

Adult Learning

**Providing the next chapter
for 19+ learners**

Study full & part-time courses throughout the year





Welcome to your learning adventure

Let us help you find your way

No matter what you want to study, or why, our friendly, knowledgeable teachers are here to help you achieve. From GCSEs to foundation degrees, leisure courses to apprenticeships, we have a course for you. You will learn in realistic work environments, using the latest equipment, studying with other adults in a supportive, encouraging atmosphere.

Are you looking to progress in your current role or prepare for a new one? We have a wide range of full-time and part-time courses designed to improve employability.

Perhaps you would like to gain confidence in English or maths - our GCSEs, Functional Skills and ESOL courses can help you.

Or would you like to try a new hobby or pastime, with other adults who have similar interests?

Whatever the reason behind your interest in learning - join our friendly community today and see how far you could go.

Pop in and see us

If you're wanting to study with us, you're more than welcome to drop in and see us for a chat. This will give you a chance to discuss what you're looking for with one of our friendly advisors, who can then talk you through our application process and discuss your suitability for other types of support, such as student loans.

Applying for a course on our website is simple:

- 1.** Search for a course
- 2.** Apply by completing our online application form
- 3.** Attend an informal chat at a date and time that suits you
(we will contact you to arrange this)
- 4.** Enrol with us and start your learning journey



Visit us at Keighley College, Bradford Road,
Keighley, West Yorkshire, BD21 4HQ

A college you can count on



We're always here to lend a helping hand. Whatever assistance you're looking for, we have a wide network of people and facilities to support you during your time with us. Below are just a few of the ways we can help.

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- Careers advice
- Childcare costs
- Help with equipment and learning materials
- Financial support and funding
- Study skills sessions
- Counselling and wellbeing advice
- Additional learning support for those with specialist needs



If you'd like more information and guidance from our team, please call **01535 685 006** - we'll be happy to help.

Learning sets you free

Looking for a new job? Want to progress in your current career?
Perhaps you'd like to pursue further study? Our **free courses for jobs**
could help you achieve your goals.

You could be entitled to study for free if you:

- Are aged 19 or over
- Live in West Yorkshire
- Don't hold A levels, a Level 3 qualification
or the equivalent
- Are unemployed
- Earn less than £23,400 each year

More information can be found on our website, including
how to apply, but if you'd like to speak to someone
about Free Courses for Jobs, please contact us:

Find out more

keighleycollege.ac.uk/adultlearning

Or visit

gov.uk/guidance/free-courses-for-jobs



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What our students say

“ Thank heavens for the awesome support at Keighley College! Not only were my classmates adult learners (no teeny-boppers) but the tutors adapted their teaching styles to my understanding and offered me as much support as I needed even the adult services teaching assistants where exceptional. One to one support and help in areas I really struggled the most. The team at Keighley College really are invaluable.

- Nicky

“ The access course lecturers were friendly, compassionate and professional which enabled me to improve my academic skills, strengthen my resilience, improve time management and build new relationships in preparation for applying for university

- Amy



“ The Access HE course has shown me that you can achieve a dream at any age, as a mature student going back into education was challenging but the course tutors were fantastic, they encouraged me to believe in myself and helped me start my journey in becoming a children's nurse.

- Danielle

“ The access course at Keighley college was a great foundation to develop academic skills and gain a broad range of knowledge of healthcare professionals. I found all the knowledge and skills I developed from the course transferable to my degree. Additionally all the staff were very supportive towards the students including the process of the university applications.

- Katie

Explore our courses

Whether you want to learn a new skill, secure your GCSEs or get a degree, you can achieve your aim with our courses. Explore our provision over the next few pages: full details of courses can be found on our website.



GCSE Maths & English

Secure those essential qualifications



We run three options for adults looking to secure their GCSE Maths and/or English. All three courses are offered on a part-time basis, making it easier for you to fit study around your existing commitments.

● GCSE Maths

Gain your GCSE Maths in just one year with this course.

● GCSE English

Gain your GCSE English Language in just one year with this course.

● Functional Skills

Specifically designed for those wanting to study English and maths in the same academic year, this course can take you from basic functional skills through to GCSE level.

All three courses are just for students aged 19 and over, so you know you will be studying with other adults keen to achieve similar goals.

Good to know!

If you don't have a grade C (4) in GCSE Maths or GCSE English, you can study them for **free**

ESOL

English for Speakers of Other Languages



Is English your second language? Our classes can help you get ready for a new job, find confidence and make new friends.

Keighley College is one of the largest providers of ESOL courses in the UK. No matter your ability, we can help you gain confidence in reading, writing, speaking and listening to English.

Grow in confidence with our ESOL courses:

- Choose your level: beginner through to GCSE
- Fit classes into your life: study part time
- Explore our other subjects: maths, health & social care and science

“ I consider myself very lucky because without the teachers that I had, I wouldn't be where I am today: they guided me and encouraged me to always do my best.

- Husen Ali, English for Speakers of Other Languages

Drop in and see us,
or visit **keighleycollege.ac.uk**

Access to University

Achieve your university goals in just one year



Recognised by universities as an alternative to A Levels, these qualifications enable you to apply for a degree course.

- Gain entry qualifications
- Refresh your skills
- Prepare for a degree

Taught by our higher education experts, our Access courses equip you with all the skills you need to prepare for university.

Choose from:

- Access to HE Art & Design
- Access to HE Health Science Professions
- Access to HE Social Work



Visit keighleycollege.ac.uk/access
or email: AccessToHE@keighleycollege.ac.uk

Apprenticeships

**Gain practical training...
and get paid for it!**



An apprenticeship combines the world of work with the world of learning. As an apprentice, you will gain hands-on practical training as well as off-the-job learning. You develop the skills and acquire the knowledge you need to work in your chosen field, while employed in a salaried job.

Our industries include:

- Business Administration
- Brickwork
- Customer Services
- Electrical
- Engineering
- Hairdressing & Barbering
- Health & Social Care
- Joinery
- Teaching & Childcare
- Manufacturing/Welding

Interested? Speak with our apprenticeship team

Call: **0153 568 5035**

Email: **apprenticeships@keighleycollege.ac.uk**

You can view our vacancies at

keighleycollege.ac.uk/apprenticeship-vacancies

Every journey is different

Which is why we offer a wide variety of courses to choose from. If you're still searching for the perfect qualification, why not consider one of our other options?

A levels

Advance your knowledge in a supportive, classroom-based environment.

keighleycollege.ac.uk/a-levels



T Levels

Qualifications equivalent to three A Levels.

Enjoy classroom learning and practical work experience.

keighleycollege.ac.uk/t-levels



You may also be eligible to study for free, see our full range of full time and part time courses on the website.

keighleycollege.ac.uk/adultlearning



Come and say 'hello'

There's no better way to get a feel for life at Keighley College, than by coming to an open event.

Book now



2024

23 October, 4-7pm

2025

25 January, 10am-1pm

30 April, 5-7pm

18 June, 5-7pm

Our open events are the perfect chance to:

Meet the experts who form our teaching staff - ask them about the courses they teach and let them share their passion for their subject.

Explore the spaces where you could be learning new skills and making new connections. Tour our industry-standard workshops, salons and classrooms.

Talk support - whether it's questions about fees and finance, academic or pastoral support, our team is on hand to answer your queries.

Apply for your place - our friendly Admissions team is on hand to help take you through the application process.

Book your place online at keighleycollege.ac.uk/events



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