College Courses for Senior Phase Pupils (S4-S6)

For the future you want
WE ARE ONE OF SCOTLAND’S BIGGEST REGIONAL COLLEGES WITH AROUND 20,000 STUDENTS ACROSS 4 CAMPUSES.

Doing a college course while at school will provide you with additional skills and experience which can boost your employment prospects and enhance your CV or university application. Courses have been developed in response to employer needs and offer greater choice in a variety of subjects.

Many of our senior phase courses include work placements which will compliment your studies, offering more post-school choices which can set you on a pathway to a rewarding career.

We work closely with universities and industry partners to ensure our curriculum is relevant and up to date to provide the best opportunities for employment or further study. Whatever path you choose we have the right course to get you where you want to go.

College offers a different and practical learning environment to help you develop your skills and knowledge, whilst providing progression opportunities and preparing you for the world of work. We can also provide advice on career options which will help you reach your full potential.

We are committed to ensuring all students are prepared for a successful future and you will find all you need at college to help you get good results and achieve your learning goals.

This course guide provides the information you need to make important decisions about coming to college and the right course to study. It will also give you a feel for college life. However, the best way to find out more is to talk to our course advisors and meet some of our students to find out why Edinburgh College is an excellent choice for the future you want.

96% of students said they enjoy coming to college
Source: student induction survey Nov 2016

For the future you want
GREAT REASONS TO STUDY AT EDINBURGH COLLEGE

Over 1,600 students enrolled on SCP courses in 2015/16

More than 700 courses from entry level to degree programmes for the future you want

Edinburgh College is the biggest single provider of students to Edinburgh universities

Clear progression routes to university, employment or further study

99% of our successful full-time students move on to employment or further study

Within six months of graduating*

One of Scotland’s largest colleges with around 20,000 students

Working with around 2,000 industry partners to provide our students with the best possible opportunities for employment

All SCP courses provide progression to full-time college courses

*Student destination stats 2016

For the future you want
GREAT REASONS TO STUDY AT EDINBURGH COLLEGE

Our own record label and radio station with professional sound recording studios featuring the latest technology.

Two professionally run student training restaurants.

Immersive and Controlled Environment (ICE) Lab. Providing mixed reality and motion tracking experience for working in the construction industry.

MacTaggart Scott Hydraulics & Pneumatics PLC Laboratory
A live training laboratory for the development of engineering skills.

Fully equipped TV studio with AVID editing suites and a 96 seat auditorium.

Performing Arts Studio Scotland
One of the country’s largest and most respected training centres in the Performing Arts.

Scotland’s first Solar Meadow Research and Teaching Centre with 2500 photovoltaic panels.

Wella Centre of Excellence
One of only two approved Centres in the UK.

One of two approved Centres in the UK
Two professionally run student training restaurants

Simulated airline classroom to train airport ground crew for Swissport Academy.

Drive-in photography studio with infinity coving and professional dark rooms.

One of Scotland’s best highways, civil engineering and railway track training centres.

Scotland’s largest electric vehicle research project in partnership with SESTran, Edinburgh University and Mitsubishi.

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COURSE OPTIONS FOR SCHOOL PUPILS

SCHOOLS COLLEGE PARTNERSHIP (SCP)
The senior phase provision offers a full range of part-time college courses for S4-S6 pupils whilst still at school. There is a wide range of vocational subjects on offer to complement existing studies including SCP courses, Foundation Apprenticeships and Academies. These course options count as one of the column choices which can be added into existing timetables. All senior phase courses offer progression on to full-time Edinburgh College courses.

Attendence patterns vary, but the majority of these courses are studied at college over 2 half days, with some courses providing an opportunity for a work placement with an employer. As well as building skills and confidence, pupils benefit from pathways to employment and further study.

Vocational pathways ensure pupils are better prepared for the world of work and enhance post school choices.

Dedicated Schools Liaison Officers are on campus to provide support to pupils whilst attending college and are the main point of contact for schools.

To find out more about courses available for senior phase pupils e-mail schools@edinburghcollege.ac.uk

Career Coach is an online career and course matching portal which enables users to make informed course and career choices. The system uses live data from a range of economic and government sources to provide up to date information on employment opportunities, pay scales, current vacancies and the outlook for future opportunities in the region.

