



YOUR

HNC

**HUDDERSFIELD NEW COLLEGE  
PROSPECTUS 2021 ENTRY**



# EXPLORE YOUR HNC

Details of our Open Events can be found below.

*Please note due to Covid-19 and social distancing requirements, our Open Events in the autumn term are virtual.*

**Explore Your HNC:  
Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> November  
5:30pm – 8:30pm**

Join us to explore our Campus, hear from subject teachers and our Principal, find out what HNC has to offer you and ask your questions in real time.

*Content will also be recorded and accessible via our website following the event.*

**Take the next step:  
Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> December  
5:00pm - 8:00pm**

Building on the first virtual event, our subject teachers will be running short online taster sessions to support your decision making about your courses. You will also be able to find out more detailed information about wider College life including our Aspire programme.



This prospectus is interactive! Wherever you see the icon to the left you can click the link to view our interactive content which we hope will bring your HNC prospectus to life.



## ***Will I be able to visit the College in person before I submit an application?***

We understand that as a potential applicant you may want to visit Huddersfield New College in person to confirm your application.

Sadly, it is not possible to enable this in the current Covid-19 local and national situation. We strongly recommend that you take the virtual tour of the College instead before you submit your application.

Please submit an application by the deadline of 15<sup>th</sup> February 2021 if you want to join our College community. As an oversubscribed College we are unable to accept late applications and ensuring you meet the application deadline will guarantee an offer of an interview.

***Please note applying for and attending an interview does not oblige you to accept a place with us.***



## **DID YOU KNOW**

**You can take a look around our outstanding Campus via our virtual tour. Click here to access this**



“The quality of teaching is exceptional. Each and every one of my teachers cared about my learning and my achievements; my teachers challenged me to achieve my best and were always on hand to support me. The Aspire Programme was instrumental in my success at HNC and the support I received for my application to Oxford University was an essential part of my HNC journey, and really prepared me for my next steps.”

**JAK SPENCER**

School: Batley Grammar School

Studied: A Level Biology (A\*), Chemistry (A), History (A\*) and BTEC Level 3 Musical Theatre (DS\*)

Destination: Biomedical Science at the University of Oxford



## Welcome to Huddersfield New College. As Principal, I would like to thank you for your interest in joining our outstanding, award winning College. Our online prospectus shares more about why we think you should choose Huddersfield New College - or as we are more affectionately known as by our College community, HNC!

When you apply to us, you are not only choosing one of the top Colleges in the UK for student progress, but a College that will work with you to ensure that you achieve your ambitions – whatever these are. You will enjoy experiences inside and outside of the classroom that will provide you with a competitive edge, and our wide range of support will also help you to excel. This prospectus shares more about these first class experiences and the support which have been recognised through a range of awards, including being named as the national TES Sixth Form College of the Year.

Current circumstances mean at this moment in time we are unable to host

Open Events in a traditional format. However, our virtual Open Events will offer you the same quality of information, advice and guidance.

This short interactive prospectus is designed to give you a flavour of what you can expect at these virtual Open Events. On behalf of our entire College community, I look forward to welcoming you to our College ‘virtually’ and eventually in person. You can look forward to a College that will help you to achieve your future ambitions.

*Angela Williams*

Angela Williams OBE  
Principal



# WHY CHOOSE HUDDERSFIELD NEW COLLEGE?



Here are our top five reasons why you should choose HNC

**We are an outstanding, award winning College.** We are Ofsted outstanding in all areas, and have won a wide range of prestigious awards, including being named the TES Sixth Form College of the Year

**We secure UK leading results.** We are in the top 10% of all Colleges nationally for student progress and in 2020 our students celebrated a 99.9% pass rate and a 75% high grade rate (A\*-B grades or equivalent)

**We offer A Levels and BTECs.** We are the only College locally offering an extensive range of both A Levels and BTECs and where you can combine these to suit your future career ambitions

**We can give you a unique experience.** You can expect a fantastic range of support, and opportunities outside of the classroom that give you the competitive edge

**We are a genuine community.** We're proud of our diverse, welcoming and supportive College family. You'll be valued as an individual, and celebrate the differences of others too

“HNC helps you to discover hidden passions and provides you with skills and abilities that will stay with you for a lifetime. It offers a wide range of academic and enrichment opportunities allowing you to develop your interests and help you to progress to your chosen career. My time at HNC was an enjoyable one, and the memories I made at the College will last a lifetime.”

**BEN MALONE**

School: Rastrick High School

Studied: A Level Drama and Theatre Studies (A\*),

A Level History (A) and BTEC Level 3 Musical Theatre (DS\*)

