

Welcome

to our KC Community



Hello from your Head of Department!

My name is Damon Dungworth, and I am the Head of Department for Sport and Fitness. As a Sport/Fitness student at Kirklees College, you will be supported by industry professionals who will help you develop the skills and knowledge to help you raise your game. On the course, you will blend practical learning with theoretical study with the help of some exciting guest speakers from the world of sport and fitness.

You will have the opportunity to represent the college in a range of sports, and there are also some amazing international trips. Many students also choose to complete extra qualifications recognised in industry, helping them to boost their CV and professional development.

Sport & Fitness



Where will you be studying?

Take a tour of our centre.

Kirklees College has its own state-of-the-art gym and fitness studio at the Huddersfield Centre.

We also have a fully stocked studio for circuits and functional training. A new weekly workout and challenge is available every week, and a fully qualified member of staff is on hand to support training.

Huddersfield Centre Tour

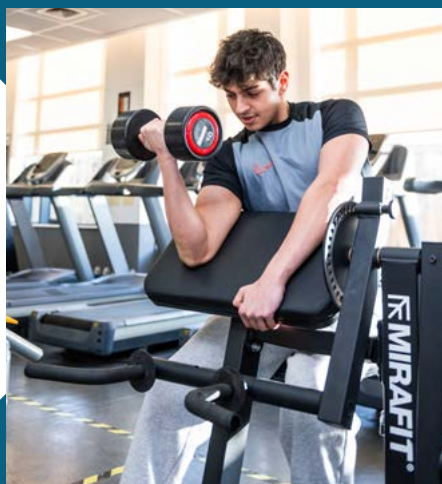


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Key Information and Opportunities

Our Sports courses will open up a world of possibilities to you. They have been carefully designed to encourage you to constantly challenge yourself, physically and mentally, as we prepare you for further study or direct employment.



Not only do we have exceptional on-site facilities, but we also have access to the best sporting venues in Kirklees, offering you amazing opportunities to experience the wonderful world of sport first-hand.

You will be required to purchase a Sport/Fitness kit for your practical lessons and community delivery. The kit bundle costs £100 and includes tracksuit bottoms, shorts, t-shirt and 3/4 zip jumper and is available to purchase on our kit supplier's website – GB Kits. You will receive more information when you enrol on how to order and financial support available.

We also ask all students to pay a small course contribution. This contribution enables us to deliver a catalogue of activities for you to participate in and enhance your personal development. It is only because we receive this additional contribution that we can provide such a varied and exciting programme.



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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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.

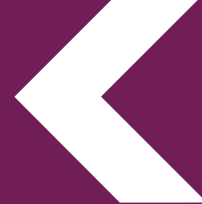
You will also have visits from industry-related speakers about jobs in your sector of study, and will take part in either a work placement or Preparation to Work Passport as part of your programme.



Career Progression

Studying a Sport and Fitness course at college will prepare you for a range of careers, including:

- Gym Instructor
- Personal Trainer
- Sports Coach
- Professional/Semi-Professional Sports
- Sports Marketing
- Sports Management



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.