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HOW IT CAN WORK FOR YOU
Explore Careers:
Research your career interests, or take a career assessment if you don’t know where to start.

Check the Data:
Evaluate potential careers based on average pay scales and current and future employment opportunities and see which companies are hiring. Use live job postings to learn what employers want from future employees.

Choose a Path:
Explore the available courses that lead to the career you want, and choose the study options that best fit your needs.

FOUNDATION APPRENTICESHIPS
Foundation Apprenticeships (FAs) are a great way to get a head start and are suitable for pupils who are studying National 5s. They provide a high-quality work-based progression route through the senior phase to employment, Apprenticeship or further study. Entry is open to any pupil with the ability to succeed at level 6 in a vocational setting. The only exception to this is engineering, where pupils applying for the Foundation Apprenticeship should also be taking higher maths.

Edinburgh College will be offering 20 places in 17/18 on each of the following Foundation Apprenticeships for pupils from Edinburgh, East Lothian and Midlothian schools. Each of these sectors has been identified as a key growth area for jobs and employment of young people in the region.

Benefits for pupils
• Achieve additional accredited qualification to boost CV, college or university applications
• Enhanced employability through industry relevant work experience
• Provides a head start for employment, progression to a Modern Apprenticeship or further study
• Foundation Apprenticeships count as 1 of the options within S5-S6 subject choices

University Applications
FAs are recognised by the following Universities* for entry to degree programmes on the same basis as higher (some exceptions apply): Aberdeen, Abertay, Dundee, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Heriot Watt, QMU, Robert Gordon, Strathclyde, UHI.

What’s involved?
Foundation Apprenticeships involve the following elements:
• A National Progression Award or National Certificate at level 6
• Either a whole or partial SVQ at level 6
• An extended work placement

Delivery models vary slightly between frameworks but will typically involve:
• Attendance at College (Tues and Thurs afternoons) for the duration of the programme
• Two weeks’ work placement in June in S5 & 6 plus one week in October of S6 and another week in February of S6.
• Work visits, visiting lecturers, employer challenge projects etc. taking place in both years.

All pupil travel costs are paid.

Applications should be made via guidance teachers.

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*Similar arrangements with other universities are in development.

www.apprenticeships.scot/become-an-apprentice/foundation-apprenticeships
COURSE OPTIONS FOR SCHOOL PUPILS

ACADEMIES

South East Scotland Academy Partnership (SESAP) Academies (SCQF level 6)

Academies are suitable for S5-S6 pupils who are enthusiastic about improving their opportunities in life and are committed to a 1-2 year programme. Pupils will study both at college and university while still at school and gain relevant work experience opportunities.

A Joint project with Edinburgh College, Queen Margaret University (QMU) and Local Authorities, SESAP Academies provide a smooth transition between school, college, university and employment. Pupils attend college, school and university simultaneously and benefit from enhanced employability through an industry relevant work experience placement. Successful completion of the Academies provides pupils with direct access to QMU or Edinburgh College and gives competitive advantage for progression to employment.

Full details of qualifications, entry level requirements, campus and study patterns are detailed in the course timetable on pages 14-31.

The Health & Social Care Academy provides an opportunity to achieve a relevant qualification in Health & Social Care. It will allow pupils to develop skills ready for entry to college, university or employment.

For further information e-mail Julie Caulfield jcaulfield@qmu.ac.uk

The Creative Industries Academy provides an opportunity to discover the range of skills required to work in the dynamic creative industries sector, in particular, media and film or acting and performance. This course is suitable for pupils with interests in working in the media, film industry or the performing arts sector.

For further information e-mail Sandra Grieve sgrieve@qmu.ac.uk

The Hospitality & Tourism Academy provides an opportunity to discover the range of skills required to work in the dynamic hospitality, tourism & events sector and is suitable for pupils interested in working with people and studying business management or hospitality at school.

For further information e-mail Jennifer Bingham jbingham@qmu.ac.uk

Academy students attend college weekly Tuesdays and Thursdays 2-5pm and QMU for 4 Friday sessions from 2-5 pm in August, October, March & June. Travel will be arranged by the Local Authority through the school.