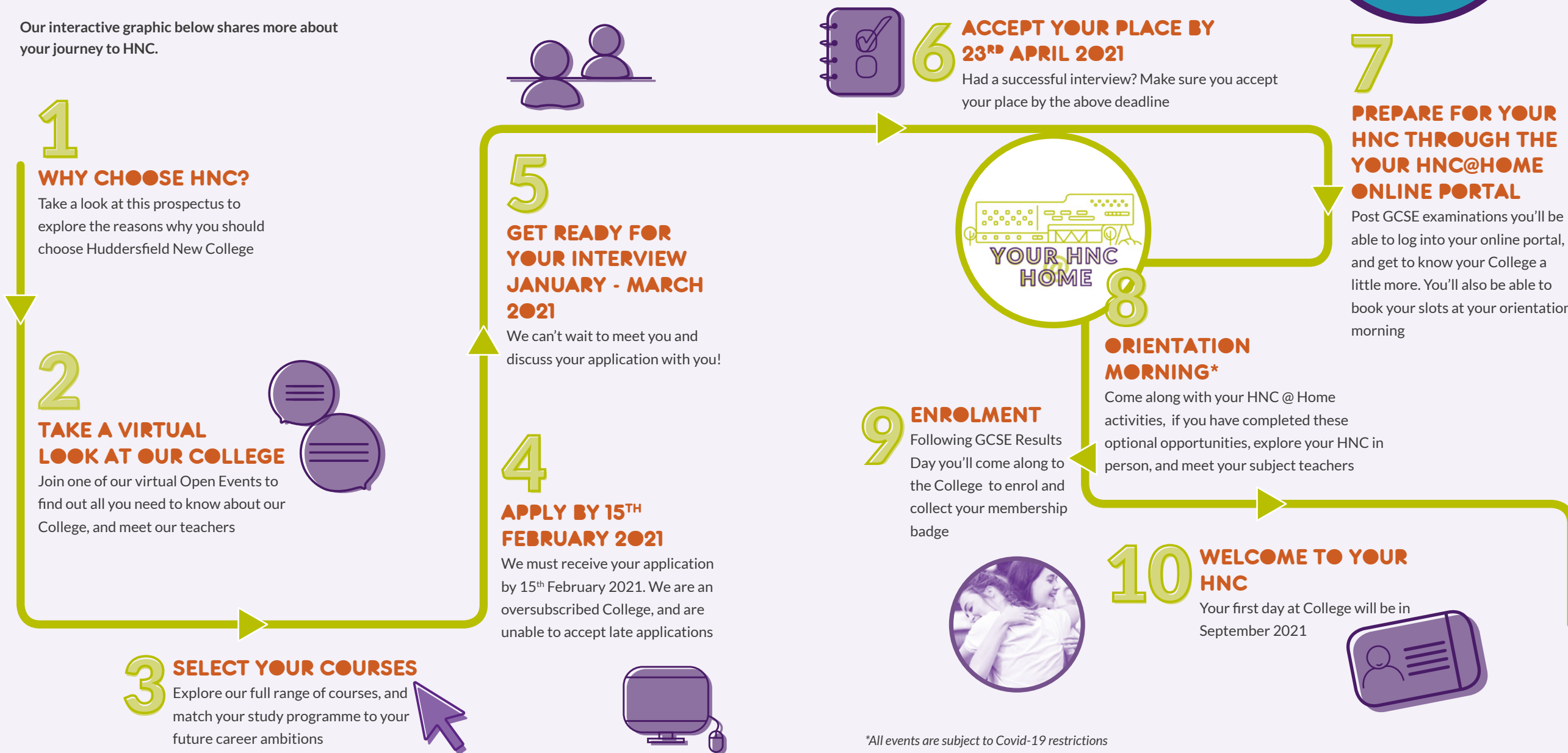
**Destination: Acting for Live and Recording Media at Arden School of Theatre**



# YOUR JOURNEY TO HNC

WHAT WILL YOUR JOURNEY LOOK LIKE? THIS HANDY TIMELINE SHOWS THE KEY STEPS BEFORE YOU JOIN US IN 2021!

Our interactive graphic below shares more about your journey to HNC.





“The opportunities that HNC presented me with were invaluable. As a member of the College’s Aspire Programme, I was able to take up a place at a summer school provided by the Sutton Trust. I spent a week at Glasgow University. I was also encouraged to enrol with the Social Mobility Foundation, through which I was able to network with industry leaders, who support you to progress to your dream career. It was opportunities like these that have really prepared me for my future career as an architect. At HNC there are no barriers to students from any background receiving a first class education.”

## ANISHA IQBAL

School: Ryburn Valley High School  
 Studied: A Level 3D Design (A\*), Mathematics (C) and Physics (C)  
 Destination: Architecture at the University of Salford

# A FIRST CLASS, AWARD WINNING EXPERIENCE

We are very proud of the experience our students enjoy which is reflected in the results they achieve and the exciting destinations on to which they move. HNC is in the top 10% of all Colleges nationally for student progress, and this outstanding achievement has been recognised through a range of national awards.



Did you know that some of the awards and accolades in our trophy cabinet include...



### Ofsted outstanding in all areas

Recognising how we are the very best in everything we do



### TES Sixth Form College of the Year

Recognising how we are the number one College in the UK 2019-20



### Winner of the Social Mobility award, Sixth Form Colleges Association

Recognising how we enhance the life chances and future professional opportunities of our young people



### Number 1 Organisation in the UK for Equality and Diversity - for four consecutive years

Recognising how we promote equality and value the individual differences of all our community



### The Carnegie Centre of Excellence for Mental Health in Schools (Further Education) award in Silver

Recognising how the mental well-being of our young people is at the heart of our work

# CLASS OF 2020

99.9%  
pass rate

75%  
A\*-B  
(or equivalent)

TOP 10%  
OF ALL SCHOOLS  
AND COLLEGES  
NATIONALLY  
FOR STUDENT PROGRESS!



Educate North Awards  
Leader of the Year  
Angela Williams,  
OBE



Winner of the  
prestigious TES Sixth  
Form College of the  
Year Award 2019



Organisation  
of the Year

National Centre  
for Diversity  
Organisation of  
the Year 2020

# YOUR COURSES

Here at HNC you can choose from a wide range of courses and build a study programme uniquely tailored to your future ambitions. To the right are our top 3 tips for choosing the right courses for you.



