

Prospectus 2025-2026

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A place like

Start your journey at UHI Moray

+ more history

We officially opened on the 16th November 1971 as Elgin Technical College and since then have undergone a number of transformations over the last 50 years to what we are today - part of the University of the Highlands and Islands (UHI), which itself celebrated 10 years of serving the community on 1st February 2021.

+ more collaboration

Ours is a different kind of institution for a unique part of Scotland. We are one of 10 institutions that make up UHI, sharing their ethos and commitment to higher education while responding to the needs of the local community with entry level, vocational and professional training.

+ more support

We are an inclusive organisation, open to people from all backgrounds and with diverse needs. We recognise that all our students benefit from some kind of support, and that different people want to be supported in different ways. We offer a number of key services promoting a culture of listening and encouragement.



no other



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Open Days

Get a taste for how your student life can be by popping in to one of our Open Days.



Held throughout the year, our Open Days give you the opportunity to:

- + Meet and chat to our lecturers to find out about the wide range of courses we offer
- + Get help with your application
- + Learn more about funding, financial and student support

We have expertise in a range of subjects, so whatever your passion or interest, you'll find a course to suit you.

Whether you are a school leaver, returning to education or looking for a new challenge, our range of academic qualifications will lead you to a successful and rewarding career.

For further information visit:
moray.uhi.ac.uk/opendays



+ Saturday
9th November 2024
10am - 2pm

+ Thursday
9th January 2025
3.30pm - 5.30pm

+ Thursday
27th March 2025
3.30pm - 5.30pm



- + Choose UHI Moray and you'll be joining a community of over 5,000 full-time, part-time and online students studying hundreds of courses, from National Certificates and Highers through to degree and postgraduate qualifications.
- + We offer blended learning that lets you study when it suits you, on and off campus. We have courses that last just a few semesters, as well as degree courses that will keep you busy for several years. You can study to get a job or progress in your profession, to move on to another course, or just for your personal pleasure and fulfilment. You can enter a programme or course at any level and get a recognised and useful qualification after as little as a year, or stay on and achieve more.



Principal's Welcome

David Patterson

Hi! Thanks for thinking of studying with UHI Moray.

We are both the local community college for Moray, and the base in Moray for UHI, Scotland's fully tertiary university that is located right across the northern half of the country.

We work closely with our local schools, employers, and stakeholder groups to bring you the right courses to help take you from where you are now to where you want to be. We're able to give you access, not just to our own lecturers and support staff here in Moray, but also to the expertise and talents of our UHI colleagues across this vast region.

Different people come to study with us for many different reasons, but what they all have in common is that they are looking to gain the knowledge, skills, and experience they need to progress to the next stage of their life. So, whether you're looking to equip yourself for a new career, to start your own business, or simply to prepare yourself for a higher level of learning, we have a great selection of study routes here for you to choose from.

Moray is a fantastic place to live, work and study, with easy access to stunning natural resources including the picturesque coastline along the Moray Firth and the mountainous Cairngorms, the UK's largest National Park. You will be living and working in a safe, welcoming and vibrant community that also plays host to some world-famous brands and companies that started life here. We can also offer comfortable accommodation in our Student Residences, here in Elgin.



You can find more information about UHI Moray on our website at moray.uhi.ac.uk and keep up to date with news and events through our social media platforms. I hope that you find something in this Prospectus that meets your needs and fires your imagination. If there's any further information you need to help you make your choice, please don't hesitate to contact us.

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Entry requirements and progression routes



We are proud to welcome and support students with a wide range of backgrounds, qualifications and life experiences. We'll do all we can to assist your application, and to support your needs once you are studying with us. We aim to provide a learning structure which helps you to reach your goal no matter where you start from. We do this by being flexible with our entry requirements and offering a range of alternative progression routes through our courses.

Entry requirements – FAQs

Based on the unique range of courses on offer at UHI, an offer of a place is not always based on academic ability alone. We accept a wide range of equivalent qualifications and recognise that there are a variety of routes through which qualifications may be gained and ways in which readiness for study may be demonstrated.

+ What qualifications do I need?

Information on minimum entry qualifications are provided in the summary information on each individual course page or on our website. If you do not have the standard entry requirements, we would still encourage you to apply.

+ Can I use my qualifications from another institution?

Yes, you can sometimes receive credit for qualifications gained from other institutions. For example: a National Certificate or Higher National qualification in a relevant subject from another institution could be used to assist your application or in some cases could provide exemption from parts of a BA, BEng or BSc (Hons) degree.

+ Do I need to complete my qualifications in one exam sitting?

No, we will accept qualifications gained over more than one sitting.

+ Can I use my work experience as credit for a course?

Yes, we will accept properly evidenced voluntary and paid work experience. You may be asked to provide some additional information with your application and could also be invited for interview. Course leaders will give advice on compiling a recognition of prior learning claim.

Scottish Credit and Qualifications Framework (SCQF)

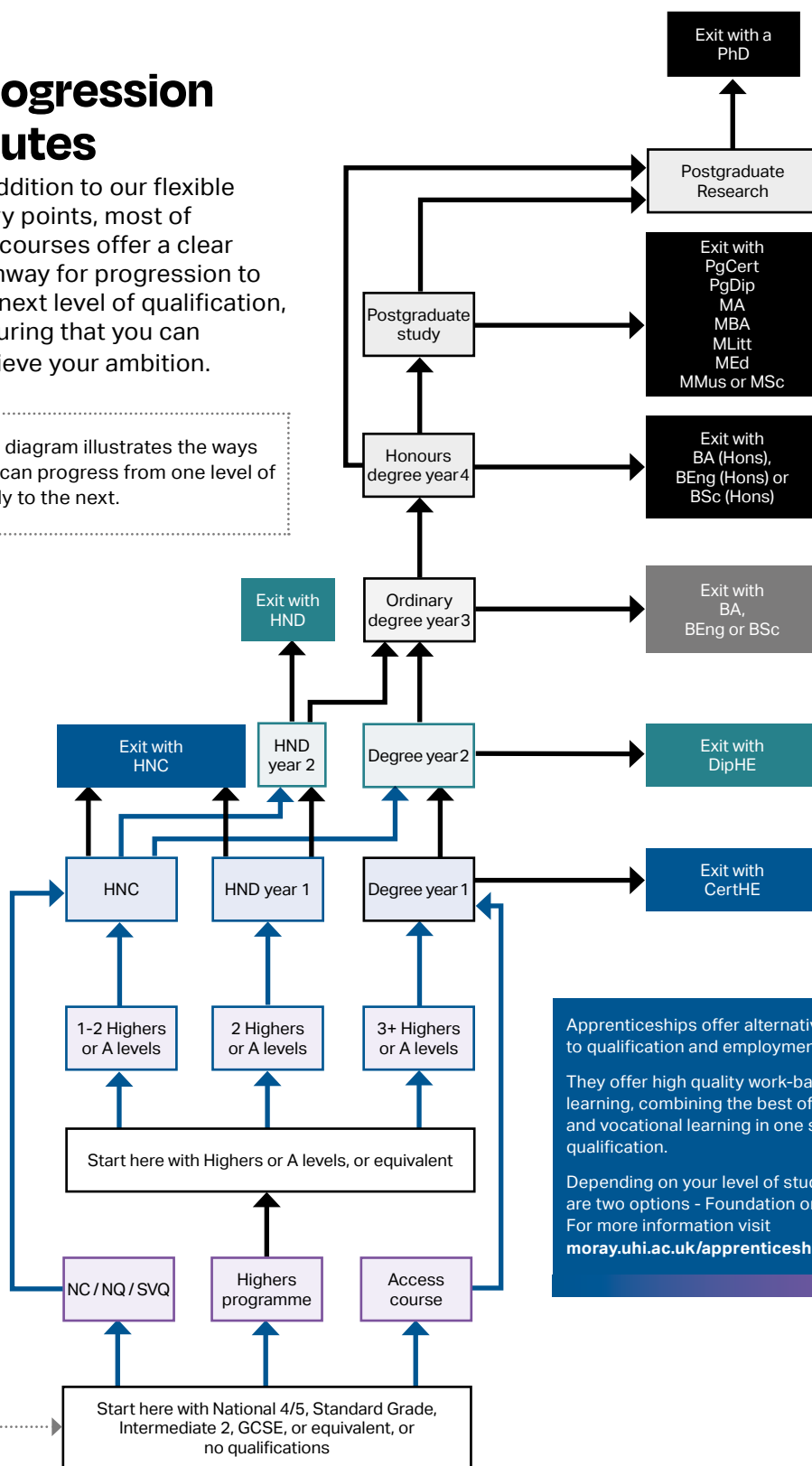


The SCQF Framework allows you to compare levels across different awards, build a progression route to your desired qualification, and transfer credit from one award to another. For more information, or to view the interactive version of the Framework, please visit the SCQF website at: scqf.org.uk

Progression routes

In addition to our flexible entry points, most of our courses offer a clear pathway for progression to the next level of qualification, ensuring that you can achieve your ambition.

This diagram illustrates the ways you can progress from one level of study to the next.



Apprenticeships offer alternative routes to qualification and employment.

They offer high quality work-based learning, combining the best of academic and vocational learning in one single qualification.

Depending on your level of study, there are two options - Foundation or Modern. For more information visit moray.uhi.ac.uk/apprenticeships

Levels of study

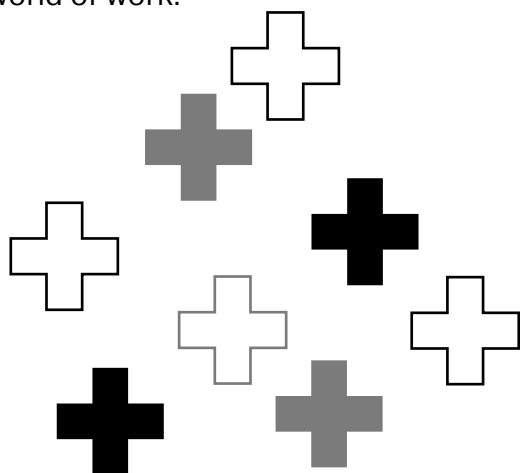
UHI Moray is different from traditional universities and colleges.

We offer highly flexible, multi-level access to further and higher education. That means it's easy to join and leave at just about any stage in your academic, professional or personal journey.

We work closely with industry to keep our courses up to date and relevant for the constantly changing employment environment. This includes the Next Generation Higher National qualifications (NextGen: HN).

You can join us for a short course, or pursue a full degree or postgraduate qualification whether you are coming straight from school, or much later in life. You can attend full or part time or, for some subjects, you can do your whole course online.

No matter how many semesters or years you spend at UHI Moray, each course you take will offer a clear pathway for progression to the next level, or to the world of work.



Short Courses

As a learning hub for the whole Moray community, we offer a wide range of short courses to help local people and businesses attain their immediate goals, for work and for life.

These courses include First Aid, REHIS and more.

We also offer specialised short courses for the oil, gas and renewables industry.

SCQF Levels 1 - 6

Further Education (FE)

FE includes courses with a strong work focus, like National Qualifications (NQs), National Certificates (NCs) and Scottish Vocational Qualifications (SVQs). NQs and NCs prepare students for work and act as stepping-stones to higher education, while SVQs provide opportunities to gain qualifications while in work.

National Progression Award (NPA)

Delivered by partnerships between schools, colleges and employers, NPAs assess skills in specialist vocational areas.

SCQF Levels 10+

Postgraduate courses

These courses, including MA, MSc and a number of postgrad diploma courses, are intended for people who've already gained a degree.

SCQF Levels 7 - 10

Higher Education (HE)

HE is the term for study beyond school and FE level. HE courses include Higher National Certificates and Diplomas, and BA, BSc and BEng Honours degrees.

If you have the right entry requirements you can go straight into any HE course with us, but if you need to, you can take FE courses first to prepare.

Professional Development Awards (PDA)

PDAs are flexible qualifications and can be used to either extend or broaden professional and vocational skills.

PDAs are often sponsored by employers for students who are looking to progress in their careers.

Continuing Professional Development (CPD)

CPD refers to training which helps you to maintain and upgrade your skills when you're in work, or between jobs. It can help you progress in your profession, or adapt to new technology and ways of working.



Study at any stage

No matter what stage of life you're at, studying can be a great experience.

At UHI Moray we offer courses to suit young people who are still at school, school leavers and those returning to education after a break.

If you're already working or you have other commitments, most of our courses can be taken part-time and there are day and block release options across many subjects.

Whatever kind of study works for you, you'll have access to great resources and support.

School students

If you're still at school, we could help you get a head start into further or higher education, or the world of work.

Our Senior Phase Programme allows school students in S4, 5 or 6 to attend one day a week, often with transport provided.

You could access a subject that's not available at your school, try out a course, or do a Foundation Apprenticeship (available for S5 and S6) alongside your Nationals and Highers.

School leavers

If you're about to leave school you might be thinking of studying for a degree, or taking a shorter course which will help you enter the world of work. We offer access and introduction courses that can help you make the leap from school to college or university.

We also offer a flexible structure in most subjects - so you can begin with a one-year NC course, for example, then progress to HNC, HND or degree level study if it's right for you.

Full-time courses generally require you to attend classes for less than 20 hours a week, though subjects vary.

Exceptional Entry

Exceptional Entry is for young people whose date of birth requires them to remain in school until the winter break and is a fantastic option for those who are ready to leave school, and take the next step in their education.

If your 16th birthday falls between 1st October and 28th/29th February, you would be eligible to start certain full-time, non-advanced courses at UHI Moray from August, even though you are still officially a school pupil.

Between August and the winter break in December, your school would be regularly informed of your attendance and progress, but to all intents and purposes you would be a full-time student at UHI Moray. If however, you found that college wasn't quite right for you, you still have the option of returning to school anytime over that period.



Returning to education

If you've been away from the classroom for a few years, now might be a great time to come back. You could pick up a subject you liked at school, or try something completely new. Studying with us could improve your job prospects or help you start your own business, and a short course could lead to further study.

Most of our courses are available to people of any age, and in some cases your work experience counts towards the qualifications you need for entry.

Part time and online study could help you combine education with work, family or other commitments.

Study while you work

The majority of our courses are available on a part-time basis. For example, an HND which takes two years full-time could be spread over four years while you're working.

Some courses include block or day release, where your employer agrees to let you attend classes on certain days.

We also offer Modern Apprenticeship programmes, where students study towards nationally recognised qualifications while in work.

Others are based on distance learning and evening classes, so you may be able to study without any loss of working hours.

You can also study a range of professional qualifications which can be studied as short day courses or during your leisure time.

Widening access to Higher Education - FAQs

+ What is widening access?

Many students from disadvantaged backgrounds have a more challenging time progressing into HE for a variety of reasons. Widening access seeks to rebalance this by making access to HE more equitable for those from under-represented and disadvantaged backgrounds.

+ Am I a widening access student?

You may be assessed as a widening access student if you:

- + Live in a postcode area or attended a school where progression into HE is lower than average.
- + Have experience of being in care.
- + Have taken part in a Schools for Higher Education Programme, such as ASPIRE North.
- + You are the first in your family to progress to university.

+ How does UHI support widening access students?

We welcome, encourage, and support applications from widening access students. Indeed, it is a core value of UHI to provide education for those who may not otherwise have the opportunity.

If you are in one of the above groups, your application will be given additional consideration. This applies to applicants who do not have the standard entry requirements for the course, or where there is competition for places. It may result in you joining the course with lower grades than the standard entry requirement and/or undertaking additional work before starting your course.

+ What if I don't have the standard entry requirements?

The published standard entry requirements have been set at the minimum required to successfully complete the course. You will usually need to achieve grades as good as or better than these to be made an offer.

However, we consider each applicant individually to identify your full talent and potential, regardless of background or life circumstances, and look beyond grades to do this.

If you do not have the published standard entry, we can offer many alternative routes to degree study, for example:

- + You may be asked to complete a summer school or a short online course or undertake a written assignment as part of your offer.
- + If you are assessed as a widening access student and, for some courses, you may get a lower or adjusted offer.
- + We also have a range of access courses, including Higher National Certificates (HNCs) and Higher National Diplomas (HNDs), which can help you gain entry to your chosen degree. Many HNCs and HNDs will allow you direct entry to the second or third year of a university degree programme. Details of subjects and grades required are listed on the relevant degree course pages.

+ What else do I need to get onto the course I want to study?

Alongside qualifications you will need a personal statement and a reference. For certain courses, you may also need to:

- + come to an interview or audition
- + submit an art/design portfolio
- + provide evidence of relevant work or voluntary experience.



For further information please see:
uhi.ac.uk/wideraccess

How to apply

Once you've decided on a course, you need to submit an application. There are different ways of applying, depending on which type of course you'd like to take.



Work-based and short courses

Apply online at moray.uhi.ac.uk

Further education (NC, SVQ, NVQ and City & Guilds)

Apply online at moray.uhi.ac.uk

Higher education (HNC, HND and degree courses)

You may have to apply through UCAS (the University and Colleges Admissions Service) or direct to us.

Find out more on UCAS at ucas.ac.uk

UCAS application process

The UCAS application process has specific deadlines:

- + **Apply by end of January** – all applicants are guaranteed equal consideration by their chosen universities. This doesn't mean you can't apply after this date; for most courses, we continue to accept applications through the year.
- + **From March to June** – applicants who have not secured any offers from their chosen universities may apply using UCAS Extra for additional courses without having to wait for Clearing to start.
- + **Clearing** – if you apply after 30th June or have not achieved your expected grades and do not have a university or college place, UCAS Clearing can help you find a suitable place on a higher education course. This service is available in August and September.