More information on SESAP Academies can be accessed at www.southeastscotlandacademies.org

Edinburgh College Engineering Academy

HNC in Engineering Systems with Renewables
- SCQF Level 7

A joint project with Edinburgh College and Edinburgh Napier University, the Engineering Academy provides an opportunity to build knowledge and practical skill alongside academic study. Applicants should be working towards a minimum of 3 Highers (one of which will be science based and the remainder will include Maths and English). Highers must be achieved by 6th year. This along with two years of College to complete an HNC will provide direct access to year two of the BEng Energy and Environmental Engineering course at Napier University.

Edinburgh College Engineering Academy

East Lothian Construction Academy

Construction Crafts Skills for work
- SCQF Level 4

The Construction Skills Academy is a new partnership between East Lothian Council, Edinburgh College and Morrison Construction. The Academy is based in the East Lothian Construction & Technology Centre in Musselburgh and is open to pupils from East Lothian.

This is a vocational course offering employability skills required for success in the workplace and offers a variety of practical experience linked to construction.

Course | SCQF Level | Attendance at College | Attendance at University | External Work Placement
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SESAP Health & Social Care Academy | 5/6 | Edinburgh College | QMU | Yes
SESAP Creative Industries Academy | 6 | Edinburgh College | QMU | Yes
SESAP Hospitality & Tourism Academy | 6 | Edinburgh College | QMU | Yes
Edinburgh College Engineering Academy | 7 | Edinburgh College | Edinburgh Napier | No
East Lothian Construction Academy | 4 | East Lothian Construction & Technology Centre | | No
Edinburgh College offers a range of nationally and internationally recognised courses across a wide variety of subjects. The course you choose will depend on your current qualifications, experience and career aspirations.

The majority of qualifications we offer are from the Scottish Qualifications Authority (SQA).

**Further Education (FE)**

SCQF level 4-6

**Higher Education (HE)**

SCQF 7-11

This map will show you the path you can take through the Scottish Qualifications Framework. SCQF levels for all courses can be found in our prospectus and on our website. For more information please visit scqf.org.uk.

- University qualifications
- College qualifications
- School qualifications
- Supported learning

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NEW APPLICANTS
If you are not sure whether to leave or stay on at school you can apply for a part-time SCP course as well as a full time college course. Your guidance teacher or careers advisor will help you to make the right choice for you.

APPLICATION FORM
Please ask your guidance teacher/careers advisor for a copy of the SCP application form. They will be able to support you throughout the application process.

CONTACT US
Contact schools@edinburghcollege.ac.uk or visit edinburghcollege.ac.uk/schools for information on courses available for senior phase pupils.

FAQS
You can find FAQs on SCP courses on our website edinburghcollege.ac.uk/schools.

EMAIL UPDATES
Please regularly check your emails as we will contact you and your guidance teacher via email with updates on your application.
ENGINEERING AND BUILT ENVIRONMENT

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**Engineering Academy**

This course allows you to work towards an HNC in Engineering Systems with Renewables. The Academy is a joint project with Edinburgh College and Edinburgh Napier University and provides an opportunity to build knowledge and practical skill alongside academic study. This along with two years of College to complete an HNC will provide direct access to year two of the BEng Energy and Environmental Engineering course at Napier University.

Applicants should be working towards a minimum of 3 Highers (one of which will be science based and the remainder will include Maths and English). Highers must be achieved by 6th year.

Tues & Thurs 14:15-16:30

**Foundation Apprenticeship in Engineering**

This 2 year course is suitable for pupils entering S5 and will help you develop the skills and knowledge needed for access to higher level study or to move into employment. It can also provide credit and progression to the Engineering Modern Apprenticeship Framework at SCQF level 6.

Entry qualifications: National 5 Maths & Physics at level A-C. You must be studying Higher Maths in S5.

Tues & Thurs 13:15 - 16:30

**Engineering Skills National 5**

This course is designed to introduce students to a range of engineering skills and how they can be applied. There is also an electrical unit which involves practical skills.