## Explore your courses

These short videos give you an overview of the courses offered in each department:



[Art and Design](#)

[Business](#)

[Creative Media](#)

[Early Years](#)

[English](#)

[Health and Social Care](#)

[Humanities](#)

[Information Technology](#)

[Mathematics](#)

[Modern Foreign Languages](#)

[Performing Arts](#)

[Physical Education and Sport](#)

[Science](#)

[Social Sciences](#)

[Travel, Tourism and Events](#)

[Management](#)

## Think about what you enjoy and what you are good at

**Consider your future career ambitions and what any courses you may need to study in order to pursue this career ambition**

**Take a look at the entry criteria for your preferred courses and make sure your predicted grades match this**

**Remember, there are subjects you may not have studied before at GCSE, such as Law, Psychology and Film Studies. It is also not always necessary to have studied a subject at GCSE to access it at A Level, for example A Level History. We recommend lots of research into unfamiliar subjects at A Level**

**Finally, don't panic. If you are unsure about your final course choices, a large part of our interview process focuses on helping you to finalise these and your future career ambitions**

"I really enjoyed my time studying at HNC. As well as the outstanding teaching and facilities, there were so many opportunities for me to develop and grow and build my employability skills. During my time at College, I volunteered as a Student Ambassador, and successfully applied to be a part of the Head Student Team, and it was opportunities like this that really helped me to prepare me for my next step."

**ZIYAAD LAMBAT**

School: Upper Batley High School

Studied: A Level Business Studies (B), 3D Design (B) and Sociology (C)

Destination: Accounting and Finance at the University of Manchester



# A PROGRAMME AS UNIQUE AS YOU AND YOUR AMBITIONS!

## A programme as unique as you and your ambitions!

Our wide ranging curriculum gives you a unique range of options for your study programme courses. A full time Level 3 study programme will always total three A Levels (or vocational equivalent).

Each A Level counts as one of your three choices, as these are singular qualifications. A number of our BTEC qualifications are available as 1, 2 and 3 A Level equivalents. The blocks below illustrate how you could combine qualifications to create your bespoke 3 A Level study programme!

If you don't meet the entry criteria for a Level 3 study programme, you may

qualify to apply for a one year Level 2 study programme first. Most of our Level 2 students progress to a Level 3 study programme at the College at the end of their Level 2 study programme.

*Please note you should choose no more than two predominantly practical/coursework based A Levels. If you want to combine three practical/coursework based A Levels, you should seriously consider an Extended Diploma course*

**A Level** + **A Level** + **A Level** = **3 subjects**

**A Level** + **A Level** + **BTEC Level 3 Extended Certificate (1 A Level equivalent)** = **3 subjects**

**A Level** + **BTEC Level 3 Diploma (2 A Level equivalent)** = **3 subjects**

**BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma (3 A Level equivalent)** = **3 subjects**

## A quick look at entry criteria

Your entry criteria may be different from the general entry criteria depending on the courses you wish to study. Some courses have additional criteria attached to ensure your success on the course. A summary of general entry criteria can be found in the table below. Our full entry criteria can be found by clicking [here](#).

**If you are looking to study an A Level as a minimum you will need to achieve:**

- 2 GCSEs at grade 5 and 3 GCSEs at grade 4 minimum
- One of the grade 5s must be in either GCSE English Language or Literature, but the GCSE English Language grade should not be lower than a grade 4
- GCSE Maths must be achieved at grade 4 or above. The grades 4 or above in the other GCSEs need to be in academic GCSE subjects and should relate to your chosen A Level or combination programme
- For a study programme including a 4<sup>th</sup> Level 3 qualification, you are required to achieve 5 GCSEs at grades 7 to 9 and at least a grade 6 in both GCSE English Language and GCSE Maths. Your GCSE average point score should be above 6.4
- Plus subject specific entry criteria

**If you are looking to study a Level 3 vocational programme, as a minimum you will need to achieve:**

- 5 GCSEs at grade 4 or above, including English Language
- GCSE Maths at grade 3 or above (if grade 4 or above, will be included as one of the five GCSEs needed)
- One vocational equivalent qualification at Pass grade or above can be substituted for one GCSE grade (excluding English Language and Maths) at grade 4 or above
- Plus subject specific entry criteria

**If you do not expect to meet the Level 3 entry criteria, you may be able to apply for one of our Level 2 programmes.**

**You will need to achieve:**

- GCSE grade 3 in English Language and grade 2 in Maths
- Plus 1 GCSE or vocational equivalent at grade 4
- Plus 1 GCSE at grade 3 and 1 GCSE at grade 2
- Plus subject specific entry criteria

**For further information [click here](#)**



[Unsure how building your programme works. Watch our 60 second guide led by our Deputy Head of Admissions Samantha](#)



**Remember, your study programme should always total three A Levels or A Level equivalents qualifications. Here at HNC you can combine A Levels and Level 3 BTECs to create a study programme tailored to your needs, interests and future ambitions**

# YOUR OPTIONS

The table below outlines the courses available to you and the levels these are available at. You can click each to be taken to the website for more detailed course information.