For more information visit ucas.com or call 0371 468 0468



British Sign Language

Deaf awareness

Language

Communication

Culture

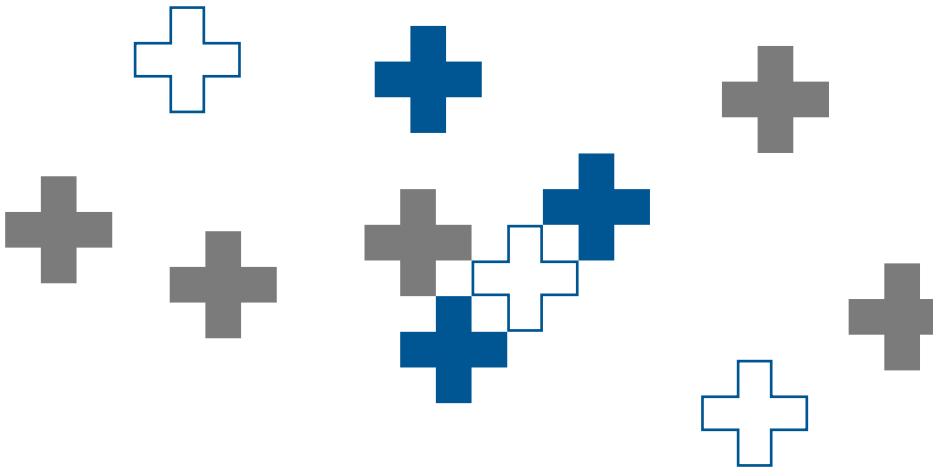
Inclusivity

Accessibility

**Sign
Language**

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
British Sign Language: Introduction	Evening	14 weeks	September
British Sign Language: Intermediate 1	Evening	18 weeks	January
British Sign Language: Intermediate 2	Evening	18 weeks	TBC
British Sign Language: Intermediate 3	Evening	18 weeks	TBC



Careers

BSL/English Interpreter

Teaching

**Support Worker working alongside BSL users
in the workplace and everyday life**

British Sign Language: Introduction

SCQF Level 3

EVE

This award has been designed to appeal to both hearing and deaf learners. This course will help you to develop your language skills and enable you to communicate with British Sign Language users in various contexts.

You will also develop your understanding of how sign languages work, and how it differs from spoken and written languages.

It will also enhance your understanding of Scotland's Deaf Community, people and culture.

Entry requirements

- + There are no formal entry requirements.

British Sign Language: Intermediate 1

SCQF Level 4

EVE

If you already use or have a British Sign Language qualification at introduction level, this award will help you develop your ability to communicate clearly, think critically and use your own language creatively.

You will also gain a deeper insight into the history and cultural heritage of British Sign Language.

Entry requirements

- + British Sign Language: Introduction (SCQF Level 3) qualification or equivalent OR
- + experience in basic British Sign Language use.

British Sign Language: Intermediate 2

SCQF Level 5

EVE

If you already use or have a British Sign Language qualification, this award will help you to further develop your skills of communicating effectively in British Sign Language across a wider range of personal/social and vocational/transactional contexts.

The award will concentrate on the integration of productive and receptive skills in a way that reflects their use in real life.

Emphasis will be placed on the development of skills which enable you to organise and express ideas in a more coherent way.

Entry requirements

- + Completion of British Sign Language: Intermediate 1 (SCQF Level 4).

British Sign Language: Intermediate 3

SCQF Level 6

EVE

Entry requirements

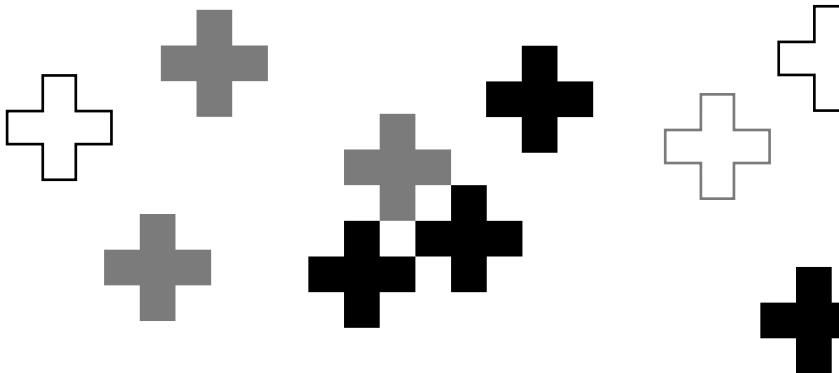
+ Completion of British Sign Language: Intermediate 2 (SCQF Level 5).

This programme will allow you to develop your skills of communicating effectively in British Sign Language.

You should already have the ability to communicate in straightforward British Sign Language and will use this programme to develop your ability to understand and communicate in a wider range of contexts.

This programme will concentrate on the integration of productive and receptive skills in a way that reflects their use in real life.

Emphasis will be placed on the development of skills which enable you to organise and express ideas in a more coherent way.



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The benefits of learning BSL is that you learn a different language. A new skill, potentially can become a second or other language.

Additionally, as a BSL learner, if in the future you meet another person who is a BSL user, you are able to communicate with them. You never know what the future holds, you may meet a BSL user through work or leisure.

The best thing about the courses is my enthusiasm to ensure that all reach their full potential. I want all students to pass! It is fantastic working with young adults and seeing them achieve so much.

Dominic Ravenscroft, Lecturer



Business, Administration & Accounting

Business

Accounting

Human Resources

Entrepreneurship

Auditing

Payroll

**Planning and
organisation**

**Project
Management**

Finance

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
NC Administration	Full time	1 year	August
HNC Accounting	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	September
HND Accounting	Full time Part time	2 years 4 years	September
HNC Business	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	September
BA (Hons) Accounting and Finance	Full time Part time	4 years 8 years	September
BA (Hons) Business and Management	Full time Part time	4 years 8 years	September
PDA in Business and Finance	Part time	1+ years	September or January
PDA in Book-keeping	Part time	36 weeks	September or January
PDA in Financial Accounting	Part time - online	1 year	September or January
PDA in Management Accounting	Part time	1 year	September or January
Responsible Leadership and Management for Contemporary Business	Part time - online	6+ months	Various

Careers

Finance Officer
Manager
Receptionist
Administrator

Virtual Assistants
Auditors
Accountant
Payroll Officer

NC Administration

SCQF Level 5

FT

With a qualification in business, administration or accounting you could work across a range of sectors.

This course is designed to provide you with a full range of experiences to enable you to embark on a career in Administration.

The course involves practical office work at our campus model offices.

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s including English OR
- + a SCQF Level 4 course.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

Accounting*

HNC

FT

PT

ON⁹

HND

FT

PT

ON⁹

Start your career in accounting or financial administration with the HNC and HND Accounting, which form the first two years of the BA (Hons) Accounting and Finance. Study a range of subjects including economics, law, statistics, communications, personal enterprise skills, personal development planning, and project management. An approved route into the BA (Hons) Business and Management.

Entry requirements

Entry to year one (HNC)

- + Highers: C; A levels: D; preferably in a numeracy-based subject OR
- + NC Accounting or NC Business (with a minimum passmark of 70% accounting units) OR
- + Foundation Apprenticeship in Accountancy, Business Skills, or Financial Services.

*subject to revalidation

⁹for online study you will enrol with other UHI partner(s) - see website for details

Business

HNC

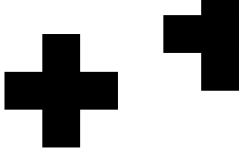
FT

PT

Gain highly-sought after employable skills, studying business fundamentals, marketing, economics, emergent technologies, IT, communication, accounting, and management. Build on your knowledge at each level, further developing your business and management concepts and growing in expertise. An approved route into the BA (Hons) Business and Management.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: C; A levels: D OR
- + NC/NQ in Business, Administration, or Accounting at SCQF Level 5 OR
- + Foundation Apprenticeship in Accountancy, Financial Services or Business Skills OR
- + Access to HN Business.



Accounting and Finance

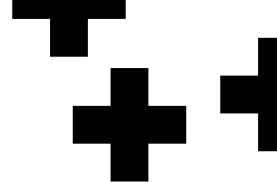
You need the skills to excel in a challenging, business-critical field: we have the training you're looking for.

Explore a range of key accountancy concepts in-depth and gain an excellent grounding in the principles of financial and management accounting. Use manual and computerised systems, working in class sizes designed to give you an inclusive personal experience of university life.

Develop your contextual, theoretical, and technical skills on this highly practical programme, and let us prepare you for a successful career in accounting and finance.

Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1 HNC Accounting	Highers: C; preferably in a numeracy-based subject A levels: D; preferably in a numeracy-based subject Alternatively, Scottish Wider Access Programmes (SWAP); NC Business (with 70% Accounting units); NC Accounting; Foundation Apprenticeship in Accountancy, Business Skills, or Financial Services; or other qualifications or experience, will be considered on an individual basis: see website for details		
Year 2 HND Accounting	Advanced entry may be possible with the HNC Accounting		
Year 3 BA	Advanced entry may be possible with the HND Accounting		
Year 4 BA (Hons)			

Study method	Features
<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Hosted programme: You will be enrolled and supported at UHI Moray with online classes taught from across the UHI partnership.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Apply for exemptions from various professional bodies such as ACCA, CIMA, and AAT.+ Provides a solid foundation for a career in financial accounting, management accounting, auditing, tax, or treasury management.+ Work placement modules in years 2, 3 and 4 are each accredited with the Scottish Institute for Enterprise as Level 1 Scottish Innovation Student Award (SISA) Future Thinker certificate.



Business and Management

Business today: it can look like a shopfront on a local high street or supplying online demand to a global market. Choose the path that suits you, with named awards in **Enterprise, Finance, Human Resource Management, Marketing, and Tourism**.

Learn all aspects of today's modern business world, and the domestic and global environments in which businesses operate. Consider business holistically and undertake complex problem solving, comprehending the interconnectedness of decision-making and effectively communicating those decisions to a wide range of internal and external stakeholders. Challenge yourself and show us, and the world, what you bring to the table.

Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1 HNC	For HN route, year 1 (HNC) Highers: C A levels: D Alternatively, a relevant NC/NQ or a Foundation Apprenticeship		
Year 2 DipHE	Advanced entry may be possible with an HNC Business, HNC Administration and IT or HNC Technologies in Business		
Year 3 BA	Advanced entry may be possible with an HND Business, HND Administration and IT or HND Technologies in Business		
Year 4 BA (Hons)			

Study method

- + Hosted programme: You will be enrolled and supported at UHI Moray with online classes taught from across the UHI partnership.

Features

- + Strong employer links provide opportunities for experiential learning such as placements, research projects, live case studies, and guest speakers.
- + As an alternative to your dissertation, you can undertake a critically evaluated business plan which can be used to launch a business venture.
- + The honours year offers online supported modules, allowing you the flexibility to take up early employment opportunities.
- + On successful completion, you will be eligible to apply for Associate membership of the Chartered Management Institute.

PDA in Business and Finance

SCQF Level 7

PT

This PDA develops a broad range of transferable core skills, at a level sought after by employers. Let us support you in your career aspirations and gain the experience and qualifications needed to progress to further studies in courses such as HNC Business or HNC Accounting.

Entry requirements

+ National 5 Maths or equivalent.

PDA in Book-keeping

SCQF Level 7

PT

This professional development award delivers the essential skills and knowledge for a career in book-keeping or working in an accounting or financial administration role.

The PDA courses are quick and cost effective to deliver, so are ideal for developing the skills of young people, graduates, and other adult learners.

They are also ideal for Continuing Professional Development (CPD) so employers can enhance the skills of their employees.

Entry requirements

- + Generally, entry is open to any applicant who can demonstrate, by formal qualification or experience, a reasonable expectation of successfully completing the award. It would be beneficial for students to be competent in Communication, Numeracy and IT skills to SCQF Level 5.
- + Please contact student.services.moray@uhi.ac.uk for details.

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I had no knowledge of accountancy before studying at UHI Moray. Without taking that first step of studying, I would not have progressed, firstly to the degree and then to the professional exams.

The support available is first class. All of the lecturers I had both in Moray and remotely from Perth and Inverness were fantastic.



Mel Francis, BA (Hons) Accounting and Finance

PDA in Financial Accounting

SCQF Level 7

PT

ON

This PDA is made up of four HN units which can either be completed as stand-alone awards, or can be built on and lead to full HNC awards.

You will attend classes on a part-time basis to develop your technical and administrative knowledge relevant to current financial accounting practice.

Entry requirements

- + Some previous accounts knowledge required.
- + Please contact student.services.moray@uhi.ac.uk for details.

PDA in Management Accounting

SCQF Level 7

PT

ON

If you're seeking to enter the world of management accounting or advance your current accounting position, this professional development award in Management Accounting will give you the skills and confidence you need.

You will study cost accounting and management accounting using standard accounting software packages.

Entry requirements

- + Relevant work place experience OR
- + Business related NC qualification OR
- + Communication, Numeracy and IT skills to SCQF Level 5 or equivalent.

Responsible Leadership and Management for Contemporary Business

SCQF Level 8

PT

ON

This CPD course is aimed at business managers or leaders interested in learning leadership and management through a responsible and ethical lens. It is designed to help businesses prepare for a sustainable future in an era focused on social and environmental responsibility.

Designed in partnership with a globally focused business to develop key management skills such as project management, finance, staff motivation and organisational performance, as well as leadership and management theories, it also looks at stakeholder management, innovation, and future-readiness – all of which is underpinned by responsible and ethical practice.

The course uses your own workplace as the learning environment.

Entry requirements

- + Applicants should be working within a leadership or managerial role and ideally possess Level 6/7 qualifications, such as 2 Highers at grade C or above, or equivalent.
- Applicants with other relevant qualifications or experience will also be considered.





Computing and Digital Media

Creative

Computing and gaming

**Web
design**

Problem solving

Audio and video

**Artificial
intelligence**

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
Computing and Digital Media: Introduction	Full time Part time opportunities may be available	1+ years	August
NC Computing with Digital Media	Full time Part time opportunities may be available	1+ years	August
HNC Computing	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	September
HND Computer Science	Full time Part time	2 years 4 years	September
HNC Digital Design and Web Development	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	September September or January
BSc (Hons) Applied Software Development	Full time - online Part time - online	4 years 8 years	September
BSc (Hons) Computing	Full time Part time	4 years 8 years	September September or January
BSc (Hons) Interactive Media	Full time Part time	4 years 8 years	September

Careers

Database analysis

Games developers, animation and computer generated graphics

Project manager

Software engineer and app developer

Web design and development



Computing and Digital Media: Introduction

SCQF Level 5

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This course is designed for those who are interested in pursuing a career in the digital world.

You will gain experience and develop a range of skills and knowledge relating to computer hardware, website design, programming and multimedia (using Adobe software).

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s, one of which must be a literacy-based subject (e.g. English, History, Modern Studies etc.) OR
- + a SCQF Level 4 course or equivalent.

You may also be invited to attend an interview.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

NC Computing with Digital Media

SCQF Level 6

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This course aims to prepare you for employment in the digital world. It will strengthen and extend your knowledge within a broad range of disciplines, both practical and theoretical.

You will have the opportunity to develop your knowledge in a variety of areas, such as computer hardware & networking, academic writing, projects and website development.

Entry requirements

- + National 5s at BBDD, one of which must be a literacy-based subject (e.g. English, History, Modern Studies, etc.) OR
- + Computing and Digital Media: Introduction (SCQF Level 5) including the Group Award (12 SQA credits).

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

Computing | Computer Science

HNC

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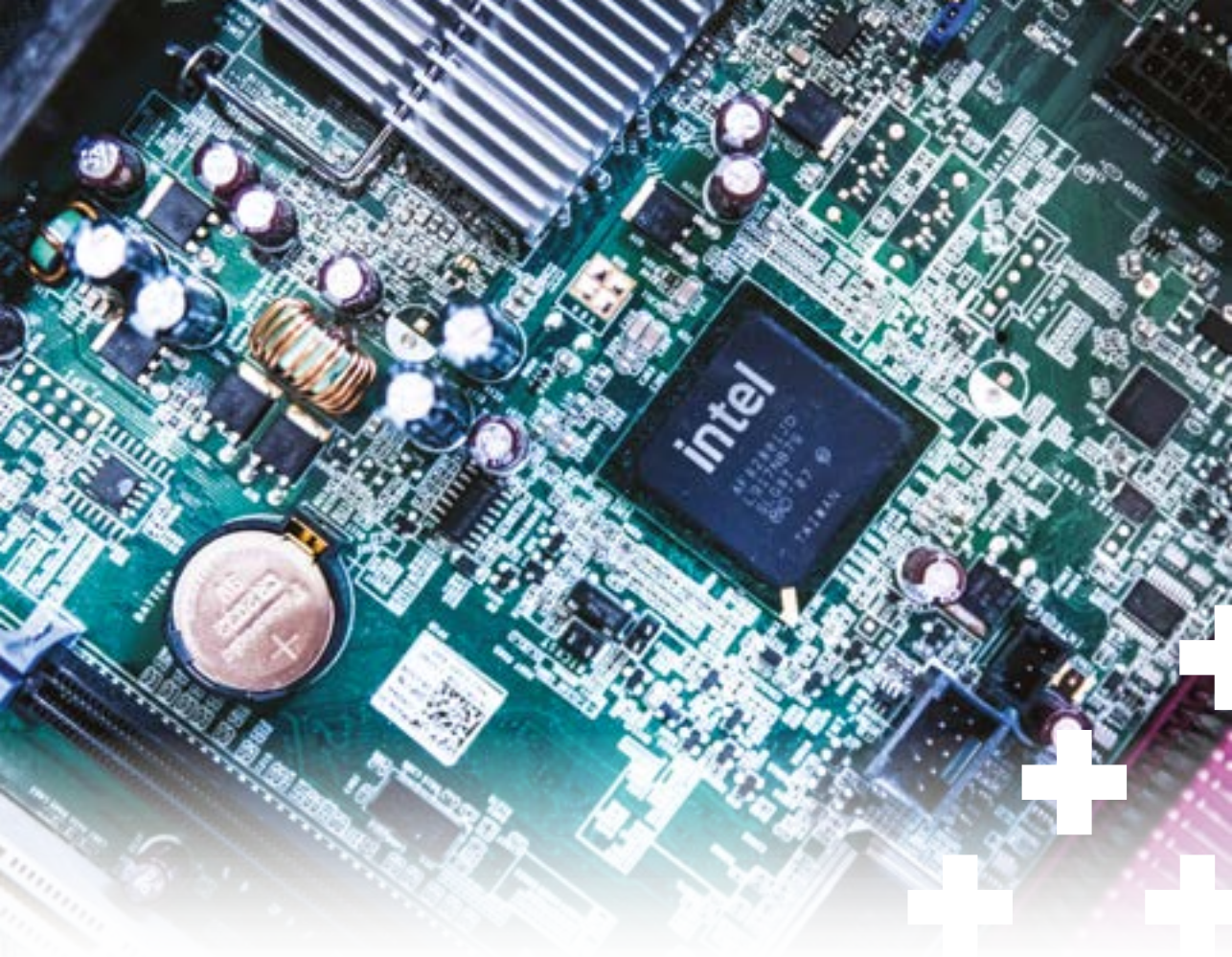
Build vital foundations for a successful career in computing and technology, and progress onto our degree programme, with opportunities to specialise in Networking and Cyber Security or Software Engineering. Subjects include digital skills, professional practice in computing, network infrastructure, software development, web development, cyber security, building local area networks, and artificial intelligence.

