



Construction

After studying A levels, Luke progressed to an HNC in Construction at Leicester College. While on this course he represented the College in a regional plumber of the year competition. This led to work with a company specialising in lead roofs on historic and conservation buildings, then to a career in surveying. He now wants to do a degree in Architecture at university and would like to be a conservational surveyor or architect.

Luke said: "The course helped me appreciate the range of work and number of disciplines within the construction industry and the amount of work needed to get a building proposal off the ground.

"Leicester College has a good range of resources so learning is to current industry standards in technology and equipment, with professional staff who have a wide range of knowledge."

If you want to progress your knowledge and practical experience of management in the building trade, our university level courses are for you.

Previous learners have chosen to progress onto the second or third year of a related Degree programme. Popular courses have included BSc Quantity Surveying, BEng Civil Engineering, BSc Building Surveying and BSc Construction Management.

Learners have also chosen to pursue more senior positions related to Construction Management, Site Engineering, Building Control and Quantity Surveying.

You will receive hands-on training through real-life simulated tasks in the College's industry-standard facilities. Not only will you increase your knowledge and understanding of building management, you will gain skills within surveying, administration and contract practice.



Luke Gale
HNC Construction.

Higher National Certificate in Construction

The course allows learners to take their knowledge and understanding of building management – including surveying, administration and contract practice – to an advanced level.

Part-time

Course Code A0157
Course Starts September
Course Length Two years
Location Freeman's Park Campus

This course would benefit junior technicians or experienced supervisors wanting to gain formal professional qualifications.

This is a generic technician's qualification giving a broad insight into the various construction management professions.

What do I need to start?

- Level 3 Edexcel National Diploma/AVCE in a related subject
- an A2 qualification in a related subject
- a relevant Access to HE course
- plus four other GCSE/A Level qualifications.

We welcome applications from learners with Advanced Apprenticeships and adult learners who do not match the standard entry requirements but who can demonstrate a willingness and commitment to studying this subject at level 4 and 5, and who can evidence academic, professional or vocational experience in a related field.

How long is the course?

Two years, part-time.

How will I be assessed?

Assessment is continuous throughout the course.

What is the fee?

The fee is currently under evaluation and yet to be confirmed. Please call 0116 224 2240 for the latest fee information.

Who is the awarding body?

Edexcel.

What else do I need to know?

The College has new digital optical theodolites, plus a fully-equipped computer suite for the delivery of AutoCAD and other construction related IT. Plus laboratory standard equipment to carry out construction related testing.

What can I do next?

On completion of this course, learners can apply to progress onto a related Degree programme where they often receive exemption for the HNC programme.

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How do I apply?

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Higher National Certificate in Building Engineering Services

This course is suitable for those learners currently working or hoping to progress in the construction/services industry as a Technician/Manager.

New Course

Part-time

Course Code A8585
Course Starts September
Course Length Two years
Location Freeman's Park Campus

Typical units of study include:

- design principles and application
- services science
- analytical methods
- electrical installation
- lighting applications
- management principles and application
- group project
- health, safety and welfare
- building fire protection and security
- electrical installation.

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