Courses	LEVEL 3			LEVEL 2		
	A LEVEL	BTEC			GCSE	Extended Certificate (equivalent to 3 GCSEs)
		Certificate/Extended Certificate (equivalent to 1 A Level)	Extended Certificate/Diploma (equivalent to 2 A Levels)	Foundation Diploma/Extended Diploma (equivalent to 3 A Levels)		
Art and Design			●		●	
Art and Design – 3D Design	●					
Art and Design – Fine Art	●					
Art and Design – Graphic Communication	●					
Art and Design – Photography	●					
Art and Design – Textile Design	●					
Applied Law		●				
Applied Psychology		●				
Applied Science			●		●	
Biology	●					
Biology - Applied (Human)		●				
Business		●	●	●	●	
Business Studies	●					
Chemistry	●					
Childcare and Education			●			
Computer Science	●					
Creative Digital Media (Digital Film and Video)		●	●	●		
Course length	2 years			1 year (then progress onto Level 3 for 2 years)		

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Creative Digital Media (Digital Games)		●		●		
Criminology		●				
Dance		●				
Drama and Theatre Studies	●					
Economics	●					
English				●		
English Language and Literature	●					
English Literature	●					
Film Studies	●					
French	●					
Geography	●					
Health and Social Care		●	●	●	●	
History	●					
Information Technology		●	●	●		
Information and Creative Technology					●	
Law	●					
Mathematics	●			●		
Course length	2 years			1 year (then progress onto Level 3 for 2 years)		

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Mathematics - Further	●				
Media Studies	●				
Music Performance		●			
Music (Digital Production)		●			
Musical Theatre			●		
Performance (Creative & Acting)			●		
Philosophy, Ethics and Religion	●				
Physical Education	●				
Physics	●				
Politics	●				
Psychology	●				
Sociology	●				
Spanish	●				
Sport			●		●
Sport and Exercise Science		●	●		●
Travel and Tourism		●	●		
Travel, Tourism and Events Management			●		
Course length	2 years			1 year (then progress onto Level 3 for 2 years)	



# HOW TO APPLY

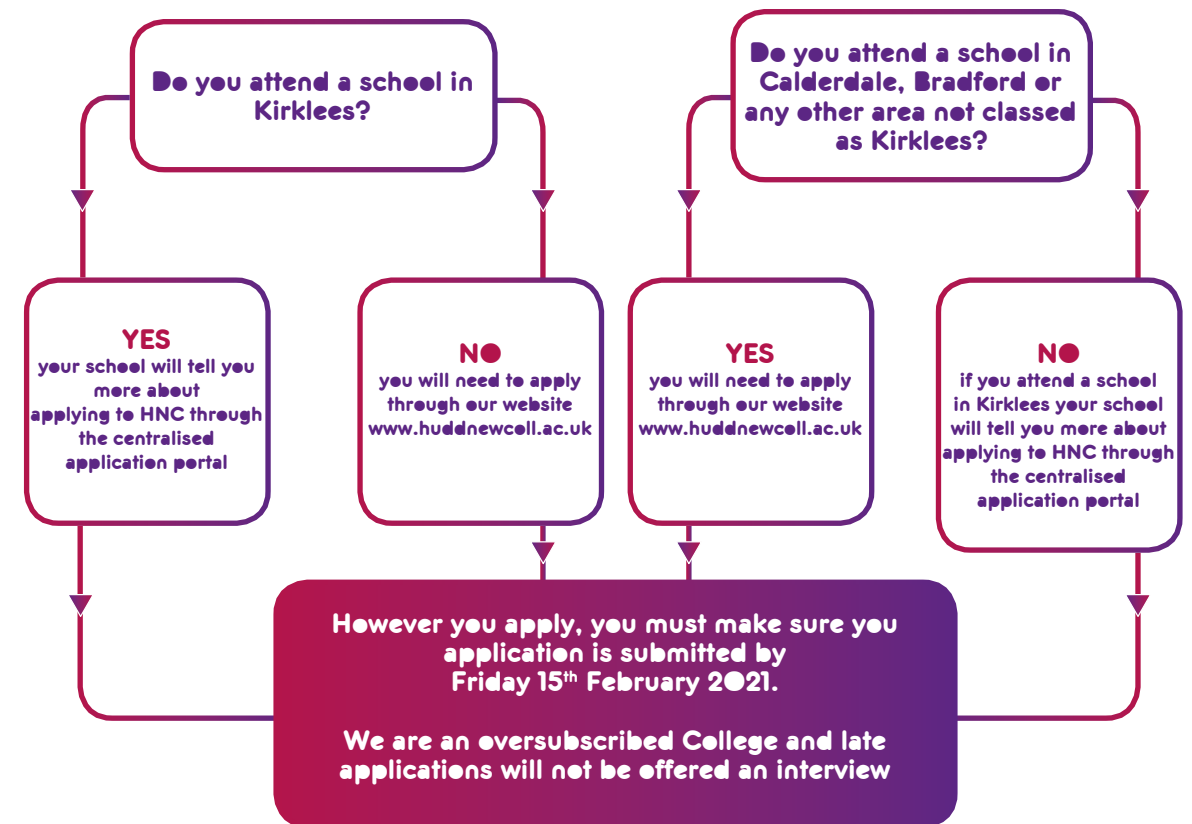
“I chose to study at Huddersfield New College so that I could pursue both my love of Sport and my academic studies. I had so many opportunities to develop my employability skills at College, including a work experience placement in Poland and coaching primary school aged children. As well as studying for my BTEC in Sport and Exercise Science, I also played for the College’s Football Academy, reaching the championship finals. I also had the opportunity to join a Sports tour in Spain, take part in the Sports Ambassador Programme and undertake additional qualifications. I am so well prepared for my next step.”

**MATTHEW FOSTER**

School: Honley High School

Studied: BTEC Level 3 Sport and Exercise Science (D\*D\*D\*)

Destination: Sport and Exercise Science at the University of Newcastle



# YOUR EXPERIENCE

When you join Your HNC, you can expect so much more than an outstanding experience in the classroom! The following pages share more about what you can expect from the broader College experience - an experience which will help you become a rounded and resilient young adult, ready for your next steps.