Tues & Thurs 13:15-16:30

**City & Guilds Introduction to Automotive and Mechanical Engineering**

This course will suit you if you are thinking about working in the automotive sector. You will study a range of motor vehicle systems and parts including: engines, cooling, lubrication, fuel, electrical, brakes, wheels, tyres and health and safety in the workplace.

There are no formal entry requirements. Each applicant will be interviewed and asked to demonstrate an interest in and commitment to the course. Following this course, students can progress onto Scottish Vocational Qualifications (SVQs), Modern Apprenticeships in Automotive Engineering, a selection of our full-time automotive courses, further training or employment.

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**Electrical Skills**

If you want to become an electrician this course provides the perfect platform to develop your skills and knowledge. You will learn hand skills and wiring techniques which are based around a domestic setting.

Each applicant will be interviewed and asked to complete a short numeracy test at SCQF level 5. Following this course, students can progress onto Electrical Installation: Pre Apprentice, or any NC Electrical course.

Tues & Thurs 13:30-16:00

**Automotive Engineering Skills for Work**

This course will provide you with basic skills to establish a grounding in automotive technology. The course is suitable for S4/SS pupils who are interested in the industry.

There are no formal entry requirements. Each applicant will be interviewed and asked to demonstrate an interest in and commitment to the course. Following this course, students can progress onto Scottish Vocational Qualifications (SVQs), Modern Apprenticeships in Automotive Engineering, a selection of our full-time automotive courses, further training or employment.

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Mon, Wed & Thurs 09:00-16:30
Work placement (organised by pupil/school)
Tues & Fri

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This 2 year course is suitable for pupils entering S5 and will help you discover what a career in Civil Engineering would be like. You will experience different engineering roles, building the practical skills and experience you need for employment in this area.

Entry requirements: National 5 Maths & Physics at level A-C. You must be studying Higher Maths in S5.

*This course is delivered at the East Lothian Construction & Technology Centre based in Musselburgh

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This course gives S4/5 pupils a chance to try a variety of trade disciplines with a focus on employability skills gained by working with construction companies and visiting building sites.

There are no formal entry requirements. Following this course, students can progress onto a full-time pre-apprenticeship course within the construction department.

Tues or Thurs 09:00-16:15

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This course is open to East Lothian school pupils and offers employability skills and practical experience while working towards a Construction Crafts Skills for work qualification. The Construction Skills Academy is a new partnership between East Lothian Council, Edinburgh College and Morrison Construction.

No formal entry requirements but a referral from school is required.

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Tues & Thurs 13:00-16:00
### Creative Industries

#### Creative Industries Academy (SESAP)

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**National Progression Award in Film & Media or National Progression Award in Acting and Performance and Professional Theatre Preparation.**

This course will enable you to discover the range of skills required to work in the dynamic creative industries sector through a blend of practical and theoretical learning. Depending on whether you opt for the film & media route or the acting route, your studies will include elements from feature writing and photography, an introduction to film or acting, and audition and theatre skills.

Ideally you will be studying towards a minimum of 1 Higher (ideally English) and grade C or above in English at National 5.

Tues & Thurs 14:00-17:00

### Computing

#### Foundation Apprenticeship in IT Software Development

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The Foundation Apprenticeship in Information Technology is a 2 year course designed to provide pupils entering S5 with opportunities to develop skills and knowledge for entry into a career in the IT sector. You will combine college studying and work experience giving you vital skills preparing you for employment or further study.

5 National 4’s and 2 National 5’s including English and Maths or Physics.

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#### Computer Games and Software Development (Digital Academy)

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This course takes students through programming and media creation for computer games and includes a substantial game project.

Applicants should have National 5 Maths or studying Higher Maths, with a higher in computing or science. Following this course, students can progress onto HND Computer Games Development (H-Maths required).

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### Broadcast Media & Photography

#### Digital Media Editing

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This course gives an introduction to the processes involved in making and editing films, radio programmes and stills. You will cover idea development, pre-production planning and post-production.

Applicants should have English at National 5 or above, plus two other National 5 qualifications. A proven interest in media would be an advantage e.g. a portfolio of work. Following this course you will have basic knowledge and experience to study further media units. You will also gain a portfolio of work to enhance your university application.