Entry requirements

Entry to year one (HNC)

- + Highers: C; A levels: D; plus three National 5 passes, or equivalent OR
- + NC Digital Media Computing; NQ Multimedia Computing; NQ Computer Technologies; Intermediate 2 Business, Administration and Computing Studies; SVQ Information Technology OR
- + Foundation Apprenticeship ICT in Software Development or Hardware/System Support OR
- + a relevant Scottish Wider Access Programme (SWAP): see website for fuller details of entry requirements.

*for online study you will enrol with other UHI partner(s) - see website for details



Digital Design and Web Development

HNC

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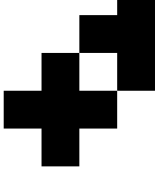
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Keep pace with the latest developments in industry, using software such as Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator, App Inventor, 3DS Max, and Unity. Gain a broad knowledge of the development of interactive and digital media products, as well as skills including graphic design, 2D animation, web design, app/game development, and audio/video production and programming.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: C; A levels: D OR
- + NC Computing with Digital Media at SCQF Level 6 OR
- + Foundation Apprenticeship Creative and Digital Media.

You may be required to attend an interview.



Applied Software Development



Are you a creative problem solver, passionate about using your skills to make a positive impact on the world? Don't have a maths, computing, or technical background? No problem. Let us teach you all the practical skills you'll need to tackle problem-based, real-world challenges, on this creative, problem-solving course.

Take advantage of our close collaboration with industry to ensure you gain the knowledge and hands-on experience of software development that employers are seeking. Learn software development in a brand-new way, on a degree developed in collaboration with IBM. Experience the typical day of a junior software developer as you work in teams on projects to develop a portfolio of work, research solutions to problems as they arise, and build employability skills in the technical, business, and project management areas of software development. Let us guide you to a new career in software development with mentoring, guest lecturing, and support from the experts at IBM.

Structure and entry		FT	PT	ON
Year 1 CertHE	Highers: CCC A levels: CC Alternatively, a Foundation Apprenticeship plus one Higher, or other qualifications or experience (particularly from those with a creative background), will be considered			
Year 2 DipHE				
Year 3 BSc				
Year 4 BSc (Hons)				

You must attend a three-day residential bootcamp held at the start of each academic year

Study method	Features
<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Online study and team working: each day will typically begin with a short team meeting to set priorities.+ Video conference tutorials.+ Learn more about the study method on the course page of our website.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Access the latest technologies, supported by IBM, one of the largest technology consulting companies in the world.+ Benefit from access to a programme of guest speakers, industry mentors from around the globe, and the enhanced IBM Cloud.+ Learn how to apply software to real-world challenges across a wide range of industries and communities.

Computing

Dreaming of a career in an industry that's dynamic, fast-paced and at the heart of countless modern developments? Look no further than our BSc (Hons) Computing, built on the industry-recognised HNC and HND programmes. Grow in knowledge, skills, and as a person, on a course that considers your future employer's needs, as well as your own. Acquire the tools you'll need to implement and manage web design and development projects from start to finish, and progress into the fields of artificial intelligence, database analysis, consultancy, and many more. Choose to follow a **Computing/Networking and Cyber Security/Software Engineering** path in years 3 and 4, and graduate with a BSc (Hons) in your chosen pathway.

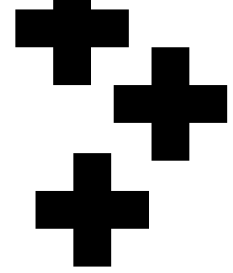
Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1 HNC Computing	Highers: C A levels: D The above must include three National 5 passes, or equivalent Alternatively, a relevant HN computing-based award; NC Digital Media Computing; NQ Multimedia Computing; Intermediate 2 Business, Administration and Computing Studies; SVQ Information Technology; Foundation Apprenticeship ICT in Software Development or Hardware/System Support; or Scottish Wider Access Programmes (SWAP), will be considered: see website for details		
Year 2 HND Computer Science	Advanced entry may be possible with an HNC Computing or other computing-based HNC		
Year 3 BSc	Advanced entry may be possible with an HND Computer Science or other computing-based HND		
Year 4 BSc (Hons)			

Study method

- + Face-to-face and video conference lectures and tutorials.
- + Online study.

Features

- + Undertake a team project where you will be involved in the delivery of an ICT-related product for an external client.
- + Contribute to the management, configuration, and utilisation of live internet servers to provide web-based services.
- + Study full-time or part-time to suit your personal circumstances or study individual modules for personal or professional development.



Interactive Media

Interactive media: a collection of varied technologies, combined to provide a user experience via digital platforms such as websites, mobile apps, software applications, and interactive installations - the opportunities are endless.

Explore digital content creation, graphic design, 2D/3D animation, video and audio production, and more. Gain real experience and understanding in the development of interactive and digital media products, while experimenting with several key specialities and working with external clients on live industry projects. Let loose with your creativity, develop key entrepreneurial qualities, and get the solid theoretical and technical understanding you need to succeed in this thriving field.

Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1 HNC Digital Design and Web Development	Highers: C A levels: D Alternatively, an NC Computing with Digital Media at SCQF Level 6, Foundation Apprenticeship Creative and Digital Media, or Scottish Wider Access Programmes (SWAP). Other qualifications and experience will be considered on an individual basis, based on a portfolio review and interview		
Year 2 DipHE	Advanced entry may be possible with an appropriate HNC, such as HNC Digital Design and Web Development or an HNC Interactive Media, with grade B or above in Graded Unit 2, or equivalent		
Year 3 BSc	Advanced entry may be possible with an appropriate HND in a related course, such as an HND Interactive Media or HND Digital Design and Development, with grade B or above in the Graded Unit 2, or equivalent		
Year 4 BSc (Hons)			

Study method

- + Face-to-face lectures and tutorials.
- + Video-conference.
- + Online study.

Features

- + Gain technical skills in a wide range of disciplines including web, mobile apps, and computer games.
- + Develop your creative thinking in a variety of contexts for the creation of digital media and develop your professional portfolio.
- + Live projects give learners experience of working with real-world clients.





Construction

Brickwork

Plumbing

Planning

Joinery

Building

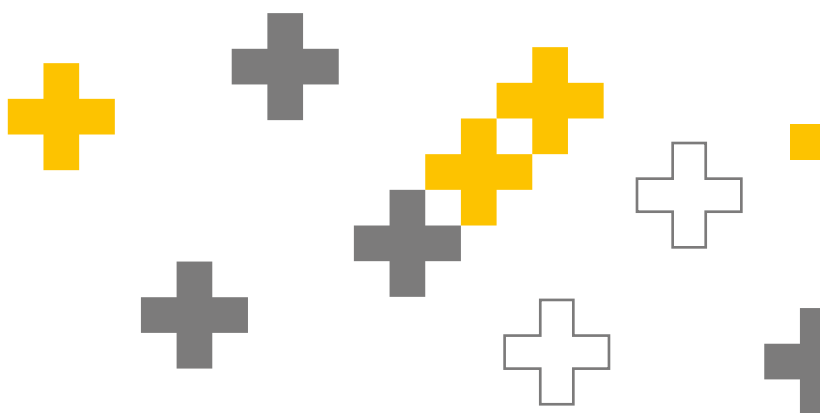
**Health
and safety**

Carpentry

**Electrical
installation**

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
NPA Construction: Brickwork	Full time	1 year	August
NPA Construction: Carpentry and Joinery	Full time	1 year	August
Built Environment	Full time	1 year	August
HNC Construction Management	Part time - evening	2 years	September
PDA in Carpentry and Joinery	Part time - block release	10 weeks over 1 year	September or January



Careers

Bricklayer

Joiner

Electrician

Site Manager

Carpenter

Plumber

Roofer

Health and Safety Officer

NPA Construction: Brickwork

SCQF Level 5

FT

Designed to prepare you for employment as an apprentice in Brickwork, this NPA course introduces you to:

- + general workplace health, safety and welfare
- + productive work practices
- + bricklaying techniques and theory.

This course also includes core skills elements supporting your development in employability and behavioural skills, communications, numeracy, and IT.

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s (including a Maths related subject) OR
- + completion of Foundation Apprenticeship SCQF Level 4 Construction course OR
- + relevant work experience.

NPA Construction: Carpentry and Joinery

SCQF Level 5

FT

Designed to prepare you for employment as an apprentice in Carpentry & Joinery, this NPA introduces you to:

- + general workplace health, safety and welfare
- + productive work practices
- + joinery skills and theory
- + appreciation of access platforms and equipment.

This course also includes core skills elements supporting your development in employability and behavioural skills, communications, numeracy, and IT.

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s (including a Maths related subject) OR
- + completion of Foundation Apprenticeship SCQF Level 4 Construction course OR
- + relevant work experience.

Built Environment

SCQF Level 5

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There is always a need for skilled tradespeople in building and construction.

This full-time course is an ideal way of gaining an overall understanding of the construction sector and has been designed to develop your skills in joinery, plumbing and electrical.

You will study a range of subjects preparing you for further study, employment or an apprenticeship with local employers.

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s, one of which must be a Maths related subject OR
- + a relevant SCQF Level 4 course.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

Construction Management

HNC

EVE

Join the construction industry at a supervisory level, developing your responsibilities and skills on this accommodating course, to obtain positions such as trainee construction manager, construction planner, or site-based management assistant. Cover related subjects such as estimating, Scottish law, planning, human resource management, and health and safety. Benefit from excellent links with employers, and enjoy the experience of working on live projects and placements, site visits, and case studies, with opportunities to earn while you learn.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: C; preferably Maths, Graphic Communication, or a science subject; A levels: D; preferably Maths, Physics, or Graphical Communication OR
- + NC, NQ, Advanced Certificate, or SVQ, in a construction-related subject OR
- + Foundation Apprenticeship Civil Engineering.

Prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above are encouraged to apply, appropriate construction-related experience will be taken into consideration.

You may be required to attend an interview.

PDA in Carpentry and Joinery

SCQF Level 7

PT

The PDA in Carpentry and Joinery provides invaluable practical experience and knowledge to those who aspire to other professions in construction outside the role of a developed craftsman, such as supervision and management.

Completion of your PDA will also give you the opportunity to progress to an HNC which will further develop your hand skills and more specialised and traditional craft skills.

Entry requirements

- + PDA SCQF Level 6 OR
- + a SVQ in a relevant trade, such as Modern Apprenticeship Carpentry and Joinery.
- + All applicants must be in full-time employment in the trade.

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I have gained problem solving skills, team working skills, and new necessary skills I will need in the workplace.

I have learned all new things at college that I haven't done at work before which is good for when I come to do these things at work as I will have an idea how to do them.



Nadine Legge, PDA in Carpentry and Joinery



Counselling

Communication

Support

Listening

**Mental
health**

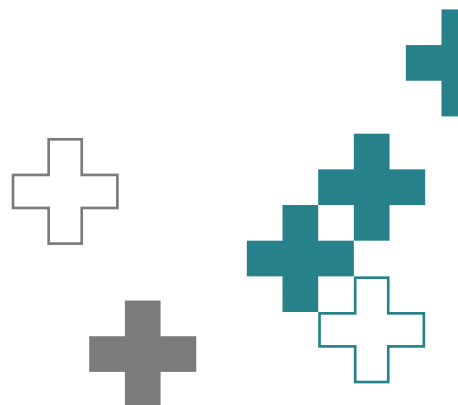
Well-being

Self-awareness

Empathy

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
Counselling Skills - Introduction	Evening	10 weeks	September or February
HN Cluster: Relationship Centred Counselling Skills	Part time	1 year	September
HNC Counselling	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	September
HND Counselling	Full time	2 years	September
COSCA Certificate in Counselling Skills	Part time Online	1+ years	September



Careers

Counsellor

Criminal justice

Support Worker

Social Care

Education and teaching

Human Resources

Counselling Skills - Introduction

College Certificate

EVE

This course is an ideal introduction if you are interested in knowing more about counselling or wish to explore counselling as a possible career. It is also suitable if you use counselling or counselling skills as part of your work or voluntary activity.

It is designed to provide you with an entry level opportunity to develop interpersonal skills, self-awareness and theoretical knowledge.

You will also gain a basic understanding of counselling, the skills used and approaches and perspectives, as well as practical exercises.

Entry requirements

+ There are no formal entry requirements.

HN Cluster: Relationship Centred Counselling Skills

SCQF Level 7

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Throughout this course you will examine different theoretical concepts of counselling and develop foundational counselling skills.

You will learn about the concept and process of counselling within a 3-stage model, developing a range of communication skills while working with your peers and colleagues. This form of study will allow you to gain more insight into the client/counsellor relationship, difficulties which may arise in counselling relationships and the counselling process.

Entry requirements

- + You should have well-developed communications skills and relevant experience.
- + Although not compulsory it would be beneficial to have completed our Counselling Skills - Introduction course.

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This course was described to us as life-changing at the induction and it truly has been. From enhancing listening skills to expanding self-awareness it has been a fantastic learning journey.

I have really enjoyed the practical nature of the course. The way the content is delivered makes it much easier to understand and enjoyable than I imagine a lecture would.



Kerriann Wilson, COSCA Certificate in Counselling Skills

Counselling

HNC*

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HND

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Ready to take the next steps in your dream of qualifying as a counsellor? Or perhaps you're already practicing in community work, social care, education, criminal justice, health services, or voluntary work, or any other sector that requires the vast range of skills needed to provide a helping/supporting relationship?

Join our HNC Counselling, the ideal route if you wish to progress on your Counselling career path. Build your reflective skills, self-awareness, assertiveness, and challenge management, with a strong emphasis on personal development.

Follow-up with our HND Counselling to progress to a career in Professional Counselling.

Entry requirements

Entry to year one (HNC):

- + Counselling award at SCQF 6 or above OR
- + Participation in relevant voluntary/paid work.

Other related qualifications may be considered. See website for further details.

PVG membership is required for specific modules.

*please note the HNC does not qualify you to practise Counselling.

COSCA Certificate in Counselling Skills

SCQF Level 8

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The COSCA Certificate in Counselling Skills (SCQF Level 8) is aimed at a wide range of people who may benefit from improving and enhancing communication and listening skills. This may include: guidance personnel; those working in social care; HR/Management staff etc.

Applicants may also be interested in the opportunity to study Rogers' person-centred approach whilst honing their own ability to reflect on self and build supportive relationships.

As well as offering an academic award which can be used to apply for further study, students are provided with a safe environment for personal development.

The award is validated by COSCA (Counselling & Psychotherapy in Scotland).

Entry requirements

- + You will be required to attend a group interview.
- + You will be asked to complete a short, written piece of work (500 words) on the topic of "What can I bring to a counselling skills course?"
- + You will also take part in an experiential exercise. This will provide an opportunity for you to meet with the tutor and fellow applicants in a group setting. Tutors will use this time to gauge prospective students' motivation and commitment to the course, explain the nature of experiential learning to the group and answer any queries that may arise.

*for online study (January start) you will enrol with other UHI partner(s) - see website for details

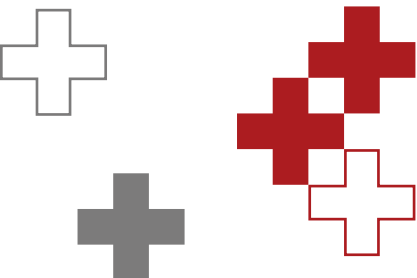


Creative Industries



Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
Art and Design Portfolio Building	Evening	10 weeks	Various
UAL Level 2 Award and Diploma in Art and Design (SCQF Level 5)	Full time	1 year	August
UAL Level 3 Award and Diploma in Art and Design (SCQF Level 6)	Full time	1 year	August
BA (Hons) Fine Art	Full time Part time	4 years 8 years	September
UAL Level 3 Award and Diploma in Performing and Production Arts (SCQF Level 6)	Full time	1 year	August
HNC Acting and Performance	Full time	1 year	September
BA (Hons) Creative Writing in the Highlands and Islands	Full time - online Part time - online	4 years 8 years	September



Careers

Professional Artist

Illustrator

Printmaker

Teacher

Curator

Gallerist

Creative Director

Actor

Director

Singer

Writer

Stage Management

Entertainer

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Art and Design Portfolio Building

SCQF Level 5

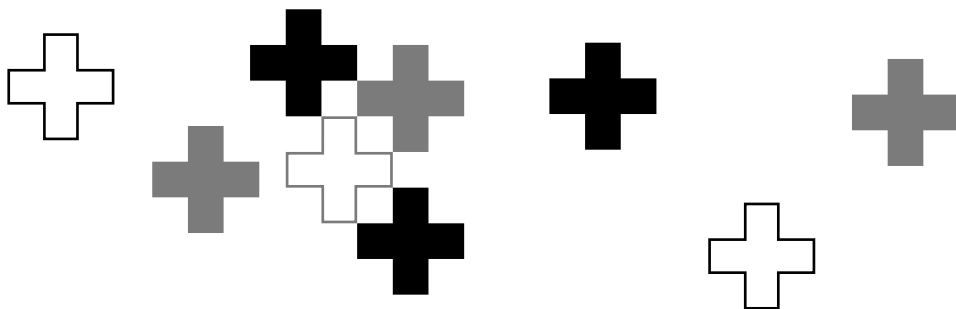
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This 10 week course will increase your understanding of what is expected when building both a physical and digital portfolio.