This section of our online prospectus includes links to a number of short videos, to help you to explore this in more detail. These videos will bring the broader College experience to life, so make sure you take a look.



## An inclusive, diverse and respectful College community

We are incredibly proud of our inclusive, diverse and respectful College community.

Our approach to promoting equality provides opportunity for all and to celebrate the diverse world in which we live has been recognised by being named Number 1 Organisation in the UK for Equality and Diversity for four years running by the National Centre for Diversity.

We provide a wide range of opportunities for you to explore equality and diversity matters, including themed diversity weeks, equality and diversity tutorials and an equality and diversity content in subjects, as relevant.

The best way to learn more about why we are a national leader in our approach to equality and diversity is by taking a look at it in action - click the icon to the left to find out more.



## A Greener College

As a student at HNC you will be asked to sign our Green Pledge. This asks you to support five simple steps to help protect our environment now and for future generations. Our focus is on small, achievable green steps that together make a big difference. The Green Pledge:

1. Be a travel hero and walk or cycle where possible
2. Ditch the plastic
3. Be a conscious consumer and choose greener options
4. Use a refillable container for drinks
5. Opt for a meat free day each week

As a College we are working hard to reduce our carbon footprint, and you can expect regular guest speakers, including speakers from Greenpeace, to help you build your knowledge of current environmental issues, and how you can help to protect our planet.



**At HNC I had so many opportunities to brighten my future. I applied for the position of Head Student, which allowed me to develop a variety of skills, beyond my academic study programme and my self-confidence. I always felt supported by my teachers and my progress tutor, and the support I received from the Careers Team during the UCAS application process helped me to secure a place at one of the UK's leading universities"**

**ZOE WOLSTENHOLME**

School: Ryburn Valley High School  
Studied: A Level Mathematics (A\*), A Level Further Mathematics (A) and A Level French (B)

Destination: Mathematics at Durham University

# ENRICH YOUR STUDIES



Here at HNC our focus is on ensuring you enjoy an outstanding experience both inside and outside of the classroom. We are exceptionally proud of our enrichment offer which allows you to try something new, gain new skills or qualifications, or get career ready.



## GET ACTIVE

Look after both your body and mind through access to an indoor and outdoor gym, our ENJOY sporting programme, the Gold Duke of Edinburgh expedition, or even joining playing for a College sports team



## GET COMPETITIVE

Enjoy leadership opportunities that help you compete alongside the very best! Students are encouraged to experience activities such as our Oxbridge programme, our Sports Academies and national competitions such as the UK Senior Maths Challenge



## GET INSPIRED

Try new things and develop new skills – you could write for the HNC Echo, our student magazine, join our book club, learn to knit or perform in a show! Certificate)



## GET CREATIVE

Get creative at College by joining the annual Short Story competition, celebrating in National Poetry Day and even getting your artwork exhibited



## GET QUALIFIED

Give yourself the competitive edge by gaining an extra qualification such as the Extended Project Qualification, Sports Leaders Qualifications, First Aid Qualifications, Microsoft Academy Qualifications or NCFE Qualifications (for example, Air Cabin Crew Certificate)

*\*All activities, particularly team sports, are subject to ongoing Covid requirements*



## GET CAREER READY

Achieve your future ambitions and enhance your future prospects by undertaking work experience, volunteering, taking part in CV workshops, mock interviews, and a Meet the Professionals programme



## GET HELPING

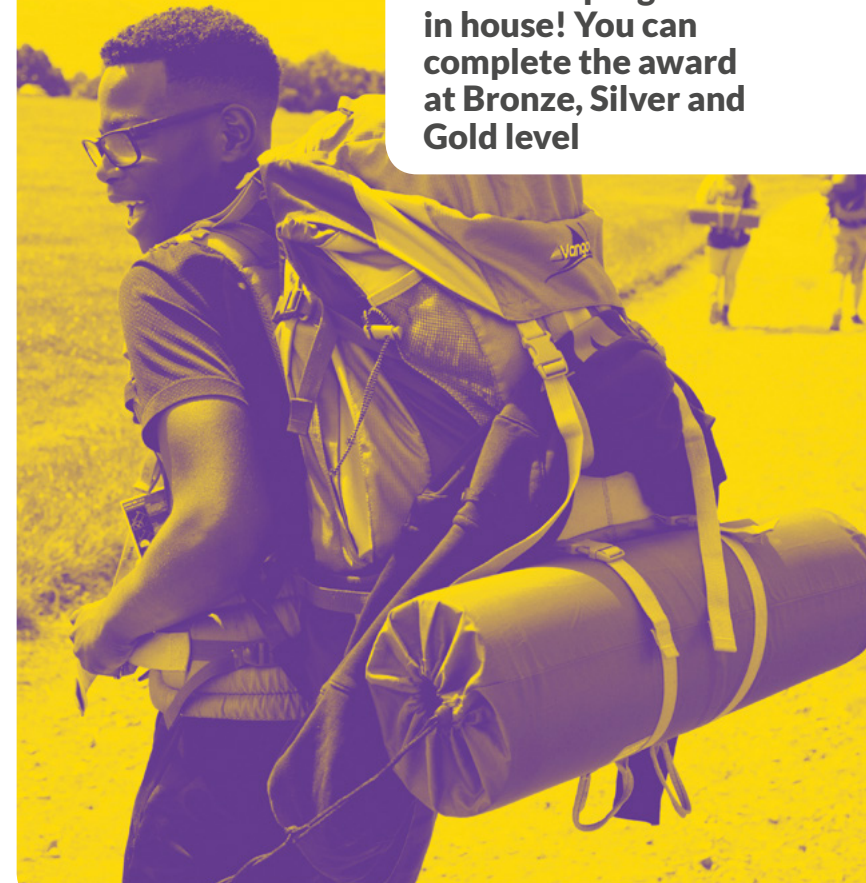
Give back by participating in one of the many opportunities to make a positive contribution to your community. You can get involved in a wide range of activities including choosing our Charity of the Year, collecting for the Welcome Food Bank, mentoring students in local schools, becoming a Student Well Being Champion, Head Student, Student Governor or a Student Ambassador – there are countless possibilities to help others whilst growing your skills!