Tues & Thurs 13:30-15:30

#### Introduction to Studio Photography

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This short course is designed to give you the confidence and knowledge to use external flash and modelling lights for taking great shots in a Photographic studio setting. This work can be used to enhance your portfolio for applications.

There are no formal entry requirements, however a keen interest in photography is beneficial.

Tues & Thurs 17:00-19:00
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| Technical Theatre Practice    | TU/TH/F | AM/PM | G   | 6          |
| This course is for aspiring theatre technicians who have an interest in working in performing arts. You may have some previous experience in technical theatre or be a total beginner. |       |      |        |            |

### MUSIC & SOUND PRODUCTION

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| Dance                         | TU/TH | PM   | G   | 4/5        |
| Classes are held within the Performing Arts Studio Scotland (PASS) where our students train up to study BA (hons) Dance. You may have previous dance experience or be a total beginner. |       |      |        |            |

### Performing Arts

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<td>There are no formal entry requirements. Each applicant will be interviewed and asked to demonstrate an interest in and commitment to the course. Following this course, students can progress onto BTEC Dance level 3 or SQA Dance Artist HND.</td>
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<td>There are no formal entry requirements, however some dance experience is required. Following this course, students can progress onto BTEC Dance level 3 or SQA Dance Artist HND.</td>
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| Dance                         | TU/TH | PM   | G      | 4/5        |
| Classes are held within the Performing Arts Studio Scotland (PASS) where our students train up to study BA (hons) Dance. You may have previous dance experience or be a total beginner. |       |      |        |            |

*Courses are restricted to pupils from those schools.*
**WHAT CAN I STUDY?**

## CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

### ART & DESIGN

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You will explore a variety of art and design disciplines media and techniques using a sketchbook as a tool to help investigate the creative process both in research and development of ideas and interests. This is a very important element of any successful portfolio.

There are no formal entry requirements, however Art at level 5 would be beneficial. This course gives you the opportunity to develop a portfolio of artwork which will support College and UCAS applications for art and design-based courses.

**Tues 18:30-21:00**

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<td><strong>Life Drawing 1 and 2</strong></td>
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This course allows students to develop life drawing elements towards a portfolio to support applications. You will learn both accurate rendering of the figure and a variety of media approaches.

There are no formal entry requirements, however Art at level 4 would be beneficial. Students must be 16 years or over. Following this course, elements can be added to support College and UCAS applications for art and design based courses.

**Wed 17:00-19:00**
HEALTH, WELLBEING AND SOCIAL SCIENCE

HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE

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<td>Health &amp; Social Care Academy (SESAP)</td>
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<tr>
<td>National 5 in Health &amp; Social Care; and/or Higher in Health &amp; Social Care. The Academy gives you the opportunity to achieve a relevant qualification in Health &amp; Social Care and provides an opportunity to discover the range of skills required in this sector. It will allow you to develop the necessary skills for entry to college, university or employment. Selection for this course is competitive and based on your interview as well as your application form, not just on your academic qualifications gained at schools.</td>
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<td>Foundation Apprenticeship in Social Services and Healthcare</td>
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<td>This 2 year course is designed for S5 pupils and aims to give students the opportunity to work towards an SVQ 2 ready to enter a career in adult social services. You will gain an understanding of the support social service workers provide.</td>
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<td>Higher Psychology</td>
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<td>This course is designed to introduce you to the scientific study of Psychology. You will develop knowledge of human behaviours and learn skills for research. Each applicant must have Higher English and one other Higher social subject. Due to the high demand for this course, preference will be given to S6 pupils. Following this course, students can progress onto HNC Social Science or University courses in Social Science.</td>
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<td>This course will introduce you to the skills that are required for working with children or studying childcare or social care after you leave school. Each applicant will be interviewed and asked to demonstrate an interest in working with young children. Following this course, students can progress onto full time Childcare and Play: First Steps (18 weeks) or Introduction to Playwork and Childcare (36 weeks).</td>
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<td>Introduction to College</td>
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<td>This course is for pupils who are attending a special school or attending mainstream school with support. Pupils will be working at level 1/2 or at 2/3 but require more support in the move from school to college. This course is a suitable post school option for pupils. Applications will usually be made by school staff. Pupils will bring in support from school. Following this course, students can progress onto Towards Independence (PT), Entry to Supported Learning (FT), Preparation for Supported Employment (FT) or Entry to Learning Level 2 or 3.</td>
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ACCESS & CONTINUING EDUCATION

