**Canterbury College**

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| About partner | About partner | Canterbury College was established in 1947 and has grown to be one of the largest Further and Higher Education Colleges in the South East of Britain, with campuses in Canterbury and Swale. Their mission statement is “to be the best at teaching and learning” and they have over 10,000 students and 800 staff.  Canterbury College welcomes international students from all over the world to its state-of-the-art campus in one of Britain’s most visited historic cities. The sea is just a short trip away and London is a one-hour drive. Students can take advantage of the College’s proximity to mainland Europe with France, Belgium and other exciting destinations just a short trip across the English Channel. |
|  | About Canterbury | Canterbury is one of Britain’s most well known cities. There is a perfect blend of city, history, coast and countryside to be found. Medieval buildings sit alongside modern shopping facilities and the city has a great range of amenities such as bars, clubs, a cinema and a sports centre.  Canterbury is home to around 30,000 students. It is a small and safe city that has a cosmopolitan feel yet still manages to maintain its famous English charm. It offers a picturesque learning environment, with a temperate climate and plenty of clean, fresh air. |
|  | Did you know? | Canterbury College students have won national design competitions such as London2012, Paperchase and KEiBA (the Kent Excellence in Business Awards). They have also received Construction Skills Awards and WorldSkills UK medals in Dance, Information Technology, Graphic Design, Music, and Public Services. |
| Academic information | Main areas of study | * Animal Science * Art and Graphic Design * Business * Construction * Health and Social Care * Music * Public Services   **Note:**   * The listed areas of study are not necessarily exhaustive and other fields of study might also be available at the partner institution. Moreover, names for fields of study may be different overseas. * A discipline being listed does not in indicate the suitability of the program, nor does it indicate that the discipline is taught in English. * Approval to study particular subjects at any institution is always at the discretion of the departmental/discipline and faculty advisors at RMIT University and subject to available places at the host institution. |
|  | Language requirements | Programs are taught in English. |
|  | Full time load [Equivalent to 96 RMIT Credit Points] | 60 UK credits per semester is considered the full time load  (this is equal to 48 RMIT credit points). |
|  | Link to courses | <http://www.cant-col.ac.uk/international/courses/> |
| Living | Accommodation | Canterbury College does not have any on-campus accommodation but there are many off-campus options for students to choose from.  For more information go to: <http://www.cant-col.ac.uk/international/accommodation/> |
|  | Health insurance | The UK has a reciprocal health care agreement with Australia. The Medicare website outlines this: <http://www.humanservices.gov.au/customer/services/medicare/reciprocal-health-care-agreements>  Note: Please be aware that travel insurance is a compulsory requirement of an exchange program. |
|  | Living cost | A number of external services provide comprehensive overviews of global living costs, for example:   * [www.expatistan.com](http://www.expatistan.com) * [www.numbeo.com](http://www.numbeo.com)   **Note**  RMIT University is not affiliated with any of these page |
| Funding Opportunities | OS-HELP information | [OS-HELP Information page](http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/os-help)  <http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/os-help> |
|  | Link to scholarships page? | [All travel scholarships](http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/travel)  <<http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/travel>> |
| Useful information | Link to partner exchange page | <http://www.cant-col.ac.uk/international/> |
|  | Visa | Exchange students need a visa to study in the UK.  You may require a Student Visitor visa (<https://www.gov.uk/study-visit-visa>) or a Tier 4 visa (<https://www.gov.uk/tier-4-general-visa>), depending on the length of your exchange program and your own individual requirements. Visit the UK Border Agency website to find out which visa you need: <http://www.ukvisas.gov.uk/en/doineedvisa/>  In general, a Tier 4 visa is required for a yearlong exchange, and a student visitor visa is required for a semester-long exchange. However, please note that immigration requirements are subject to change. It is recommended that you visit <http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/visas-immigration/studying/> for the most updated information. |