[We offer over 150 different opportunities to gain a new skill or knowledge or qualification that could help change your future. WATCH the short video above to find out more about the extra curricular opportunities on offer at the College](#)



**We are proud to be an accredited Duke of Edinburgh centre, meaning we offer our own DofE programme in house! You can complete the award at Bronze, Silver and Gold level**



# OUR CAMPUS



[Watch more](#)  
Click here to take a virtual tour of College



[Watch more](#)  
Explore HNC from the air

Our 2900 strong College community can access outstanding facilities all located in an area of outstanding natural beauty, which is still conveniently located just a short distance from Huddersfield town centre.

## Learning facilities

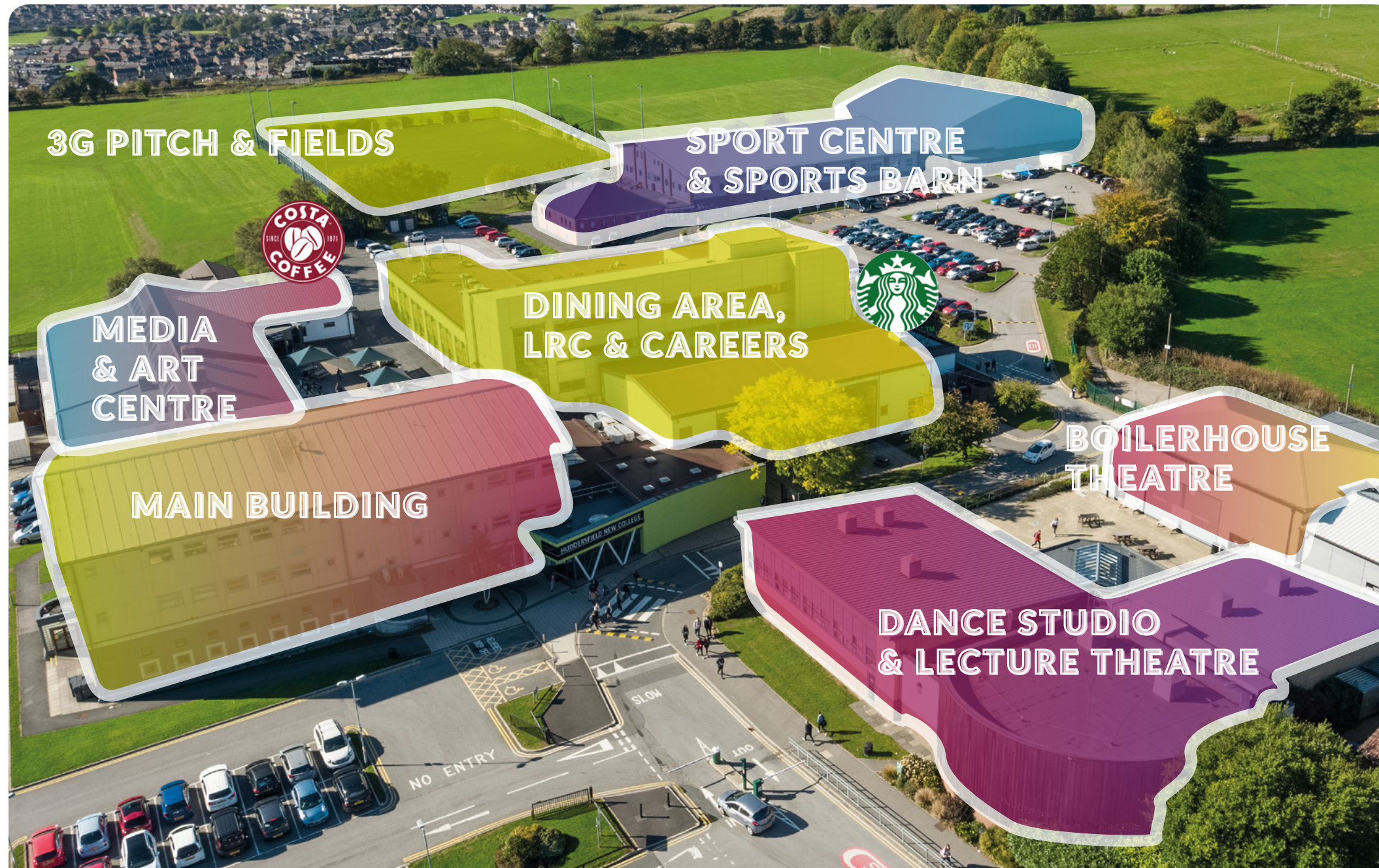
- State of the art Sports lab
- Dedicated Study Hubs in all buildings
- Learning Resource Centre (LRC) and Library
- Performing Arts Theatre
- Lecture Theatre
- IT Suites
- Music Editing Suite and music practice rooms
- Video Editing Suite
- Photography Studio
- Industry standard Science labs
- Classroom spaces bespoke to subjects

## Sports facilities

- 3G pitch
- Multi-use Sports Barn
- Indoor professional standard Cricket lanes
- Fitness Suite
- Outdoor Gym

## Leisure facilities

- Starbucks Café
- Costa Café
- Large social spaces including dedicated Dining Areas and a hot servery



# YOUR SUPPORT

Here at HNC we understand that a student with the right support is one that succeeds. We offer a range of support to ensure that you can succeed.