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<td>This course is designed for pupils who are attending a special school or attending a mainstream school with support. Pupils will be working at level 3/4. This course is a suitable post school option for pupils. Applications will usually be made by school staff. Following this course, students can progress onto Entry to Learning at Level 3 or Preparation for Employment at Level 4.</td>
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WHAT CAN I STUDY?

TOURISM, HOSPITALITY AND BUSINESS

Hospitality & Tourism Academy (SESAP)

National Progression Award (NPA) based on travel and tourism, hospitality and events subjects.

The Academy provides an opportunity to discover the range of skills required to work in the dynamic hospitality, tourism and events. There are 2 courses available and you can study both if you are in S5 or choose your preferred option if in S6. The Tourism route includes marketing in travel and tourism, customer care and the Scottish tourism product. The events route includes event organisation and event costing. There is no final exam for these units. Assessment in continuous throughout the course.

Professional Cookery NPA

This course is ideal if you are looking to develop a career in a professional kitchen or restaurant. Whether you are a new entrant or already work in the industry, this course will teach you the basic skills in food preparation and production. There are no formal entry requirements. Each applicant will be interviewed and asked to demonstrate an interest in and commitment to cooking and food. Following this course, students can progress onto Level 1 Professional Cookery.

Travel and Tourism: Get Ready for Work

This course will develop your knowledge of tourist destinations and customer service, preparing you for employment or further education in the industry. There are no formal entry requirements. Following this course, students can progress onto Travel and Tourism NC at level 5 or 6.

ADVANCED LANGUAGES

Advanced Higher French

Advanced Higher language courses enable learners to read, listen, talk and write in a modern language. You will learn to apply advanced language skills in translation, understand a range of contexts, and read complex literary/media texts.

Higher French

Higher Modern Languages courses enable learners to read, listen, talk and write in a modern language. Learners also develop language skills of translation.

BUSINESS, FINANCE & LEGAL SERVICES

Foundation Apprenticeship in Financial Services

This 1 year programme is suitable for pupils in S5 and S6 and will provide an understanding of the financial services industry including developing communication skills vital for working in the sector. You will combine your college study with work experience in a relevant financial services organisation such as Tesco Bank or Standard Life.

Foundation Apprenticeship in Business

This 2 year programme is ideal for pupils entering S5. You will get an understanding of essential business practices including managing people, creating strategies, making sales, organising projects and understanding customers.
### MODERN LANGUAGES

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<td>This course is ideal for students wishing to progress to a higher level in their understanding, writing and speaking of the French language. Applicants should have National 4 French or equivalent. Following this course, students can progress onto Higher French. Tuesday &amp; Thursday 13:30-16:00</td>
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<td>Advanced Higher language courses enable learners to read, listen, talk and write in a modern language. You will learn to apply advanced language skills in translation, understand a range of contexts, and read complex literary/media texts. Applicants should have one Higher in a relevant modern language and other Level 6 modern languages. Following this course, students can progress onto other qualifications in modern languages or related areas. Mon 13:00-16:00</td>
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### ESOL (ENGLISH FOR SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES)

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<td>In this class, students will develop their upper-intermediate and advanced communication skills in English. These skills will be valuable in everyday life, workplace or further study at college or university. Each applicant must pass at National 5 or equivalent. Students can progress onto mainstream courses at college or university. Higher ESOL is accepted by all Scottish universities as part of the general entrance requirements. Drummond CHS - Mon &amp; Wed 16:00-18:30 or Tues &amp; Thurs 16:00-18:30</td>
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<td>In this class, students will develop their communication skills which will be valuable in everyday life, workplace or further study. Each applicant must have two units at National 4 or equivalent. Following this course, students can progress onto mainstream college courses or ESOL Higher at Drummond CHS. Drummond CHS - Mon &amp; Wed 16:00-18:00 or Tues &amp; Thurs 16:00-18:00</td>
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TOURISM, HOSPITALITY AND BUSINESS

ESOL (ENGLISH FOR SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES)

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ESOL National 4 | M/W/TU/TH | PM | N/A | 4

In this class you will develop communication skills in English to help you in everyday life and at school. You will improve your listening, speaking, reading and writing skills. You will also extend your vocabulary and improve your grammar.

