

Course fees

The course is free* if you are:

- Aged 19–23 and do not have a full level 3 qualification, e.g. NVQ level 3 or A-levels
- In receipt of Job Seeker's Allowance or Employment Support Allowance
- Unemployed and in receipt of a state benefit.

*please note the government makes changes to funding criteria each year, information correct at time of printing.

If you are aged 24 or over you are eligible for a government loan called the 24+ Advanced Learning Loan. You do not have to repay this if you go on to complete a higher education (university) qualification. The College also offers limited bursaries which can support people from low income families with their fees, this can also help with childcare and travel costs.

Careers advice

If you want to change your career but are not sure if an Access course is the right route please feel free to make an appointment with one of our advisers, they are totally impartial and will help you to explore all your options. To make an appointment please ring 0845 22 32 567.

To find out more or to apply

Please visit our website www.cornwall.ac.uk/access-higher-education, or call us on 0845 22 32 567. Alternatively why not come and speak to a member of the team at one of our Information Events in 2015.

Saturday 24 January 10am – 12pm Duchy College Stoke Climsland and Rosewarne
Thursday 5 February 5pm – 7.30pm Cornwall College Camborne, Newquay, St Austell,
Saltash and Falmouth Marine School
Saturday 14 March 10am – 12pm Duchy College Stoke Climsland and Rosewarne
Saturday 21 March 10am – 12pm Cornwall College Camborne, Newquay, St Austell,
Saltash and Falmouth Marine School

We are also holding an Access to Higher Education Open Evening on Wednesday 8 July 4pm–6pm at Cornwall College Camborne, Newquay, St Austell, Saltash and Falmouth Marine School.



IS AN ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION COURSE RIGHT FOR YOU?

The route to university for people aged 19 and over who may not meet the entry requirements. This course will refresh your study skills, build your confidence and open the gateway to a new career.

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THE CORNWALL COLLEGE GROUP



If you'd like to study for a degree but don't have the qualifications you need, then an Access to Higher Education course could help. Each year around 20,000 Access to HE students apply to study a university qualification.

- The courses are specifically designed for adults looking to return to study.
- The timetable is built to help you balance work, family and other commitments.
- The qualification is widely recognised by UK universities and colleges.

We offer a range of Access to HE Diplomas throughout Cornwall:

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| ■ Art and Design | ■ Journalism |
| ■ Allied Health Professions | ■ Land-based Studies |
| ■ Behavioural Science | ■ Music |
| ■ Business and Law | ■ Nursing |
| ■ Computing | ■ Police |
| ■ Engineering | ■ Physiotherapy |
| ■ English Literature | ■ Science |
| ■ Food Science | ■ Sports Science |
| ■ Geography | |
| ■ Health and Social Care | |

Progression (Pre-Access) courses are also available, please see our website for details.

Helping you to be prepared

On an Access course you will study a subject of your choice with fellow adults. The course will be delivered in a flexible way with supportive staff who understand the challenges adults may face when returning to education.

As well as expanding your subject knowledge we will help you develop the study skills needed to succeed at university. We know we are good at this as our past students often tell us how confident they felt in their first year of university study compared to some of their peers. Often our learners make long lasting friendships with fellow students and support each other throughout the Access programme and beyond.

Helping you gain your university place

We will help you identify the best university courses for you and support you with your application. Our students progress onto a wide range of university courses; some with us, some at other institutions in Cornwall, and some further afield.



“After doing the Access course at the College, I gained a place to study the paramedic practitioner degree at university and it was all through the encouragement of my tutor that I have done so well.”

Mark Gill