By the end of the course, you will have enhanced your awareness of creating, editing, and curating your work and be more prepared for submitting a successful presentation as entry to both Further Education and Higher Education courses.

Entry requirements

- + Two National 4s.
- + Must be actively making creative work through a variety of media i.e. photography, painting, 3D, drawing, digital media.



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Studying art allowed me to expand my knowledge and skills in this area. It encouraged me to question and look at alternative views on topics.

I was encouraged to follow my own lines of interest in a self directed manner with supportive encouragement. These are transferable skills to any situation in life.

Rachel McClure, BA (Hons) Fine Art

UAL Level 2 Award and Diploma in Art and Design

SCQF Level 5

FT

This University of the Arts London (UAL) Level 2 Award and Diploma in Art and Design is for anyone with an interest in the subject.

It will provide the perfect opportunity for school leavers or mature learners to get started in art and design, as you will explore and develop the skills, knowledge and understanding required for progression within art and design education.

The qualification structure will provide a sound base of skills and knowledge, will enhance self-confidence, and convey an understanding of the career demands and opportunities within art and design.

Entry requirements

+ Three National 4s (including Art and English).

You must also submit a portfolio of work.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

UAL Level 3 Award and Diploma in Art and Design

SCQF Level 6

FT

This University of the Arts London Level 3 Award and Diploma in Art and Design has been designed to provide the skills, knowledge and understanding necessary to develop an extensive portfolio of visual work for application to degree programmes across the UK, including BA (Hons) Fine Art at Moray School of Art.

You will develop:

- + skills in a number of disciplines including life drawing, digital and dark room photography, painting, digital imaging, sculpture and 2D/3D design
- + critical and analytical skills through research into the work of other artists with opportunities to attend visiting artists talks and gallery visits.

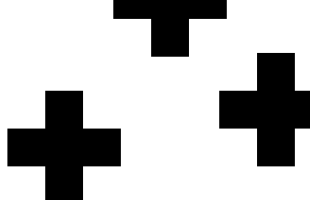
Entry requirements

+ Four National 5s at BBDD or above (must include Art and English) OR

+ Merit or above at UAL Level 2 Award and Diploma in Art and Design (SCQF Level 5).

You will also be required to attend an interview and submit a portfolio of work.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.



Fine Art

Cultivate your creative skills in a vibrant and engaging environment, as you explore and experiment with techniques in drawing, painting, digital imaging, photography, spatial studies, printmaking, textiles, and more.

Enjoy individual studio space from year two and exhibit your work in years three and four. Grow in confidence and ability, with the support of a highly-experienced team of visual practitioners and academics, who will guide you in reflecting on your own practice and the work of other artists while establishing an awareness of industry and sector professionalism. Benefit from our strong links with the cultural sector, including galleries, museums, and arts organisations, on a programme enriched with frequent cultural and environmental trips, as well as visits to and from artists and professionals in the industry.

Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1 CertHE	Highers: CCC A levels: CC The above should include English Alternatively, a relevant Scottish Wider Access Programme (SWAP), University of the Arts London Art and Design Diploma level 3, or a recognised Art Access course with evidence of ability in written coursework, for example, a unit in contextual study or art history, will be considered: see website for details		
Year 2 DipHE	Advanced entry may be possible with a relevant CertHE, or an HNC Contemporary Art Practice or HNC Photography (15 credits), with a B in the Graded Unit		
Year 3 BA	Advanced entry may be possible with a relevant DipHE, or an HND Contemporary Art Practice or HND Photography, with a B in the Graded Unit		
Year 4 BA (Hons)			

You must also submit a portfolio of visual work, which clearly demonstrates your capacity to cope with the demands of the course, and attend an interview

Study method	Features
<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Face-to-face and video-conference lectures and tutorials.+ Workshops and studio work.+ Online study.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ A highlight of your studies will be exhibiting your work to the public as part of a professional practice module in the third year, and during the degree show in your final year.+ From year two you will have your own studio space.+ Frequent cultural and environmental trips will enrich your experience.+ Strong links with the cultural sector including galleries, museums, and arts organisations.



UAL Level 3 Award and Diploma in Performing and Production Arts

SCQF Level 6

FT

This University of the Arts London Level 3 Award and Diploma in Performing and Production Arts is designed to provide you with the knowledge, skills and understanding necessary to access and progress to degree level study or employment in the performing arts.

Delivered by Out of the Darkness Theatre Company, Elgin's professional theatre organisation, there will be a priority and emphasis on the discipline of Musical Theatre, with elements of dance, singing and acting.

Entry requirements

- + Two National 5s, preferably one in English OR
- + NPA in Acting and Performance.
- + You will also be required to attend an audition with members of staff from Out of the Darkness Theatre Company.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

Acting and Performance

HNC

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Develop your skills in voice, movement, devised theatre performance, stagecraft, acting for camera and leading a workshop. Our HNC Acting and Performance course empowers you to unlock your full creative potential in the world of acting. Taught by industry-experienced staff, you'll receive comprehensive training and support to reach your maximum potential. You'll also have the chance to participate in performance opportunities throughout the year, gaining valuable experience in different professional environments along with industry relevant trips throughout the year.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: CC; A levels: DD; these should include English plus four National 5s at grade C or above, or equivalent OR
- + a relevant NC OR
- + UAL Level 3 Diploma in Performing and Production Arts (SCQF Level 6).

This course is delivered in partnership with Out of the Darkness Theatre Company

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I chose the UAL course as I wasn't sure which route of the entertainment industry I wanted to go down. I wanted to choose this course as it lets you try different acting styles varying from musicals, Shakespeare, pantomime, and many more.

I found out that I can push myself to places that I didn't know I could reach. I found out that I could push myself beyond my limits and I could do things that I couldn't do before.



Robin Kingsley Heady, UAL Level 3 Award and Diploma in Performing and Production Arts (SCQF Level 6)



Creative Writing in the Highlands and Islands



Do you love the written word? Are you driven by the importance of story-telling? If everything you read makes you want to write something better, it's time to make this course the next page in the book of your life.

Explore creative disciplines within the cultural, social, political, geographical, and historical context of Scotland, and learn how they make our area culturally unique while still connecting us to the literature, traditions, and histories of our geographical neighbours. Pursue your individual creativity, work towards publishing your own pieces, and present your work in new and traditional ways, while developing the intellectual stimulation and professionalism required to be a successful writer in your chosen field.

Structure and entry		FT	PT	ON
Year 1 CertHE	Highers: BCC A levels: BC The above must include English at grade B or above Alternatively, Scottish Wider Access Programmes (SWAP) will also be considered: see website for details			
Year 2 DipHE				
Year 3 BA				
Year 4 BA (Hons)				

You must also submit a portfolio of examples of creative writing (up to 3,000 words) and attend an interview

Study method

- + Hosted programme: You will be enrolled and supported at UHI Moray with online classes taught from across the UHI partnership.
- + Twice-yearly residential experiences.

Features

- + Blend of creative, critical, and practical project-based learning.
- + Work towards publishing your own work.
- + Residential experiences will enrich your learning.
- + Taught by staff from a variety of creative and professional backgrounds.
- + Links with local communities.



Education and Childcare

Childcare

**Child
development**

Learning

**Children and
young people**

Nurturing

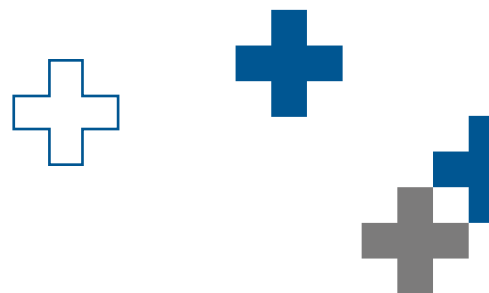
Kindergarten

**Education
and teaching**

Playwork

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
Playwork and Early Education and Childcare	Full time	1 year	August
NC Childhood Practice	Full time	1 year	August
Forest Kindergarten (CPD Award)	Part time	40 hours	Various
HNC Childhood Practice	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	September
BA (Hons) Childhood Practice	Part time - online	2 - 6 years	September or January
BA (Hons) Child and Youth Studies	Full time - online Part time - online	4 years 8 years	September
BA (Hons) Child and Youth Studies with Community Learning and Development	Full time - online Part time - online	4 years 8 years	September or January
Childhood Practice (CPD Award)	Part time - online (structured) Part time - online (unstructured)	1 year Up to 2 years	September or January
Teaching Qualifications	Various	Various	Various



Careers

Early Years Practitioner

Nursery Manager

Social Worker

Childhood Practice Management

Youth Worker

Teacher

Health Professional

Playwork and Early Education and Childcare

SCQF Level 5

FT

The demand for skilled workers means there's never been a better time to find employment as a childcare worker.

This full-time course is an ideal first stage qualification if you wish to work in the childcare sector as a nanny, childcare assistant, crèche worker or similar.

This is an ideal qualification for anyone wishing to progress into further studies within education, childcare or social care.

Throughout this course you may wish to undertake work experience to gain work based employability skills.

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s, one of which must be English OR
- + a relevant SCQF Level 4 qualification.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above. Experience of working in a childcare setting may be accepted in the absence of formal entry requirements.

You will also be required to attend a pre-start event.

Category 1 PVG course: PVG Scheme membership is required to successfully achieve target qualification, where there is guaranteed contact with vulnerable groups in key elements of the course. For further information visit uhi.ac.uk/pvg

NC Childhood Practice

SCQF Level 6

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This course is ideal if you want to begin a career in childcare at Support Worker level.

Developed in partnership with employers and industry, this course will provide you with a broad-base of theoretical and practical skills across a range of topics.

You will develop and enhance your knowledge, skills, values and competencies in working with children in a Childhood Practice setting.

Entry requirements

- + National 5s at BBDD or above, one of which must be English, OR
- + SCQF Level 5 qualification or equivalent.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above but who have considerable experience of working with children.

Category 1 PVG course: PVG Scheme membership is required to successfully achieve target qualification, where there is guaranteed contact with vulnerable groups in key elements of the course. For further information visit uhi.ac.uk/pvg

Forest Kindergarten

SCQF Level 7

PT

This CPD Award is suitable for qualified early learning practitioners, early years workers, managers, teachers, third sector workers, and others who wish to organise and supervise regular off-site visits to woodland and green spaces for children in their care.

Accredited through the SQA, the award recognises the value of woodlands as an integral part of the learning process for pre-school children and covers the knowledge, understanding and skills needed to develop a forest kindergarten.

Entry requirements

- + No formal qualifications are required. However, applicants must be able to demonstrate that they have some knowledge or experience in working with children in an early years setting.
- + Access to practical placement in a nursery, school or voluntary setting is also required.



Childhood Practice

HNC

FT

PT*

ON

Learn to support children and young people with varying needs, studying subjects such as care, leadership, health, well-being, safeguarding, and support for play learning and development, as well as a sixty-day work placement. On successful completion you will be eligible to register with the Scottish Social Services Council (SSSC) at practitioner level. An approved route into year two of our BA (Hons) Child and Youth Studies or, after some work experience, our BA (Hons) Childhood Practice.

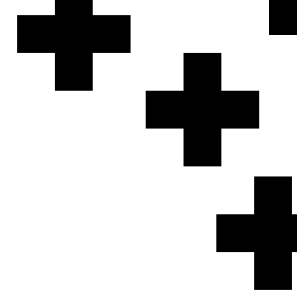
Entry requirements

- + Highers: CC, A levels: D; preferably including English, plus four National 5s, or equivalent, one of which should be English if you do not have a Higher or A level OR
- + NC Early Education and Childcare/Childhood Practice OR
- + Foundation Apprenticeship Social Services (Children and Young People).

Experience in a relevant setting or similar work, either in a voluntary capacity or as an informal carer, is essential.

Category 1 PVG course: PVG Scheme membership is required to successfully achieve target qualification, where there is guaranteed contact with vulnerable groups in key elements of the course. For further information visit uhi.ac.uk/pvg

*for part-time study (January start) you will enrol with other UHI partner(s) - see website for details



Childhood Practice

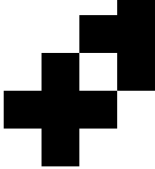
Take your next steps in this exciting and aspirational field and open your future up to a wide range of opportunities, in childhood practice settings and beyond.

Combine your working experience with your studies, to grow in knowledge and strengthen your theoretical and practical capabilities, with the opportunity to investigate in-depth an area of particular interest to you. Develop your leadership and collaborative skills in our supportive environment, engage with your fellow course members in scheduled and informal settings, and choose modules from an array of relevant, engaging subjects, from the comfort of your home or local area. Qualify as a lead practitioner or manager with this excellent Scottish Social Services Council (SSSC) recognised qualification.

Structure and entry		PT	ON
Year 1 DipHE	You must be employed, with at least two years' work experience within a relevant workplace environment and have access to leadership activities or experiences, plus a recognised SSSC practitioner qualification such as an HNC Childhood Practice, or a relevant SCQF Level 7 qualification, for example: Social Services: Children and Young People; Children's Care Learning and Development/Playwork; or equivalent. For applicants without sufficient credits, modules are available to help you reach the required level		
	Alternatively, relevant professional qualifications, recognised by SSSC, plus appropriate experience, or a relevant Scottish Wider Access Programme (SWAP), will be considered on an individual basis: see website for details		
Year 2 BA			
Year 3 BA (Hons)			

You must attend a face-to-face or telephone interview to discuss the course and the method of teaching in detail. This course is delivered through online learning so you can study when and where it suits you in Scotland. You will also be required to attend a face-to-face or online induction at the start of your course

Study method	Features
+ Online study.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Delivered entirely online so you can study from anywhere in Scotland.+ Offers flexible study routes based on previous qualifications and relevant workplace experience.+ The course is designed to meet the Scottish subject benchmark statement, the Standard for Childhood Practice.+ Modules focus on practical skills in the workplace so you can link your professional practice with theory, current policy, and legislation.



Child and Youth Studies

Could you teach valuable life skills through play? Are you passionate about the rights and perspectives of children and young people on all of the matters that affect them?

Harness your energy and enthusiasm for children and young people as they navigate their experiences, on our pioneering programme, the first to combine child and youth studies in Scotland, to pursue an exciting and rewarding career in this diverse and vital field. Gain a deep understanding of child and youth issues within a local and global context. Learn about the social, psychological, environmental and legislative influences upon children and young people to make a difference to their lives, opportunities and futures. Explore and reflect on key theories, policy and practice, to take a holistic, contextual approach that values difference and diversity within individuals, families, and communities to progress children and young people’s meaningful participation and human rights.

Structure and entry		FT	PT	ON
Year 1 CertHE	Highers: CCC A levels: CC Alternatively, a Foundation Apprenticeship Social Services (Children and Young People) plus an additional Higher at grade C or above, a relevant Scottish Wider Access Programme (SWAP), or other qualifications or experience, will be considered on an individual basis: see website for details			
Year 2 DipHE	Advanced entry may be possible with the HNC Childhood Practice or HNC Social Services (see page 87), plus additional credits			
Year 3 BA				
Year 4 BA (Hons)				

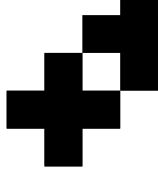
You must attend an interview (in person or online) to discuss the course in detail and to explain the method of teaching. This course is delivered through online learning so you can study when and where it suits you in the UK. PVG scheme membership is required to undertake this course: see website for details

Study method

+ Online study.

Features

- + Ideal preparation for a career in child and youth work.
- + Undertake a research project related to your work or area of special interest.
- + Specifically tailored to the needs of rural areas.
- + The flexible delivery method allows you to fit your studies around your personal and professional commitments.
- + Individual modules can be completed for personal or professional development (CPD).



Child and Youth Studies with Community Learning and Development

Put social justice and a commitment to social change at the heart of your studies on this pioneering new course, the first accredited programme in the Highlands and Islands to provide registration with the CLD Standards Council Scotland, and pursue an exciting and rewarding career in community learning and development. If you're interested in working with young people, adults, and communities, this is the ideal course for you. Explore and reflect on key theories, policy, and practice, as you develop your understanding of the values, differences, and diversity within individuals and communities, to enable their participation, empowerment, and life-long learning. Build your experience and skills via work placements with community organisations in your local area, as you deepen your understanding and professional practice with theory, current policy, and legislation.