Drummond CHS - Mon & Wed 16:00-18:00 or Tues & Thurs 16:00-18:00

ESOL National 3

In this class you will develop communication skills in English to help you in everyday life and at school. You will improve your listening, speaking, reading and writing skills giving you great foundations in English language.

TU/TH | PM | N/A | 3

Retailing

The aim of this course is to develop team working, problem solving, communication and customer care skills. Candidates are encouraged to set personal goals and develop skills for reviewing and evaluating experiences.

TU/TH | PM | S | 5

Creative Hairdressing and Make up Trends

This is an exciting course, crossing over both disciplines, to give a more streamlined progression into either Level 1 Hairdressing or Level 2 Beauty Therapy.

TU | PM | Mi | 3

Pupils must be in S4-S6 and have a passion for the industry. Subject specialist staff from both disciplines will interview candidates also to ensure they are on the correct course. Schools must purchase a kit and uniform from the College for their pupils.

Tues 13:00-16:00

TOURISM, HOSPITALITY AND BUSINESS

Introduction to Events Coordination

This course is for students looking to develop skills required to work within the Events industry. There is an emphasis on team work where you will engage with others, increase your confidence, and improve your communication and selling skills.

TU/TH | PM | Mi | 5/6

There are no formal entry requirements. Applicants should have an interest of working within the Events Industry. All candidates will be invited to an interview. Following this course, and with the addition of one appropriate Higher, students can progress onto HND year 1 in Events or Hospitality Management.

Tues & Thurs 13:30-16:00

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AUTOMOTIVE SKILLS

I enjoy the practical hands-on experience of working with cars and I have been given the opportunity to see what being a mechanic is like. I am keen to be an Apprentice Mechanic when I leave school and will come back to Edinburgh College. This course has helped me with communication skills and I have made new friends.

Stephen Chalmers, Craigroyston High School

DIGITAL MEDIA SKILLS

I have gained a good insight into how the media world works and made use of the facilities that are not available at school. This course is a good introduction into further study and I will be applying for HND Film & Media at Edinburgh College next year. It has shown me what life in Higher Education is like.

Ryan Scougall, Dunbar High School
INFORMATION

**CODE OF CONDUCT**

At Edinburgh College we ask all students to behave in a responsible, considerate way, respecting fellow students, staff and college property. While studying at college you will be asked to follow a code of conduct and this will be explained at your course induction.

**CATERING**

All of our campuses have catering facilities available to you. If you are entitled to free meals at school then this can be arranged for you at college too. Your school will let us know if you’re eligible so there is no need for you to do anything. We operate a voucher scheme and this will be explained at your induction when you first come to college.

**ATTENDANCE**

We will report your attendance back to your school on a weekly basis, so it is important that you attend college and classes when you are expected to. If you do not turn up at college and are not aware of any reason why you would be absent, we will telephone the school to let them know. Always remember to ask parents or guardians to explain any absences either to school or college. Whenever you are on holiday from school, you will not be required to attend college.

**TRAVEL INFORMATION**

Please speak with your guidance teacher to check you school’s travel arrangements. Travel arrangements to college are the responsibility of your school.

**PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT**

If your course has a requirement for personal protective equipment (PPE) then this will be supplied by the college and paid for by your school. You will be asked for your sizes at interview, so please check before you attend so that you can give us accurate information. Typical information would be your top, trouser and shoe sizes. The kit will be ready for you when you come in for your first day at college.

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  46 Dalhousie Road
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- **Milton Road Campus**
  24 Milton Road East
  Edinburgh
  EH15 2PP
- **Sighthill Campus**
  Bankhead Avenue
  Edinburgh
  EH11 4DE

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