## Your HNC @ Home

This support starts once you have accepted your place at HNC, and have completed your GCSE examinations. You will be provided with a unique log in to our unique online Campus - HNC @ Home. Here you will be able to access a range of activities linked to your studies to give you a flying start in these studies.

It is also where you will book your slots for your Orientation Morning in July.\* On this morning you can visit the Campus and speak to your subject teachers to ensure that you are ready for your start at HNC in September 2021.

Whilst HNC @ Home will give you a head start on your next steps after GCSEs, our comprehensive induction process when you start with us in September will help you to settle into College life quickly. This induction includes:

- Group tours of the College
- Information session covering essential elements of College life; from how lessons work to where you can buy a cup of coffee
- An enrichment fair where you can find out all about the opportunities available to you outside the classroom
- A little bit of extra support for those finding settling in to College life a little harder. This includes individual tours, tea and chat events and support from Progress Tutors



**WATCH MORE**  
[Find out more about or Progress Tutor support here](#)



## Your Progress Tutors

As a student, you will be assigned a Progress Tutor who will support you every step of the way in your HNC journey, including:

- Monitoring your attendance and punctuality, and supporting you, if there are issues affecting your progress
- One to one monitoring meetings, to ensure you stay on track, make progress and achieve your Statistical Grades
- Weekly tutorials to support your personal development
- Support with university, apprenticeship or job applications during your final year

You will meet your Progress Tutor on at least a weekly basis, and they also provide a key link between College and home.

**“I have always wanted to be a Midwife, and I chose to study at HNC as I knew the College would be able to help me to achieve this career goal. My teachers were not only subject experts, they also had incredible industry links, which helped me to secure relevant work experience. I am dyslexic, but the support I received from the College’s Study Centre Team meant that this was never a barrier for me, and the access arrangements provided for me helped to ensure that I was never disadvantaged. The skills I developed at HNC will support me far beyond my time at College.”**

**ANNABELLE WHITE**

School: Honley High School

Studied: BTEC Level 3 Health and Social Care (D\*D\*D\*)

Destination: Midwifery at the University of Huddersfield





## ASPIRE

Are you on track to achieve a high number of GCSE grade 7, 8 or 9s? Then you could be eligible for our Aspire programme.

This programme is all about ensuring that you fully realise your academic potential. The programme includes:

- A university style lecture series with internal and external experts in their fields
- An Oxbridge support programme, including mock interviews
- Visits and application advice for the world leading Russell Group Universities
- Extra curricular experiences that build your cultural capital and give you a competitive edge
- The opportunity to gain an AS Level through The Extended Project Qualification (EPQ)



[If you think this applies to you, we recommend that you watch our short video which shares more about what you can expect in Aspire](#)



**STUDY CENTRE**  
Huddersfield New College

## Study Centre

If you need support in your academic studies, our Additional Learning and Specialist Support team offers support that is bespoke to your needs. The admissions process will help us to identify the support you may need. This may include:

- **One to one support from a Student Support Assistant**
- **Support for specific learning needs. These include, but are not limited to, learning difficulties, sensory impairments, physical disabilities and support for English as a second language**
- **Special examination arrangements, including additional time or support during exams**
- **Access to specialist software and hardware**
- **Access to a quiet space**



[If our Study Centre support apply to you, you can learn more by watching the short video](#)



## Careers Information, Advice and Guidance

Our qualified Careers team is here to support you to take the right next step to achieve your future ambitions. You can expect:

- **One to one Career planning meetings**
- **A Get Ready for Your Future conference to help you to explore the possibilities available to you in the future**
- **Support with your UCAS application**
- **A programme of guest speakers from industry and the professions**
- **Access to university open events and outreach programmes**
- **Support to secure work experience and work placement opportunities**



## Financial Support

We offer a range of support to you to ensure that any financial barriers to attending College are removed, where possible, including:

- **Access to a 16-19 bursary**
- **Access to the Free School Meals Scheme**
- **Access to the College hardship fund**



## Student Welfare Service

Our Student Welfare service can help with welfare concerns, including mental health well-being and a wide range of other welfare matters – our friendly team run an open door service and are always happy to listen



## Mental health and well-being support

We are proud to have been awarded the Carnegie Centre of Excellence for Mental Health in Schools (Further Education) Award at Silver standard. This reflects how as a College we work hard to ensure that your good mental well-being is promoted. This includes:

- **Access to a wide range of well-being events, for example, regular 'Tea and Chat' events**
- **Access to trained staff and student Mental Health Champions**
- **Access to external experts, as appropriate**

**#everymindmatters**



# SPORTING EXCELLENCE

We are renowned for our sporting provision – if you have a sporting talent, then HNC is the place for you!



## Talented Athletes Programme

Do you play a sport at a regional, national or international level? Our Talented Athletes Programme allows you to combine excelling in your sport with excelling in your studies. As a member of the programme, you will benefit from bespoke timetabling and distance learning, whilst you are training or competing.