Structure and entry		FT	PT	ON
Year 1 CertHE	Highers: CCC A levels: CC Alternatively a Foundation Apprenticeship Social Services (Children and Young People) plus an additional Higher at grade C or above. Applicants with relevant professional qualifications or experience are also welcomed and will be considered on an individual basis. Other recognition of prior learning and credit transfer will be considered on a case-by-case basis. If you are eligible to undertake Scottish Wider Access Programmes (SWAP), please visit our SWAP access list for further information on grade profiles and available subjects.			
Year 2 DipHE	Direct entry to year two may be possible on successful completion of 15-credits (120 SCQF Level 7 credits) in: HNC Childhood Practice; HNC Social Services; HNC Social Sciences; or HNC Working with Communities Bridging modules are also offered for applicants with less than 120 SCQF Level 7 credits.			
Year 3 BA				
Year 4 BA (Hons)				

You must attend an interview (in person or online) to discuss the course in detail and to explain the method of teaching. This course is delivered through online learning so you can study when and where it suits you in the UK. PVG scheme membership is required to undertake this course: see website for details

Study method	Features
+ Online study.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Professionally recognised and approved by the Community Learning and Development Standards Council for Scotland.+ Placements offer an opportunity to link your developing professional practice with theory, current policy and legislation.+ Opportunity for you to specialise in an area of personal/professional interest.

Childhood Practice

SCQF Level 9

PT

ON

If you want to gain a better understanding of the challenges faced by our youngest generations, our online CPD Award in Childhood Practice meets the SSSC registration requirement for leadership in Childhood Practice and enables you to develop your knowledge and skills through the following modules:

- + Contemporary issues in childhood practice
- + Leading change in childhood practice
- + Promoting children's rights and inclusion in childhood practice.

Entry requirements

You must have at least two years' work experience in a relevant setting PLUS one of the following:

- + BA (Hons) Social Work (or equivalent)
- + GA BA Early Learning and Childcare
- + Degree/Diploma in Community Education as recognised by the Standards Council for Community Learning and Development for Scotland Approvals Committee
- + A qualification meeting the registration requirements for the following professional groups regulated by the Health and Care Professions Council:
 - + Occupational Therapists
 - + Art, Music and Drama Therapists
 - + Physiotherapists
 - + Speech and Language Therapists
 - + Practitioner Psychologists
- + A qualification meeting the registration requirements of the General Teaching Council (Scotland), Nursing and Midwifery Council, or the General Medical Council.



Teaching Qualifications

Whether you are starting your teaching journey or looking to update and develop your skills, our teaching qualifications will prepare you for life as a reflective professional, supporting high quality learning for those you teach.

The Professional Graduate Diploma in Education (PGDE) is the graduate entry route for those who want to become a Primary or Secondary teacher in Scotland.

Our Teaching Qualifications for Further Education will equip you with the knowledge, skills and attributes to support your registration with the General Teaching Council of Scotland as a lecturer.

	Course Level	Study Mode	
PGDE Primary (English Medium)*	SCQF Level 10 - 11	FT	ON
PGDE Secondary (English Medium)*	SCQF Level 10 - 11	FT	ON
Teaching Qualification Further Education (CPD Award)	SCQF Level 9	PT	ON
Teaching Qualification Further Education (PGCert)	SCQF Level 11	PT	ON

*Hosted programme: You will be enrolled and supported at UHI Moray with online classes taught from across the UHI partnership.





Engineering

Electrical

Electronics

Automotive

Manufacturing

Fabrication

**Renewable
Energy**

Mechanical

Welding

Engineering

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles (Institute of the Motor Industry (IMI) Diploma)	Full time	1 year	August
Engineering: An Introduction	Full time	1 year	August
NC Electronic Engineering	Full time Part time	1 year 2+ years	August
NC Engineering Practice	Full time Part time	1 year 2+ years	August
NC Engineering Systems	Full time Part time	1 year 2+ years	August
HNC Engineering Systems	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	September
PDA in Engineering	Part time	1 year	September
PDA in Advanced Manufacturing	Part time	Up to 1 year	September or January

Careers

Engineer
Aerospace Engineer
Project Engineer
Management

Mechanic
Instrument Technician
Maintenance

Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles (Institute of the Motor Industry (IMI) Diploma)

SCQF Level 5

FT

This course will provide you with the understanding and underpinning knowledge to progress into employment, a Modern Apprenticeship, or further study.

You will take part in the study of:

- + light vehicle systems and routine maintenance
- + operating principles of light vehicle engines, tyres, brakes, steering and suspension systems
- + transmission systems and electrical and electronic systems.

All teaching takes place within a structured practical modern vehicle workshop, with theory lessons taking place in a classroom environment.

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s including English and Maths OR
- + Engineering: An Introduction (SCQF Level 4) OR
- + IMI Certificate in Transport Maintenance (SCQF Level 4)
- + You must be a minimum of 16 years of age at the start of the course.

Engineering: An Introduction

SCQF Level 4

FT

This course has been designed as an entry route into a career as an engineering professional. You will take part in both electrical and mechanical practical and classroom activities, allowing you to gain and enhance your engineering knowledge and ability.

On successfully completing this course, you will be able to progress onto a SCQF Level 5 engineering course or enter the workplace, typically in a trainee or junior technician role.

Entry requirements

- + Evidence that you can work at National 3/4 level in a mathematics subject.
- You will also be invited to an interview.

NC Electronic Engineering

SCQF Level 5

FT

PT

This course will allow you to develop knowledge, understanding and skills in electrical principles, fundamental electronics, and electrical test equipment and measurement.

You will undertake some degree of specialisation in practical electronics and electronic theory.

The course has been developed to enhance your employability, whether you are entering or progressing within the engineering sector.

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s, including English and Maths OR
- + a relevant SCQF Level 4 course or equivalent.

NC Engineering Practice

SCQF Level 5

FT

PT

This course is ideal if you are contemplating a career in the manufacturing, fabrication, machining and servicing industries.

You will take part in a range of workshop activities such as milling, turning and welding alongside the theory and classroom subjects required of engineering professionals in the modern workplace.

On successfully completing this course, you can progress onto a SCQF Level 6 programme in an engineering subject or seek employment, typically at technician level as a junior machinist or fabricator/project engineer.

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s, including English and Maths OR
- + satisfactory attainment of an SCQF Level 4 course or equivalent.



NC Engineering Systems

SCQF Level 6

FT

PT

This course has been designed to give you a thorough grounding in the engineering principles and is ideal if you would like to pursue a career at technician level, or if you would like to progress to a HNC Engineering Systems course.

When you apply for this course, you will choose to either follow a mechanical or electronic engineering route.

Entry requirements

- + National 5s at BBDD* (one of which must be Maths at B) OR
- + a relevant SCQF Level 5 qualification which included maths content OR
- + successful completion of Engineering Performance (SCQF Level 5) to include Maths Craft 2.

*National 5 Applications of Maths is not suitable for entry

Engineering Systems

HNC

FT

PT

Expand your knowledge and skills as you gain the required technical training to be a technician in design, research, development, and service support roles in engineering, manufacturing, and consultancy. Study both mechanical and electrical engineering principles, as well as project management and business awareness, with a strong focus on elevating your skills to enable immediate access to employment. This course is an approved route into the second year of our engineering degrees.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: C; A levels: D; in Maths or Physics OR
- + a relevant NC Engineering at SCQF Level 6, including Technician Maths 2 and Thermofluids units OR
- + Foundation Apprenticeship Engineering.

Prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above are encouraged to apply, appropriate industry related experience will be taken into consideration.

You may be required to attend an interview.



I studied with UHI Moray before and decided to progress onto the next course.
The lecturers are very helpful, and provide support throughout the course.



Lindsay Proctor, NC Engineering Systems (SCQF Level 6)

PDA in Engineering

SCQF Level 7

PT

This PDA is ideal if you have recently left school or college, or are currently in employment, and wish to obtain a formal qualification to enhance your engineering knowledge.

The units will enable you to gain the practical and inter-personal skills needed to work successfully within the engineering sector and as part of the 21st century economy.

Entry requirements

- + Entry is at the discretion of the centre, however it is recommended that you should have experience of Engineering Science, or Physics, and Mathematics at National 5 as a minimum.

PDA in Advanced Manufacturing

SCQF Level 7

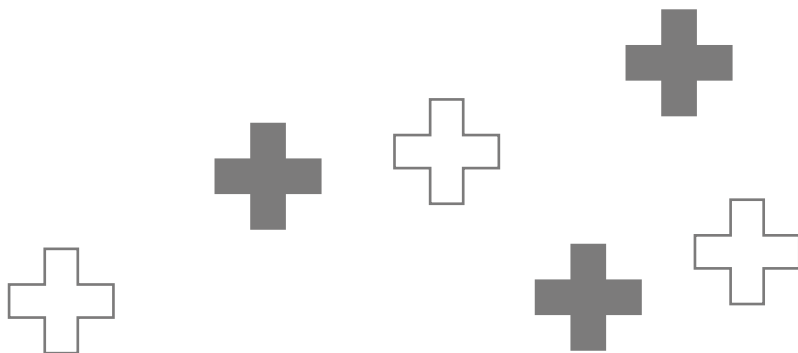
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This PDA has been designed to address and close the current skills gap in the manufacturing workforce, as set out in the sector's Skills Investment Plans.

Manufacture is a key priority for Scotland, involving a range of industrial sectors, so this PDA is ideal for any individual or business that is involved in Manufacturing and Processing industries.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: C; A levels: D; in a relevant subject such as Electrical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Engineering Systems, or Manufacturing Engineering PLUS National 5 passes or equivalent in Maths, English, and a Science OR
- + NC or HNC in a related discipline, such as: Electrical Engineering; Mechanical Engineering; Engineering Systems; Manufacturing Engineering; or Measurement and Control Engineering
- + SVQ (Scottish Vocational Qualifications) in an Engineering discipline, such as Mechanical, Manufacturing or Electrical Engineering
- + Mature learners with suitable relevant work experience may be accepted for entry, or advanced entry.





English for Speakers of Other Languages

ESOL

Reading

English

Language

Writing

Communication

Our ESOL courses enable non-native speakers of English to develop their English language skills at different levels through the study of reading, writing, listening and speaking skills.

English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)

SCQF Levels 1 - 3

These classes focus on practical language and cover reading, writing, speaking, pronunciation and listening skills. You will be assessed to confirm what ESOL level you will study.

English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)

SCQF Levels 4 - 6

Enhanced language skills are beneficial for everyday life, work and study in the UK. ESOL qualifications provide you with opportunities to gain better employment prospects and to progress onto further courses of study in further and higher education.

If you are studying the advanced course you will also have the opportunity to gain a SQA Higher (SCQF Level 6) qualification.

National 5 English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)

SCQF Level 5

This qualification is equivalent to the B2 on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.

You will learn techniques to better understand and analyse reading texts while learning more advanced vocabulary which will help you with your work and studies.

You will also develop writing skills, such as writing a personal statement, job applications, formal letters/emails and academic writing.

Higher English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)

SCQF Level 6

This qualification is equivalent to Level C1/C2 on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.

You will develop reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills to an advanced level.

You will focus on a variety of interesting topics, such as health and wellbeing, the world of work and business, the environment and everyday life in the UK. You will also develop practical writing techniques such as formal letter/email writing, academic essays and reports.

Higher ESOL is accepted as an entry requirement by universities across Scotland and is accepted in place of Higher English for entry to many courses, including PGDE Secondary Education.



Essential Skills

Maths and numeracy

Reading

English

Writing

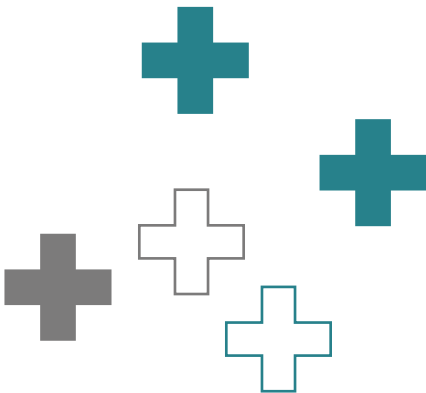
Learning

Problem solving

Communication

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
National 5 Applications of Mathematics	Part time	1 year	September
National 5 Maths	Part time	1 year	September
National 5 English	Evening	8 months	August
Higher English	Part time - online/evening	8 months	September



Careers

These courses can help with entry into HNC and degree programmes and are especially beneficial for individuals wishing to progress to a teaching programme.

National 5 Applications of Mathematics

SCQF Level 5

PT

This course explores the applications of mathematical techniques and skills in everyday situations, including financial matters, statistics, and measurement.

Through real-life contexts you will acquire and apply mathematical operational skills directly relevant to life and work and learn to appreciate the role of mathematical ideas in the world.

Entry requirements

+ National 4 Applications of Maths.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

National 5 Maths

SCQF Level 5

PT

This course will provide you with a good foundation for progression to Higher Maths, which is a requirement for many university courses.

It will strengthen your confidence when working with calculations and help you understand how the world around you works.

Entry requirements

+ There are no formal entry requirements however National 4 in Maths would be beneficial.



National 5 English

SCQF Level 5

EVE

Designed as a bridge towards successfully completing Higher English, this course will help you improve and develop your skills in all aspects of our wonderfully rich written language.

Taught alongside our Higher English classes you will:

- + expand your language abilities and critical understanding through close reading of written materials and the studying fascinating literary works
- + improve your expertise in understanding, evaluation, comparison and analysis.

Entry requirements

+ National 4 in English or equivalent.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

Higher English

SCQF Level 6

PT

EVE

ON

We live in a communications-driven society and this qualification will enable you to flourish as you improve and develop your skills in all aspects of English.

This course is designed to enhance your language abilities and critical understanding through close reading of complex written materials and the study of great literary works from various cultures.

Entry requirements

+ National 5 in English or equivalent.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

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The course boosted my self confidence and helped me see writing in a slightly different light.

My tutor was FANTASTIC, always there with answers and guidance when I needed it.



Sean Mayne, Higher English



Hairdressing and Beauty Therapy

Barbering **Styling** **Waxing**

Creative

Nails **Make-up**

Colour **Hairdressing** **Lashes
and brows**

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
Introduction to Foundation Hairdressing	Full time	1 year	August
Foundation Hairdressing	Full time	1 year	August
Hairdressing - Current Techniques	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	August
HN Cluster: Barbering - Creatively Cut and Shape Facial Hair	Part time	17 weeks	September
HN Cluster: Specialised Hair and Scalp Treatments	Part time	34 weeks	September
Advanced Nail Technology	Full time	18 weeks	August
Microblading Artistry	Full time	18 weeks	January
Beauty and Aesthetic Therapies (SCQF Levels 5 and 6)	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	August
HN Cluster: GlamourEyes	Part time	17 weeks	September
HN Cluster: Specialised Facial and Body Electrotherapy	Part time	17 weeks	September or January

Careers

Hairdresser

Make-up Artist

Salon Manager

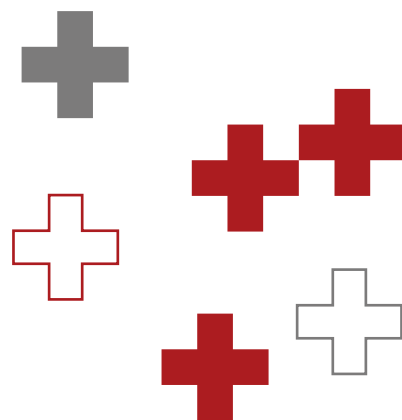
Nail Technician

Stylist

Barber

Beauty Therapist

Microblading Artist



Introduction to Foundation Hairdressing

SCQF Level 4

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If you are a school leaver or mature student returning to education this course is an ideal introduction to the world of hairdressing.

You will develop:

- + a variety of employment skills and knowledge
- + confidence and teamwork skills

making you more employable as a Salon Junior or help you progress as you embark on your hairdressing career.

It will also prepare you for further study by providing skills required for entry into Foundation Hairdressing (SCQF Level 5).

Entry requirements

- + Evidence that you can work at National 4 Level in two subjects (including English or equivalent).

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

You must attend a Course Information Event held prior to the course commencing.

Foundation Hairdressing

SCQF Level 5

FT

Designed to provide you with a firm foundation for building the skills and knowledge required to pursue a career in hairdressing, this course provides foundation training including basic cutting and colouring which are the key units required within the hairdressing industry.

This is a hands-on course providing you with the basic practical skills within a commercial salon to enter the industry at Junior Stylist level or progress to further study.

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s (including English) OR
- + completion of Introduction to Foundation Hairdressing (SCQF Level 4) or Access to Hairdressing and Beauty Therapies (SCQF Level 4).

You must attend a Course Information Event held prior to the course commencing.

Hairdressing - Current Techniques

SCQF Level 6

FT

PT

This course will build on your foundation basic cutting and colouring skills enabling you to enhance your creative cutting, colouring, and styling skills which are all key units required within the hairdressing industry.

On successful completion of this course, you will be able to progress to the next level of study or gain employment as an Improver Stylist within the hairdressing industry.

Entry requirements

- + Foundation Hairdressing (SCQF Level 5) OR
- + a minimum of 3 years current, commercial experience in hairdressing.

You must attend a Course Information Event held prior to the course commencing.

HN Cluster: Barbering - Creatively Cut and Shape Facial Hair

SCQF Level 7

PT

This part-time course has been designed to build on your foundation of barbering skills.

With study taking place within a real working environment, you will enhance your current facial barbering skills and build awareness of the personal, vocational, and societal applications of social media.

Entry requirements

- + Successful completion of Foundation in Barbering (SCQF Level 5) OR
- + an equivalent qualification or sufficient industry experience in Hairdressing or Barbering Industry.

You must attend a Course Information Event Prior to the course commencing.

HN Cluster: Specialised Hair and Scalp Treatments

SCQF Level 7

PT

This part-time course has been designed to build on your foundation of hairdressing skills.

With study taking place within a real working environment, you will:

- + develop your current knowledge
- + develop your understanding of the structures and functions of the hair, skin, and scalp products and treatments available
- + consult, perform and evaluate hair and scalp treatment plans
- + build awareness of the personal, vocational, and societal applications of social media.

Entry requirements

- + Successful completion of Hairdressing - Current Techniques (SCQF Level 6) OR
- + an equivalent qualification or sufficient industry experience in Hairdressing or Barbering Industry.

You must attend a Course Information Event Prior to the course commencing.

