then go on to complete a Higher Education course, you will be eligible to have

the balance of your Advanced Learner Loan written off. However, if you don't complete either course, you won't be eligible to have the balance written off and will need to repay your loan in full.

Note: Advanced Learner Loans do not cover Degrees or other forms of HE such as HNCs or HNDs. For HE funding information visit:

🔗 www.gov.uk/studentfinance

We encourage students to seek independent financial advice from The Money Advice Service at:

🔗 www.moneyadviceservice.org.uk

More information about Advanced Learner Loans can be found at:

🔗 www.gov.uk/advanced-learner-loan



How to Apply and Enrol

How to apply for a part-time course

The quickest way to apply is by completing our online application form. Simply click on the 'Apply' button next to your chosen course, complete the form and press submit.

How to apply for a Higher Education (HE) course

Full-time HE applicants

The UCAS website provides full instructions on the application process visit:
🔗 www.ucas.com

The Barnsley College institution code is **B13**. You will need this when completing your application.

Part-time HE applications and Higher Apprenticeships

To apply for these courses, go to
🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/highereducation or contact our Admissions team on
☎ **01226 216 123**

How to enrol

- Look through this guide to see what courses we offer.
- For more detailed course information visit 🔗 www.barnsley.ac.uk/courses or contact our Information Team:
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🔗 info@barnsley.ac.uk



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What documents do you need to enrol?

- Payment or letter from your sponsor/ employer.
- Proof of any benefits you claim – e.g. award notice or official letter and National Insurance Number.
- Your bank details if you want to pay by instalments for fees over £150. Please note, this only applies to courses of four months or longer.

You may be eligible for free or reduced course fees if you are:

- Aged 19 to 23 and looking to study on your first Level 2 or 3 course.
- Aged 16 to 18 and taking a course that leads to a nationally recognised qualification.
- In receipt of Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA)/Universal Credit or Employment and Support Allowance (ESA – Work Related Activity Group).*
- Unemployed, not receiving JSA or ESA, but enrolling on a course which will aid your search for employment. You must be claiming an active benefit to be eligible, e.g. Housing Benefit, Income Support, Working Tax Credit or

Council Tax Benefit and actively seeking employment.*

- Employed and earning less than £17,004.00 (gross) per year.**

To find out more about course fees and whether you are eligible for discounts, please call our Information Team on ☎ 01226 216 123.

We're Here to Help

Call ☎ **01226 216 123** to have a chat with one of our Information Advisers.

Alternatively, you can email them on ✉ **info@barnsley.ac.uk**

*You must bring evidence of your benefits when you enrol.

**Three recent payslips or one P60 must be provided.

*Excludes Level 3 to Level 6 courses for those aged 19 and over.

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Wigfield Farm, Haverlands Lane, Worsbrough, Barnsley, S70 5NQ

 **Barnsley College** | Higher Education

We offer a range of HNC/Ds, degrees and Higher Apprenticeships

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☎ 01226 216 894

✉ electrictheatre@barnsley.ac.uk

The Electric Theatre, Falcon Street
Barnsley, S70 2AX



The Open Kitchen

AA College Rosette Award Restaurant

Dine with us

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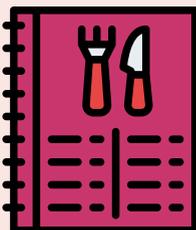
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Bookings and enquiries

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- Swedish body massage, stone therapy and aromatherapy.

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For further enquires or to book an appointment contact Images on ☎ **01226 216 273**.

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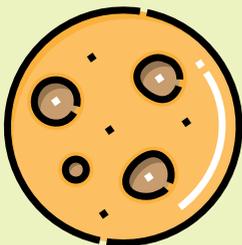
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Courses will run subject to adequate numbers. This course guide is available in alternative formats including audio, braille and large print on request.