There are no limits to the sports our Talented Athletes play! From gymnasts to windsurfing representing the UK, to Rugby League players, playing professionally, to Olympic swimmers and international golfers, our athletes excel in their sport, and in their studies.



[To find out more and take a look at some of our current Talented Athletes, click here](#)

## Sports Academies and Development Programmes

Would you like to train under the direction of highly qualified coaches? If the answer is yes, you could try out for one of our Sports Academy or Development programmes.

If successful, you will receive outstanding coaching, access to relevant additional qualifications, and play at the highest competitive level. Our Sports Academies and Development Programmes include:

- Men's Cricket Academy and Development Programme
- Men's Football Academy and Development Programme
- Women's Football Academy
- Men's Rugby League Academy
- Netball Programme



Huddersfield New College has been named as one of the top 100 cricket schools in the UK in recognition of the high quality training on offer and the progression of students from the Cricket Academy to professional careers in cricket



READY  
TO  
APPLY?



[Click here to be taken to our application portal or to find out more about applying through your school \(for students in Kirklees schools\)](#)



# GETTING TO YOUR HNC

There are plenty of travel options that make getting to HNC convenient

## HNC bus service

We offer a subsidised bus service covering Kirklees and Calderdale. These are dedicated services for HNC students only (rates are subject to student demand).

## Car/ Moped

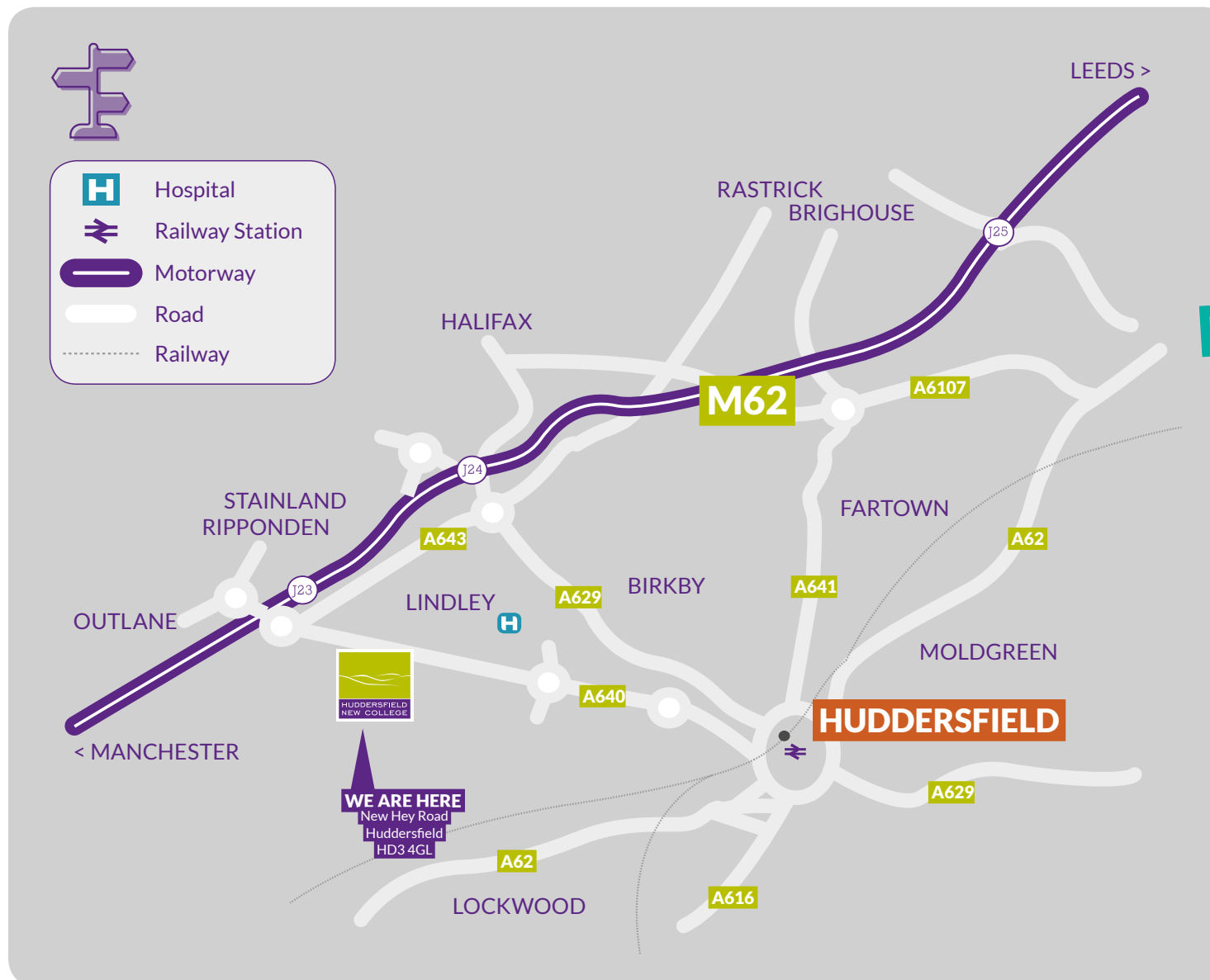
Parking (with a permit) is available onsite

## Bike

Dedicated bike lockers are available onsite

## Public transport

Frequent services run along New Hey Road and stop directly at the front of the College. We also run a shuttle bus from the town centre to College at the start and end of the College day. HNC is situated just a ten minute bus journey from the town centre.



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