Advanced Nail Technology

SCQF Level 5

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Our 18-week Advanced Nail Technology course has been specifically designed to provide a qualification based on what nail technicians, old and new, need and want from the industry.

It combines traditional and current techniques making this course comprehensive, with just about everything a learner needs to become a confident and knowledgeable nail technician.

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s (including English) OR
- + a SCQF Level 4 course or equivalent OR
- + completion of all 12 credits from the Beauty and Aesthetic Therapies (SCQF Level 4) course.
- + You must be aged 16 or over at the start of the course.

Applications are also encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

Microblading Artistry

SCQF Level 5

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This 18-week course is designed to develop your knowledge of the eyebrow structure, the skin and anatomy of the face and eyes and the different face and eyebrow shapes.

You will learn how to refine your skills of client care and the undertaking of an extensive consultation with your clients, to decide on the best microblading artistry outcome for each client in a prescriptive and bespoke manner.

Our programme is fully endorsed by Microblading Artist Hailey Dallas, who is one of the UK's leading experts in Microblading and the owner and developer of the unique 'One-Pass' microblading technique.

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s (including English) OR
- + a SCQF Level 4 course or equivalent OR
- + successful completion of all 12 credits from the Beauty and Aesthetic Therapies (SCQF Level 4) course.
- + You must be aged 18 or over at the start of the course.



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Prior to starting my Microblading course I had no experience within the beauty industry.

I was delighted to be accepted on the course and was assured I would learn everything I need to know. In the space of 6 months I went from not having performed a beauty treatment to Microblading several clients



Colleen McCandless, Microblading Artistry SCQF Level 5

Beauty and Aesthetic Therapies

SCQF Level 5

FT

PT

This course is ideal if you already have experience as a salon junior or a SCQF Level 4 beauty qualification and you want to develop your skills in the beauty and aesthetic industry.

You will be able to carry out a wide range of beauty treatments whilst building essential and life skills which will enable you to progress onto our advanced beauty and aesthetics course or exit into employment as a beauty therapist.

Entry requirements

+ Evidence that you can work at National 4 level in three subjects (including English) OR

+ a SCQF Level 4 course.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

You will also be invited to an interview and invited to participate in an induction programme.

Beauty and Aesthetic Therapies

SCQF Level 6

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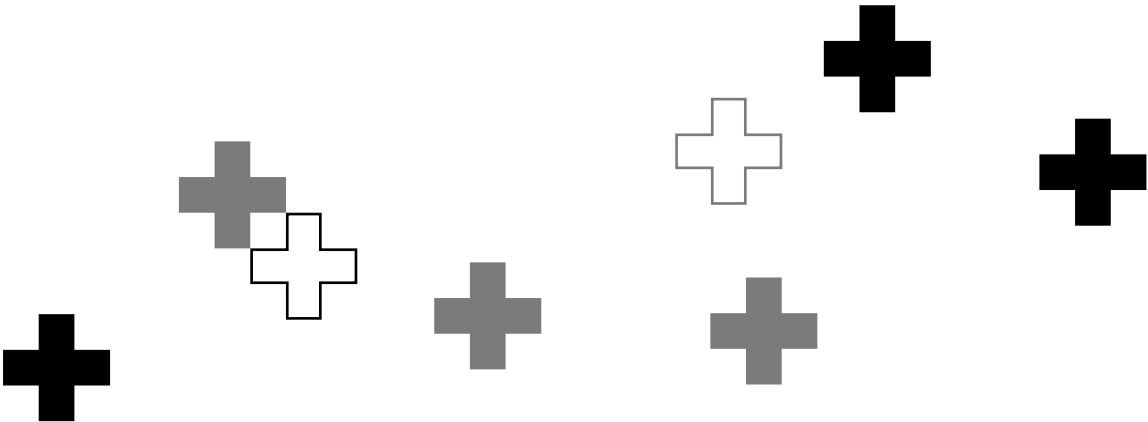
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This full-time advanced course has been designed as a clear progression route from our SCQF Level 5 Beauty and Aesthetic Therapies course to allow you to develop your skill set.

You will carry out a robust and varied range of both manual and electrical treatments, ensuring you are skilled in current and in-demand treatments, allowing you to find employment as a senior therapist or progress onto further studies.

Entry requirements

+ SCQF Level 5 Beauty Therapy qualification or equivalent.



HN Cluster: GlamourEyes

SCQF Level 7

PT

This 17-week course provides a condensed training programme whilst offering ongoing support to ensure the therapist is not only competent but confident in all aspects of the course.

This course will teach you how to safely prepare for and perform prescriptive facial therapy treatments. These skills will act as a foundation on which to maximise the integrated technical skills.

You will research and perform current make-up techniques and cover both day/evening and inspirational looks.

Entry requirements

- + Achieved or working towards 1 Higher, OR
- + satisfactory attainment of a SCQF Level 5 course or equivalent, OR
- + successful completion of all 12 credits from the Beauty and Aesthetic Therapies Level 5
- + Recommended aged 16 or over.

Applications are also encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

HN Cluster: Specialised Facial and Body Electrotherapy

SCQF Level 7

PT

This 17-week course provides a thorough training programme whilst offering ongoing support to ensure the therapist is competent and confident in all aspects of the course.

You will have the opportunity to:

- + develop practical competencies in a range of Face and Body Electrotherapies with the related knowledge and understanding
- + enhance facial and body treatment skills using a breadth of current applications
- + develop confidence across a variety of skin and body types, enhancing client interactions
- + study in a welcoming, supportive and flexible environment with a strong focus on practical, hands-on application
- + create promotional, practical and retail opportunities to be applied in future salon practice.

Entry requirements

- + SCQF Level 5 certificate in Beauty and Aesthetic Therapies, OR
- + SVQ Level 2 in Beauty Therapy (or equivalent).

Applications are also encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

There needs to be evidence of practical skills and knowledge and understanding of core treatments to allow a progression route to build on these skills.

You must attend a Course Information Event Prior to the course commencing





Healthcare, Social Care and First Aid

Allied health

First aid

Volunteering

**Social
services**

**Health
service**

Nursing

Social work

Community

**Health
promotion**

Professionalism

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
Health & Social Care Essentials (SCQF Levels 5 and 6)	Full time	1 year	September
Health and Social Care	Full time	1 year	August
SWAP Access to Nursing	Full time	1 or 2 years	August
HN Cluster: Health & Social Care	Full time	18 weeks	August or January
HNC Healthcare Practice	Full time	1 year	September
HNC Social Services	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	September
BA (Hons) Health and Social Studies	Full time - online Part time - online	4 years 8 years	September September or January
PDA in Health and Social Care Supervision	Part time - online	4 months	September or January
PDA in Health and Social Care: Administration of Medication	Part time - online	6 months	September or January
Leading and Managing Care Services (CPD Award)	Part time - online	1 year	September or January
First Aid	Part time	Various	Various

Careers

Police

Care Work

Allied Health Professions

Health Services Management

Nursing

Social Work

Community Development

Health and Social Care Essentials

SCQF Levels 5, 6

FT

These courses are ideal if you are looking to develop a broad base of skills in health and social care. Throughout these courses you will have the opportunity to engage in a range of activities and apply knowledge to care scenarios through case studies. You will also have the opportunity to undertake an SVQ qualification that will enable registration with the SSSC.

These courses have been designed to allow flexible learning to support a work/life balance of students and recognise wider achievement.

Entry requirements

Entry to SCQF Level 5

- + You should be employed or volunteering in a role where you are carrying out relevant tasks and responsibilities which will allow you to gather the required evidence to achieve the SVQ Level 2 qualification.
- + You should already have a valid PVG Scheme membership through your workplace/placement before commencing this course.

Health and Social Care

SCQF Level 6

FT

This course is designed to provide you with an in-depth understanding of the issues faced by the health and social care sectors as well as some of the key skills you will need to gain employment. The emphasis of the course is to enable you to make the choice between employment or further study, but you will leave with all the relevant skills for either route.

Entry requirements

- + Four National 5s BBDD or above (including English at Grade B or above) OR
- + a relevant SCQF Level 5 course.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

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I gained a lot from my courses at college, I hadn't been in education for a long time, and I hadn't worked in a care role before, so it gave me the knowledge I needed to learn and understand about this, and my first practical placement for the career I wanted in the future.

How each course was delivered and the modules we studied in them, allowed for me to have the foundation for progressing from level 5 to 6, and then to higher education and going out in practice.

Kayleigh Norrie, HNC Social Services



SWAP Access to Nursing

SCQF Level 6 (1 or 2 years)

FT

This course is part of the Scottish Wider Access Programme (SWAP) which runs in partnership with colleges and universities in the east of Scotland to promote and provide the key skills and entry requirements you need to progress to higher education within health and social care.

This course aims to:

- + equip you with a thorough knowledge of human growth and development
- + develop an awareness of the skills required when working with varying groups of clients
- + build the foundations to a career in either nursing, health or social care through theoretical study.

For the 2 year route you will study one and a half days per week whilst already in employment within the industry.

Entry requirements

You must be out of education for:
+ three or more years

You must demonstrate in your personal statement your experience and commitment to working in this field.

For the 2 year route Category 1 PVG scheme membership is also required to undertake the work placement element.

HN Cluster: Health & Social Care

SCQF Level 7

FT

This 18 week programme is designed to provide an opportunity for students to engage in a range of activities designed to develop broad based skills in health and social care.

Key features of this programme will have the emphasis on:

- + developing knowledge around professional standards, loss, leadership, and values, that can be applied to many career pathways
- + applying knowledge to develop the ability to lead, as well as work as part of a team
- + preparing you for progression to further study.

Entry requirements

+ Higher English

Healthcare Practice

HNC

FT

Get a great grounding in the key areas of healthcare practice and take your next steps in this incredible and vital field. Study safe working practices, therapeutic relationships, sociology, mental health, and more, using this course to move towards becoming an associate practitioner or as preparation for new registration requirements for health care support workers. Begin your career in a health-related profession or pursue pre-registration nurse education including adult nursing, mental health, learning disability, and children's nursing. An approved route into the BSc Nursing programme within UHI or year two of our BA (Hons) Health and Social Studies.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: CC; A levels: C; preferably including English or a science-related subject. National 5 English and Maths at grade C or above if not held at Higher or A level, OR
- + an appropriate Group Award at level 6 such as NC Health and Social Care, with either 1 Higher at grade C or above or with profile grades at CCB OR
- + SWAP Access to Nursing OR
- + Foundation Apprenticeship Social Services and Healthcare.

Occupational Health clearance and PVG scheme membership are also required to undertake this course.

Social Services

HNC

FT

PT

Gain an understanding of the values and principles of social services and learn how to integrate those values with key skills and knowledge, studying subjects such as anti-discriminatory practice, leadership, communication, safeguarding, and care practice, as well as option modules including quality of life for those with dementia, mental health issues in a care setting, working with autism, collaborative working, and many more. Improve your career opportunities in this essential field, or progress into a degree in Social Work.

An approved route into the BA (Hons) Health and Social Studies, BA (Hons) Social Sciences (see page 117) or BSc Nursing, BSc (Hons) Psychology or BA (Hons) Criminology (within the UHI).

Entry requirements

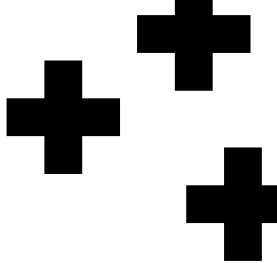
- + Highers: CC; A levels: D; preferably including English, OR
- + a relevant NQ or NC level 6 Group Award OR
- + Foundation Apprenticeship Social Services and Healthcare.

You should have experience in a social service setting or similar work, either in a voluntary capacity or as an informal carer.

Prospective students without the standard entry requirements are encouraged to apply and will be considered on an individual basis.

You may be required to attend an interview.

Category 1 PVG course: PVG Scheme membership is required to successfully achieve target qualification, where there is guaranteed contact with vulnerable groups in key elements of the course. For further information visit uhi.ac.uk/pvg



BA (Hons)*

Health and Social Studies

Are you naturally curious about the relationship between health and society? Do you see yourself having a compassionate and invested role in the future of healthcare in our communities?

Cultivate your curiosity on this flexible, supportive course, focusing on topical health issues including sociology, psychology, public health, rural issues, ethics, and the integration of health and social care. Discover what it means to be healthy and the many factors that influence health and well-being. Build a progressive catalogue of knowledge year on year, taking an in-depth look at health promotion, public health, ethics, partnership working and collaboration, and skills in research. Choose from a diverse range of modules in areas of health that particularly interest you, from child and adolescent mental health, disability, and informatics, to psychopathology, alcohol and drug studies, legislation and childhood, and consumerism. Pursue a career in any number of fields such as education, mental health, community development, and naturopathy, and make a difference to the well-being of our society.

Structure and entry		FT	PT	ON
Year 1 CertHE	Highers: CCC A levels: CC Alternatively, a Foundation Apprenticeship Social Services and Healthcare plus one Higher at grade C; a relevant NQ at SCQF Level 6; SVQ/NVQ at level 3; a relevant Scottish Wider Access Programme (SWAP); or other qualifications or experience, will be considered on an individual basis: see website for details			
Year 2 DipHE	Advanced entry may be possible with HNC Social Services, HNC Healthcare Practice, HNC Social Sciences (see page 116), or equivalent, with 120 credits at SCQF Level 7.			
Year 3 BA	Advanced entry for nurses may be possible through recognition of prior learning (RPL) as agreed by NHS Education for Scotland: see website for details			
Year 4 BA (Hons)				

Study method	Features
<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ This course is delivered through online learning so you can study when and where it suits you in the UK.+ There is a two-day face-to-face induction at your enrolling campus at the start of your course.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Fully online and can be studied from anywhere in the UK.+ The online environment offers an interesting and diverse learning community where personal study can be shared collaboratively.+ Choose modules in areas of health of particular interest to you.+ Develop an excellent range of graduate skills desired by employers.

*subject to revalidation: see website for up-to-date details

PDA in Health and Social Care Supervision

SCQF Level 7

PT ON

The PDA Health and Social Care Supervision is designed for those working in the care sector in supervisory roles.

It is approved to meet the registration requirements of the Scottish Social Services Council (SSSC) and also provides continuing professional development (CPD) for first line managers who provide supervision, support and guidance.

Entry requirements

- + Care qualification at SCQF Level 5 or above plus relevant experience OR
- + SVQ Health and Social Care at Level 3 AND
- + employment in a care situation in a supervisory position.

PDA in Health and Social Care: Administration of Medication

SCQF Level 7

PT ON

This course is an essential part of training for all carers involved in the administration of medication in care homes, residential care or care at home services.

The award will become part of the recommended CPD for staff working in this sector. The PDA consists of two units: Administration of Medication and Administer Medication to Individuals.

Entry requirements

- + Literary subject at SCQF Level 5 or above.
- + SVQ Health and Social Care at Level 2 or 3.
- + You should also have appropriate experience in the fields of health and care.

Leading and Managing Care Services

SCQF Level 9

PT ON

If you are a manager or supervisor in a care setting this Continuing Professional Development (CPD) award can help you in your career development. It is designed to meet the registration requirements set by the Scottish Social Services Council (SSSC) for managers.

This CPD Award is particularly suited to staff who already hold an approved care qualification. The award can be completed within 12 months and a student adviser will provide ongoing support throughout your studies.

Entry requirements

- + Candidates need to demonstrate their potential to meet the academic demands of a SCQF Level 9 award. Ideally, candidates should be working in a supervisory or management position.
- + Relevant qualifications such as HNC Social Care, SVQ4, Diploma in Social Work, nursing qualifications or equivalent.
- + Candidates need to have had a good working experience in the care sector. Some assessment tasks require students to relate to personal experience of supervisory / management practice.
- + Students need to have access to a computer with the ability to develop skills in online learning, accessing website material and word-processing of assignments.

First Aid

We offer a range of FAIB first aid courses from Emergency First Aid to the more comprehensive First Aid at Work course.

All courses below provide an overview of the use of an AED (Defibrillator).

	Duration
First Aid at Work	18 hours (3 days)
First Aid at Work Requalification	12 hours (2 days)
Emergency First Aid at Work	6 hours
Childcare First Aid Certificate	6 hours
Childcare First Aid Course for Confident Grandparents	6 hours
Resuscitation Skills This course also provides the annual skills update for holders of a First Aid at Work or Emergency First Aid at Work certificate	3 hours
Automatic External Defibrillator (AED) Users	3 hours
Onsite First Aid Onsite courses at your workplace for up to 12 employees. Our First Aid Trainers cover onsite training across Moray, Inverness and Aberdeenshire.	1 - 3 days





Horticulture

Nature

Gardening

Ecology

Outdoors

**Green
keeping**

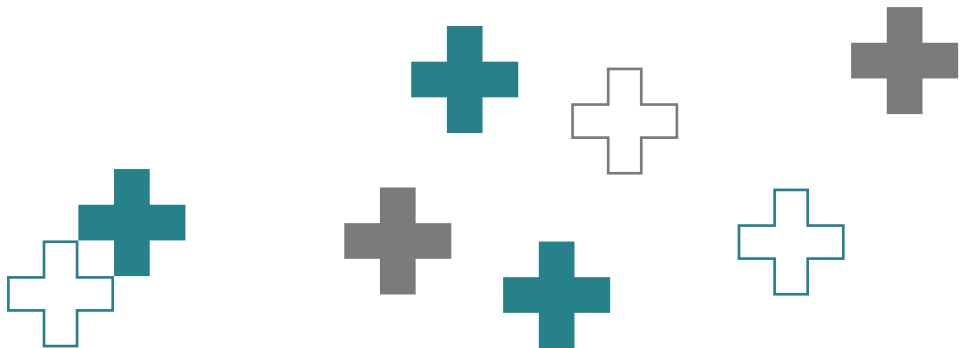
Conservation

Landscaping

Plants

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
Horticulture (Practical)	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	August
NQ Environmental Science and Sustainability (see page 111)	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	August
HNC Horticulture	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	September



Careers

- Garden Centres
 Gardening
 Greenskeeping
 Garden Design
 Private estates/homes eg. National Trust
- Nurseries
 Landscaping
 Ground Maintenance

Horticulture (Practical)

SCQF Level 5

FT

PT

This course covers all aspects of the industry from commercial growing to vegetable gardening, and is ideal if you have some knowledge of horticultural practices as it will provide you with the opportunity to develop advanced practical skills and extend your understanding and theoretical knowledge.

