

Welcome

to our KC Community



Hello from your Heads of Department!

Hi, we are Helen and Jo - Helen is the Head of Business in Huddersfield and Jo in Dewsbury. On your course, you will benefit from being taught by experienced staff and working with employers. You will be visited by guest speakers and well-known businesses who will provide you with work placement opportunities and live projects. We will support you to be successful on your chosen course and progress to further study or an apprenticeship. We look forward to meeting you in September!



Business & Enterprise

Where will you be studying?

Take a tour of our centres

Huddersfield Centre Tour



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Springfield Sixth Form Centre



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Key Information and Opportunities

Taught at both our Huddersfield and Springfield Sixth Form centres, our range of courses are the ideal platform to prepare you for a career in business.



Covering a wide range of business skills, from planning campaigns to decision making, our business courses don't just cover theory, but offer you the chance to work on live briefs set by our employer partners to give you practical experience from the get-go.

All of our business teaching is based on the current business landscape, helping you stay up to-date with an ever-changing sector and preparing you for the world of work as it is right now.

We take a practical approach to business learning, and you will be given realistic briefs and activities to complete, which are invaluable assets to present to any employer.



Student life

Making the most of your student life is as important to your experience as the course you study. We are a collaborative, inclusive, supportive and fun college offering you the chance to make great memories as you prepare for a successful future.

- Student enrichment gives you opportunities to join clubs, community projects, trips, and other activities that build skills and confidence.
- There are opportunities to join the Sports Academy and combine sport you're your college studies.
- Student Services offers support with finance, careers advice, counselling, mentoring, wellbeing, and SEND.
- Additional help is also available through learning support, student voice, and the Students' Union.



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to find out more



Work Experience

Work Experience is embedded in every student's timetable at Kirklees College as part of the Personal Development Pledge. If you are on a study programme, you will have work experience built into your Skills For sessions, where you will discuss career progression, apprenticeships, higher education opportunities and take part in workshops for CV building and interview techniques.

You will also have visits from industry-related speakers about jobs in your sector of study, and will take part in either a work placement or Preparation to Work Passport as part of your programme.

Student Case Study: Danai



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to listen to Danai's story



Career Progression

Business careers exist in almost every industry, leaving you with a diverse choice of paths to choose from. Our courses are designed to expose you to a range of Business roles including accounting, finance, marketing, entrepreneurship, sales and events management. Our specialist Careers Coaches will offer you guidance and support to pursue these paths, including applying for your next steps, which may be university or an apprenticeship.



Start of term

Timetables will be released on **Friday 4 September**. You will receive a text after 12noon to tell you when your timetable is available to view.

Term starts on
Wednesday 9 September 2026

Key enrolment information

The majority of students will enrol online for a September start. Our applications team will contact all applicants to check we have the correct contact information and to confirm what time you will receive your enrolment link.

Enrolment links will be sent out in batches on GCSE Results day (Thursday, 20 August), and this will need to be completed by 12 noon on Friday 21 August.

If you are on holiday or not available on GCSE results day, you will receive information from the applications team about what to do. If your results are different from what was expected, then again, the college's applications team will tell you what to do next.

If you haven't already uploaded a photo for your ID badge, then you will be able to do this when you enrol.