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s (including English) OR
- + a SCQF Level 4 course.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

Horticulture

HNC*

FT

PT

Put down roots in this significant sector and develop your understanding of the characteristics, growth, and use of plants.

Study subjects including:

- + horticulture
- + plant protection
- + creation of gardens and green spaces
- + soil and plant nutrition
- + plant biology
- + planting design
- + organic production systems
- + and plants and habitats.

Enjoy visits from industry experts and learn from horticulture lecturers with real world experience, including specialists in conservation and the environment, as you cultivate the skills you need to succeed in this diverse field.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: C; A levels: D; NC in Horticulture (SCQF Level 5 or above) OR
- + SVQ 3 in a Horticultural related subject.

Category 2 PVG course: PVG Scheme membership is required for specific optional modules/unit(s), where there is guaranteed contact with vulnerable groups in optional module/unit(s), but an alternative pathway exists to achieve target qualification. For further information visit uhi.ac.uk/pvg

*This is part of the new NextGen: HN programme

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I love horticulture and wanted to study it further. I chose UHI as I could stay at home, and still study what I am interested in.

The mix of delivery styles allows teaching by experts across Scotland, so the best knowledge is passed on. I was really happy with the practical teaching, something employers really want to see.

The class gathering weekly allows us to enjoy the social aspects of education as well.

Gallia Cochrane, HNC Horticulture







Hospitality and Tourism

Cooking

Whisky

Events

Baking

**Front of
house**

Hospitality

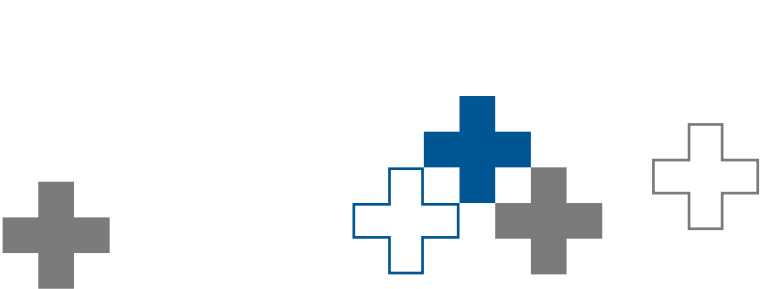
Food

Drinks

**Travel
and tourism**

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
NPA Bakery	Part time	36 weeks	September or January
NC Hospitality Operations (SCQF Levels 5 and 6)	Full time	1 year	August
Hospitality Short Courses	Part time	Various	Various



Careers

- Chef
 Chef de Partie
 Kitchen Assistant
 Bartender
 Customer Service
- Commis Chef
 Waiter
 Restaurant Manager
 Mixologist
 Visitor Centre/Attractions

NPA Bakery

SCQF Level 4

PT

With growing demand for quality and varieties of breads and flour confectionery made by traditional methods there has never been a better time to boost your craft baking skills.

This NPA Bakery has been designed to equip you with the skills, experience and knowledge to produce your own in-house speciality breads and pastries whether you are a home baker or looking to get into the baking industry.

Entry requirements

- + There are no formal entry requirements.

NC Hospitality Operations

SCQF Levels 5, 6

FT

These courses will provide you with an overview of the hospitality industry with a focus on key skills common to all customer-facing roles.

You will:

- + learn soft and transferable skills
- + develop technical specialism in front of house and kitchen activities
- + develop knowledge and understanding of the size and scope of the hospitality industry
- + deepen your knowledge and skills of the hospitality industry
- + develop technical specialism in front of house and events

whilst being provided a platform to either progress to further study or pursue employment opportunities.

Entry requirements

Entry to SCQF Level 5

- + Four National 4s (including English) OR
- + NPA in Professional Cookery OR
- + relevant SVQ at SCQF Level 4 OR
- + relevant industry experience.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above but have the skills to meet the academic demands of the course.

Hospitality Short Courses

All of our hospitality courses have both theory and practical elements, ideal for individuals looking to upskill, enter the industry or gain confidence in the kitchen.

	Course Level	Duration	Start Date
REHIS Food Hygiene	Elementary	6 hours (1 day)	Various
REHIS Food Hygiene	Intermediate	24 hours	Various
Whisky Course	College Certificate	20 hours	Various
Cooking with Confidence	SCQF Level 4	8 weeks	Various





Integrative Healthcare

Massage

Physiology

**Sports
therapy**

Reflexology

**Complementary
therapies**

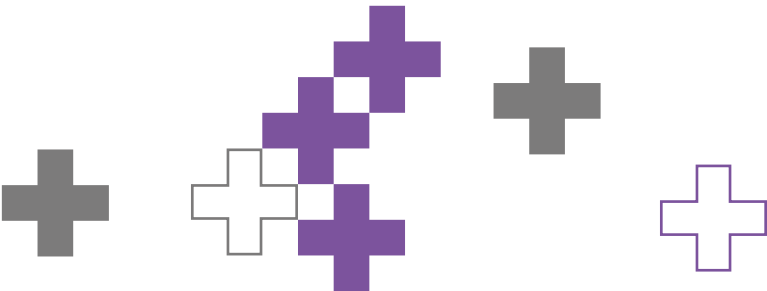
Health

Well-being

Aromatherapy

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
Essential Massage Skills: Integrative Healthcare, Soft Tissue and Sports Therapy	Full time	18 weeks	January
Access to Integrative Healthcare & Sports Therapy	Full time	1 year 5 months	August January
BSc (Hons) Integrative Healthcare	Full time Part time	4 years 8 years	September



Careers

Spa Practitioner
 Salon Manager
 Hospice Care

Sports Therapist
 Aromatherapist
 Self-employment



Essential Massage Skills: Integrative Healthcare, Soft Tissue and Sports Therapy

SCQF Level 5/6

FT

This 18-week course is designed to equip you with the knowledge and skills required for progression to further and higher academic qualifications in:

- + Integrative Healthcare
- + Complementary Therapies
- + Soft Tissue Therapy
- + Sport Therapy

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s OR
- + a SCQF Level 4 or 5 course or equivalent.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

Access to Integrative Healthcare & Sports Therapy

SCQF Level 6

FT

This Access to Integrative Healthcare and Sports Therapy course develops the skills required to progress into Higher Education where you can gain the qualifications needed for professional membership and insurance for practice, and to support people with complex health needs in the areas of:

- + Complementary Therapies
- + Integrative Healthcare
- + Sports Therapy
- + Soft Tissue Therapy

Entry requirements

- + Three National 4s OR
- + a SCQF Level 4/5 course.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

You must accept the requirements of presentation, professionalism, data protection, health & safety and the integrative perspective of complementary and alternative medicine in healthcare and sports therapy.

The ability to communicate with people is also essential.

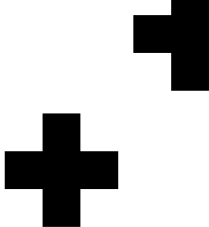
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The course has enabled me to draw relations between my previous knowledge of healthcare as well as to focus on areas of interest. It allows me to carry out in-depth research on topics that are very relevant in healthcare today.

In addition, the practical skills of the therapies supports many people around me in their physical and mental health as well as it gives me treatment options to offer with my own business. The theoretical knowledge ties in nicely with the practical therapies we have learned.



Nadja-Maurina Korner, BSc (Hons) Integrative Healthcare



Integrative Healthcare

Are you interested in exploring holistic approaches to get to the root of illnesses? Do you recognise the benefit of combining traditional healthcare approaches with less conventional, healing-focused remedies such as complementary therapies?

Join the only course of its kind in Scotland, developed in consultation with industry to closely reflect the changing requirements of the healthcare sector in the UK and abroad. Gain in-depth knowledge and experience of research, healthcare, and complementary therapies, develop your clinical skills and undertake treatments in evidence-based therapy clinics, and enhance your problem-solving, critical thinking, and analytical skills. Explore the diverse and complex perspectives of health, particularly social policy, ethics, the law, politics, physiology, and sociology, and acquire the understanding and competence needed to be successful in this emerging and extensive field.

Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1 CertHE	Highers: CCC; preferably in Biology, Chemistry, or English, at grade C or above A levels: CC; preferably in Biology, Chemistry, or English, at grade C or above Alternatively, a relevant Scottish Wider Access Programme (SWAP); NC Wellness Therapies; SVQ Beauty Therapy level 3; City and Guilds Complementary Therapies level 3; Essential Massage Skills (Integrative Healthcare, Soft Tissue and Sports Therapy); an SVQ/NVQ level 3; or other relevant SCQF Levels 5/6 qualifications will be considered: see website for details		
Year 2 DipHE	Advanced entry may be possible with: HNC Complementary Therapies; HNC Beauty Therapy; HNC Soft Tissue Therapy; or other relevant SCQF Level 7 qualifications: see website for details		
Year 3 BSc	Advanced entry may be possible with HND Complementary Therapies; HND Beauty Therapy; HND Sports Therapy; or other relevant SCQF Level 8 qualifications: see website for details		
Year 4 BSc (Hons)			

You may be required to attend an interview

Study method	Features
<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Face-to-face tutorials.+ Practical sessions.+ Online study.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Learn clinical skills and undertake treatments in evidence-based therapy clinics.+ Choose options of particular interest to you.+ Fully online study in years 3 and 4 will allow you to work around personal and work commitments.+ Critical awareness of current issues and developments in complementary therapies form part of the programme.



Science and the Environment

Genomics **Chemistry** **Cells**
Health
Biology **Anatomy** **Research**
Brewing **Environment**

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
National 5 Biology, Chemistry and Environmental Science	Part time Online	1 year	August
Higher Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science and Human Biology	Part time Online	1 year	September
NQ Environmental Science and Sustainability	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	August
HNC Applied Sciences	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	September



Careers

Scientist

Food and Drink Manufacturing

Health Care

Environmental Protection

Research Assistant

Teaching

Biotechnologies

National 5 Biology

SCQF Level 5

PT

ON

Providing you with a good foundation for progression to Higher Biology or Higher Human Biology, this course will:

- + help you understand how the world around you functions
- + cover major areas of biology ranging from cellular to whole organism and includes the study of ecosystems
- + develop scientific inquiry and investigation skills by investigating the applications of biology
- + cover the key areas of biodiversity and interdependence along with the processes leading to evolution as well as food security and ethical issues.

The skills developed throughout the course will enable you to become scientifically literate citizens and be able to review the science-based claims you meet.

Entry requirements

- + There are no formal entry requirements however a National 4 in a science subject may be beneficial.

National 5 Chemistry

SCQF Level 5

PT

ON

Chemists play a vital role in the production of everyday commodities. Chemical research and development are essential for the introduction of new products. The study of chemistry is of benefit not only to those intending to pursue a career in science, but also to those intending to work in areas such as the food, health, textile or manufacturing industries.

This National 5 Chemistry course will:

- + provide you with a good foundation for progression to any science Higher
- + help you understand how the world around you works
- + use an experimental and investigative approach to develop knowledge and understanding of chemical concepts and problem solving skills.

Entry requirements

- + There are no formal entry requirements.

National 5 Environmental Science

SCQF Level 5

PT

ON

Providing a broad and up-to-date selection of ideas relevant to the role of environmental science in society, this National 5 Environmental Science course develops a scientific understanding of environmental issues.

Throughout this online course you will:

- + investigate key areas of the living environment such as biodiversity and interdependence
- + investigate access to and use of resources associated with the atmosphere, hydrosphere, geosphere and biosphere
- + explore sustainability and sustainable development through food, water and energy security.

Studying this course will provide you with a good foundation for progression to any science Higher which is a requirement for many university courses.

Entry requirements

- + There are no formal entry requirements.

Higher Biology

SCQF Level 6

PT

ON

This online course will help you gain an understanding of how the world around you works, whilst also studying major scientific advances such as genomics.

You will develop and apply knowledge and understanding of biology, particularly an understanding of DNA and how the structure of the genome leads to the basis of evolution and biodiversity.

The interdependence and complex interactions between organisms is explored and sustainable food production, with the fundamental process of photosynthesis at its core, is investigated.

Entry requirements

- + One National 5 OR
- + Practical Science at SCQF Level 5.

Applications are encouraged from mature students who do not possess formal qualifications but have skills to meet the academic demand of the course.

Higher Chemistry

SCQF Level 6

PT

ON

The study of chemistry is of benefit not only to those intending to pursue a career in science, but also to those intending to work in areas such as the food, health or manufacturing industries.

This online course will allow you to develop a deeper understanding of the central concepts of chemistry.

An experimental and investigative approach is used to develop problem solving skills, and knowledge and understanding of chemical concepts, with knowledge of chemical apparatus and techniques being a key course component.

Entry requirements

+ National 5 in Chemistry.

Applications are encouraged from mature students who do not possess formal qualifications but have skills to meet the academic demand of the course.

Higher Environmental Science

SCQF Level 6

PT

ON

Environmental Scientists are involved in tackling issues such as global climate change, pollution, use of land and water resources, and changes in wildlife habitats.

This online course looks at interactions between humans and the environment, incorporating a mix of geography, geology, history, modern studies, and biology.

Through experiential and scientific awareness of environmental issues it provides opportunities for you to evaluate environmental and scientific issues, to consider risk, and to make informed decisions. This can lead to the development of an informed and ethical view of topical issues.

Entry requirements

+ One National 5 OR

+ Practical Science at SCQF Level 5.

Applications are encouraged from mature students who do not possess formal qualifications but have skills to meet the academic demand of the course.

Higher Human Biology

SCQF Level 6

PT

ON

Higher Human Biology is an excellent course if you are interested in accessing HNC's and degree courses in Science or Nursing and are interested in the human body.

You will learn about

- + cellular processes
- + reproduction
- + cardiovascular structure
- + function and diseases
- + neurobiology
- + immunology.

Entry requirements

- + One National 5.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

Please include in the personal statement of your application if you would like to study the face-to-face or online delivery option.



NQ Environmental Science and Sustainability

SCQF Level 6

FT

PT

This hands-on course will develop your practical investigative and experimental skills across a range of topics in Horticulture and Science.

You will develop:

- + a scientific understanding of environmental issues and will have the opportunity to investigate key areas of the living environment
- + key employability skills in the conservation, sustainability, science, and land-based industries
- + problem solving skills in an environmental context both through team working and independent working.

Entry requirements

- + Four National 5s at BBDD or above OR
- + a relevant SCQF Level 5 course or equivalent.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

Applied Sciences

HNC

FT

PT

Join this engaging, hands-on course to gain a wide-ranging introduction to advanced level science. Study a variety of topics such as cell biology, chemistry, ecology, maths, and physics for life science, and acquire a range of practical skills and experience in science disciplines to prepare you for employment or further study.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: C; A levels: D; in a science subject, preferably Biology, Chemistry, or Physics; plus National 5 Chemistry or Biology, or equivalent OR
- + NC or NQ in a science related subject OR
- + Foundation Apprenticeship Food and Drink Technologies, plus a Higher Science OR
- + Foundation Apprenticeship Scientific Technologies (Laboratory Skills), plus National 5 Chemistry or Biology; or equivalent, plus interview.



My studies in HNC Applied Sciences not only equipped me with theoretical knowledge but also provided invaluable practical experience in the science industries, ecosystem development, and conservation.

A standout moment was the industrial visit to the beer industry, where I had the opportunity to directly apply my theoretical knowledge of traditional biotechnology applications, such as fermentation, in real-world settings.

This hands-on experience not only deepened my understanding but also instilled a sense of confidence in my abilities to apply theoretical concepts in practical scenarios.

Furthermore, I gained practical skills in experiments relating to crucial aspects of chemistry and microbiology relevant to science industries.

Peter Ezekoka, HNC Applied Sciences







Social Sciences

Politics

**Culture
and heritage**

Criminology

Society

Psychology

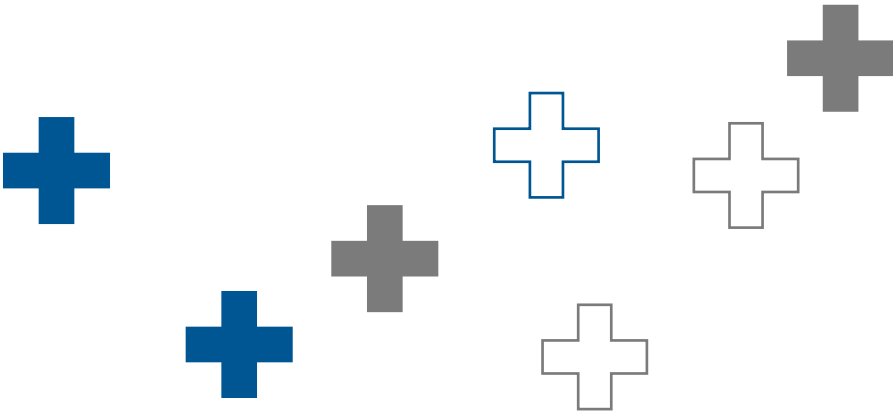
**History and
archaeology**

Humanities

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
NC Social Sciences (SCQF Levels 5 and 6)	Full time Part time*	1 year 2 years	August
HNC Social Sciences	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	September
Honours Degrees	Full time Part time	4 years 8 years	September
PDAs in Sociology, Politics and Psychology	Part time	17 weeks	January

*NC Social Sciences (SCQF Level 6) only



Careers

Criminal Justice
Journalism
Teaching
Public Relations

Human Resources
Politics
Social Work

NC Social Sciences

SCQF Levels 5, 6

FT

PT*

These courses provide a foundational understanding of what society and social behaviour are all about and the opportunity to examine your own life and lives of others in your local area, Scotland, the UK and across the world.

You will look in detail at the reasons why people do what they do and will explore the personal, social, political and historical reasons for different behaviours. You will be encouraged to expand your mind and see a much bigger picture of society.

Entry requirements

Entry to SCQF Level 5

- + Three National 4s (including English/ESOL and a social subject).
- + The course includes a mathematical element so National 4 Numeracy or Application of Maths is recommended OR
- + a SCQF Level 4 course.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

*NC Social Sciences (SCQF Level 6) only

Social Sciences

HNC

FT

PT

Find answers to the bigger questions in society as you take your first steps into a career in social sciences. Explore key areas such as politics, sociology, criminology, history, and psychology on a course that has been designed to help you understand the world around you and recognise what part you play in creating changes. Develop your research, critical thinking, and complex problem-solving skills by looking for creative solutions to social, political, and psychological problems. Enjoy visits from a series of guest lecturers and related industry professionals to enrich your learning.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: C; A levels: D; preferably English or another social subject such as History, Politics, Modern Studies, Geography, Sociology, or Psychology OR
- + NC or access course in a related subject.

Category 2 PVG course: PVG Scheme membership is required for specific optional modules/unit(s), where there is guaranteed contact with vulnerable groups in optional module/unit(s), but an alternative pathway exists to achieve target qualification. For further information visit uhi.ac.uk/pvg



If I am honest at the beginning of the course I was quite in my own head and shy however as the course developed and I began to make friends and learn about the social sciences I started realising how much the world had to offer and how interesting it could be.

UHI Moray gave me confidence to say what I thought about different topics and think about subjects. But it also enabled me to start enjoying life again.

Caitlin Thorpe, HNC Social Sciences



Social Sciences

Are you curious about the way society works and how people interact with one another?

Study society, its people, and its institutions, and gain insight into the everyday life of our communities and workplaces, on this multi-disciplinary course. Focus on sociology, politics, and psychology, with subjects such as ideas and ideologies, understanding the social world, sociological theory, beliefs, developmental disorders, work and society, abnormal psychology, and restorative justice. Acquire a strong grounding in research methods, which will stand you in good stead for your future career as well as your final year dissertation. Select other modules from our range of humanities subjects, including criminology, history, literature, philosophy, and theology, and debate with fellow learners and subject specialists on many of the significant issues that affect our lives. Progress into postgraduate studies or pursue careers in a variety of fields, such as teaching, social work, the civil service, arts management, media, and political party administration.

Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1 CertHE	Highers: BBC A levels: BC At least two should be from the list of relevant academic subjects: see website for details Alternatively, a relevant Scottish Wider Access Programme (SWAP), or other relevant qualifications or experience, will be considered on an individual basis: see website for details		
Year 2 DipHE	Advanced entry may be possible with the HNC Social Sciences (12 SQA credits) with three additional SQA credits at level 7, and at least grade C in the Graded Unit		
Year 3 BAc			
Year 4 BA (Hons)			

PVG scheme membership is required to undertake specific optional modules: see website for details

Study method	Features
<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Hosted programme: You will be enrolled and supported at UHI Moray with online classes taught from across the UHI partnership.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Develop research and methodological skills, which you can take with you into your future career.+ Develop transferable skills in problem solving, group working, and communication, all of which are highly valued by employers.+ Specialise in particular disciplines as you progress through your studies.

For joint degree options see page 121

Archaeology

Are you fascinated by cultures of the past? Do you want to piece together the clues of their lives by examining the materials they left behind? With world-renowned archaeological heritage sites such as Skara Brae, Maeshowe, the Camster Cairns, and Mousa Broch, there's no better place to study archaeology than the Highlands and Islands of Scotland.

Join a degree that maintains close links to the distinctive cultural heritage of Scotland while also placing it within a much broader global context. Develop archaeological skills through hands-on experience and placements in areas including field (excavation and survey), environmental (zooarchaeology, archaeobotany and osteoarchaeology), digital (photogrammetry), and illustration. Receive research-led teaching from lecturers engaged in world-class research on projects from the Scottish Islands, the UK, and Ireland, to the Atlantic region and Polynesia, as you uncover the right career path for you.

Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1 CertHE	Highers: BBC A levels: BC At least two of the above should be from the list of relevant subjects: see website for details Alternatively, the satisfactory completion of our Archaeology and Local Studies access course, a relevant Scottish Wider Access Programme (SWAP), or other relevant qualifications or experience, will be considered on an individual basis: see website for details		
Year 2 DipHE	Advanced entry may be possible with the HNC Social Sciences (12 SQA credits) with three additional SQA credits at level 7, and at least grade C in the Graded Unit		
Year 3 BA			
Year 4 BA (Hons)			

Study method	Features
<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Hosted programme: You will be enrolled and supported at UHI Moray with online classes taught from across the UHI partnership.+ Practical field and project work.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Develop skills in surveying, fieldwork, and post-excavation practices.+ Put your skills into practice through archaeological placements.+ Choose from a range of many interdisciplinary subjects to suit your own interests and career path.+ Choose a single-honours or one of the many joint-honours courses available.

*subject to revalidation: see website for up-to-date details
For joint degree options see page 121

Archaeological Science

Are you interested in the scientific side of archaeology? Do you want to examine materials and structures of the past and use modern technologies to unlock the secrets contained within them?

Explore a variety of science-based methods that form an integral part of archaeological research, from archaeobotany to zooarchaeology, and study science-orientated modules such as biomolecular archaeology, Neolithic Scotland, historic landscapes, digital heritage, and many more. Draw on the enthusiasm and wisdom of our team of expert lecturers who are engaged in world-class research on projects from the Scottish Islands, the UK, and Ireland, to the Atlantic region and Polynesia, and build your own knowledge via archaeological excavations in world-renowned locations, plus laboratory-based study, field-schools, and active engagement in research. Use the plethora of transferable skills that you obtain on this comprehensive programme to take your next steps in this fascinating field.

Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1 CertHE	Highers: BBC A levels: BC These must include a science subject at grade C or above Alternatively, a relevant Scottish Wider Access Programme (SWAP), or other qualifications or experience, will be considered on an individual basis: see website for details		
Year 2 DipHE			
Year 3 BSc			
Year 4 BSc (Hons)			

Study method	Features
<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Hosted programme: You will be enrolled and supported at UHI Moray with online classes taught from across the UHI partnership.+ You will be required to attend 2 x two-week summer residential modules as part of this course: see website for details.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Develop practical environmental archaeology skills.+ Gain invaluable workplace experience and develop real-world skills for life after your degree.+ Study abroad in your third year in Canada or America.+ Take part and gain skills in excavation at one of our research excavations.

For joint degree options see page 121

Culture and Heritage

Are you interested in the rich cultural heritage of Scotland and what we've inherited as a society from past generations? Are you curious to learn about how the identity of the Highlands and Islands was formed, how history and decisions taken outside the region fashioned our character and landscapes, and how it all translates to life today?

Explore key cultural, historical, literary, linguistic, musical, and philosophical subjects from a Scottish and Highlands and Islands perspective, as well as within a global context. Examine a range of ideas, concepts, and themes, covering everything from art, film, and literature, to museums, Vikings, and plants. Take the opportunity to set your own research agenda, with freedom to choose the topics you'll study at all levels to make the most of the interdisciplinary nature of the programme. Take your valuable knowledge into a wide variety of careers from teaching, tourism, and libraries, to research, journalism, and community development.

Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1 CertHE	<p>Highers: BBC</p> <p>A levels: BC</p> <p>At least two should be from the list of relevant academic subjects: see website for details</p> <p>Alternatively, a relevant Scottish Wider Access Programme (SWAP), or other qualifications or experience, will be considered on an individual basis: see website for details</p>		
Year 2 DipHE	Advanced entry may be possible with the HNC Social Sciences (12 SCQF credits) with three additional SCQF credits at level 7, and at least grade C in the Graded Unit		
Year 3 BA			
Year 4 BA (Hons)			

Study method

- + Hosted programme: You will be enrolled and supported at UHI Moray with online classes taught from across the UHI partnership. Scheduled video conference lectures and tutorials.

Features

- + Gain a unique understanding of the communities of the Scottish Highlands and Islands – the customs, traditions, and values.
- + Choose from a range of many interdisciplinary subjects to suit your own interests and career path.
- + Choose a single-honours or one of the many joint-honours courses available.

For joint degree options see page 121

History

Do you have an insatiable curiosity about the voices and societies of the past? Do you enjoy connecting the dots between current events and the centuries of evolution that brought us to this point in time?

Investigate the cultural, political, social, and economic history of Britain, Europe, and the Atlantic World in this broad and engaging programme. Learn to question the source information you're presented with, and the voices they do and don't represent, as you explore periods in time from the medieval to the modern. Examine particular topics of history in-depth, guided by the specialties of our experienced team as you study specific places, periods and themes. Graduate with a BA (Hons) History or BA (Hons) Scottish History, according to the specialism you choose in your third and fourth years. Put your highly transferable skills to good use in postgraduate studies or careers across a variety of sectors, from museums, galleries, heritage organisations, and tourism, to teaching, research, libraries, marketing, and media.

Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1 CertHE	Highers: BBC A levels: BC At least two should be from the list of relevant academic subjects: see website for details Alternatively, other humanities or Scottish Wider Access Programmes (SWAP), or other qualifications or experience, will be considered on an individual basis: see website for details		
Year 2 DipHE	Advanced entry may be possible with the HNC Social Sciences (12 SCQF credits) with three additional SCQF credits at level 7, and at least grade C in the Graded Unit		
Year 3 BA			
Year 4 BA (Hons)			

Study method

- + Hosted programme: You will be enrolled and supported at UHI Moray with online classes taught from across the UHI partnership.

Features

- + Taught by lecturers engaged in cutting-edge research.
- + Volunteering opportunities at local museums and archives.
- + Occasional (voluntary) field trips will enhance your experience.
- + Attend regular talks hosted by our Centre for History.
- + Opportunities to hear from guest speakers.

For joint degree options see page 121

Philosophy

Is humanity headed in the right or wrong direction? What's the best way for a person to attain happiness? Are scientists the new priests of society? Is there a meaning to life and, if so, what is it?

Philosophy seeks to understand, and particularly to question, ideas concerning the nature of reality, value, and experience that play a pervasive role in understanding the world and ourselves. Analyse, evaluate, and debate these big questions in life and many more, as you explore views, ideas, theories, practices, and behaviours on this fascinating course. Study subjects such as ideas and ideologies in Politics, logic, anthropology, religion, and existential philosophy and literature, and develop core philosophical strengths as you learn to think well, spot errors in reasoning, analyse complex issues and arguments, build a strong case, and make your point with clarity and precision. With philosophy graduates found in almost every type of organisation in the public, private, and not-for-profit sectors, from arts-based areas like publishing, the media, journalism, advertising, and teaching, through to computing, IT, law, and recruitment, let your combination of skills provide a springboard into a myriad of postgraduate courses and careers, and contribute your answers to the many questions that society still asks.

Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1 CertHE	Highers: BBC A levels: BC At least two of the above should be from the list of relevant academic subjects: see website for details Applicants with other relevant qualifications or experience will be considered on an individual basis		
Year 2 DipHE	Advanced entry to year two: HNC Social Science (12 SQA credits) with 3 additional SQA credits at level 7 which is equivalent to 120 degree credit points, and at least grade C in the Graded Unit will be considered for direct entry to year two		
Year 3 BA			
Year 4 BA (Hons)			

Study method

- + Hosted programme: You will be enrolled and supported at UHI Moray with online classes taught from across the UHI partnership.

Features

- + Focus on problematic concepts such as existence, reason and truth; as well as politics, economics, religion, science, and ethics.
- + Discuss or present papers with fellow students and staff through regular philosophy reading groups.
- + Participate in organisations that actively focus on issues in society to put your views and beliefs into action.

For joint degree options see page 121

Philosophy, Politics and Economics

Study the three most significant realities impacting people’s lives, on this well-thought out multidisciplinary honours programme. Explore key themes within each field, developing your critical thinking and debating skills as you examine and discuss pertinent issues in life and society.

Philosophy: study problematic concepts, such as existence, reason, and truth, and examine and question ideas concerning the nature of reality, values, and experiences, that play a pervasive role in understanding the world and ourselves.

Politics: examine how politics shapes our lives and how it is organised differently around the world, and explore the various forms of governance operating in clans, modern governments, institutions, and sovereign states, at local and international levels.

Economics: learn about the behaviours and interactions of economic agents (individuals, households, and businesses) and markets, and how they are influenced by features such as inflation, economic growth and unemployment.

Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1 CertHE	Highers: BBC A levels: BC At least two should be from the list of relevant academic subjects: see website for details Alternatively, other humanities or Scottish Wider Access Programmes (SWAP), or other qualifications or experience, will be considered on an individual basis: see website for details		
Year 2 DipHE	Advanced entry may be possible with the HNC Social Sciences (12 SCQF credits) with three additional SCQF credits at level 7, and at least grade C in the Graded Unit		
Year 3 BA			
Year 4 BA (Hons)			

PVG scheme membership is required to undertake specific optional modules: see website for details

Study method

+ Hosted programme: You will be enrolled and supported at UHI Moray with online classes taught from across the UHI partnership.

Features

+ Study three influential disciplines in a regional, national, and international context.
+ You will gain skills that will enable you to pursue careers in various fields including economics, local and national government, civil and diplomatic services, teaching profession, journalism, or banking.

For joint degree options see page 121

Joint honours



- + Most of our humanities subjects can be studied as joint honours, as well as single honours degrees. The joint honours programmes give you the opportunity to combine two subjects which complement your interests or career goals.
- + You will usually concentrate on both subjects equally, therefore while your study of any subject will be more in depth in the single honours, you will have a wider range of skills to take into the workplace with a joint honours degree.
- + It may be possible to transfer between single and joint honours options, usually during your first or second year, however advice will be available throughout your studies from your personal academic tutor.
- + Hosted programmes: You will be enrolled and supported at UHI Moray with online classes taught from across the UHI partnership.

Culture and Heritage +

Criminology

Gaelic Studies

History

Literature

History +

Archaeology

Criminology

Philosophy +

History

Sociology

Politics +

Criminology

Sociology +

Criminology

Politics

PDA Sociology

SCQF Level 7

PT

Join our PDA in Sociology, with options to study either or both of our dedicated modules, and consider society, from its origin to its development, and how it's explained by competing perspectives. Develop your understanding, on academic and practical levels, of key social concepts such as socialisation and social order, as you learn to question and explore why society is organised in the ways that it is.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: C; A levels: D; preferably English or another social subject such as History, Politics, Modern Studies, Geography, Sociology, or Psychology OR
- + NC or access course in a related subject.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

PDA Politics

SCQF Level 7

PT

Join our PDA in Politics, with options to study either or both of our dedicated modules, and examine political structures within the UK, including Westminster and the Scottish Parliament, as well as looking at the work of pressure groups in our society.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: C; A levels: D; preferably English or another social subject such as History, Politics, Modern Studies, Geography, Sociology, or Psychology OR
- + NC or access course in a related subject.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

PDA Psychology

SCQF Level 7

PT

Join our PDA in Psychology, with options to study either or both of our dedicated modules, and explore the historical development of psychology since the 19th century, including the four major schools of thought that have influenced development, and the famous psychologists who have shaped this discipline.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: C; A levels: D; preferably English or another social subject such as History, Politics, Modern Studies, Geography, Sociology, or Psychology OR
- + NC or access course in a related subject.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.



Sport and Fitness

Sport **Training**
Competition
Health **Fitness**
Physical activity
Well-being **Injury prevention** **Exercise**

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
Sport and Fitness: Preparing for the Uniformed and Emergency Services	Full time	1 year	August
Sport and Fitness	Full time	1 year	August
HNC Fitness, Health and Exercise	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	September
HNC Sports Coaching and Development	Full time Part time	1 year 2 years	September
BSc (Hons) Sport and Fitness	Full time Part time	4 years 8 years	September or January



Careers

Sports Development Officer

Lifeguard

Health and Well-being Officer

Physiotherapy Assistant

Training and Coaching

Active Schools Co-ordinator/Manager

Leisure Attendant

Sports Assistant

Teaching and education

Sport and Fitness: Preparing for the Uniformed and Emergency Services

SCQF Level 5

FT

Designed with employer engagement at the forefront, this course will prepare you for a career in the uniformed and emergency services and will ensure that you are given ample opportunity to learn from some of the services first hand.

You will learn in real time or simulated environments and participate in a residential trip which may be led by one of the services.

Through this course you will also develop the knowledge and skills required to progress on to our SCQF Level 6 Sport and Fitness course.

Entry requirements

+ Three National 4s (including PE).

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

Individuals who do not have a PE qualification will be invited to a practical interview.

Category 1 PVG course: PVG Scheme membership is required to successfully achieve target qualification, where there is guaranteed contact with vulnerable groups in key elements of the course. For further information visit uhi.ac.uk/pvg

Sport and Fitness

SCQF Level 6

FT

This course will provide you with a range of skills related to the areas of fitness and sport, providing an integrated programme of theory and practice to enable you to work effectively in a variety of sectors in the sports and fitness industry.

As part of this course, you will also work closely with local sport and fitness providers as well as local authorities to deliver sport and fitness sessions in the community.

Entry requirements

+ Two National 4s and two National 5s (including PE and English) at C or above OR

+ a relevant SCQF Level 5.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

If you do not have an appropriate PE qualification, you will be invited to attend a practical assessment.

Category 1 PVG course: PVG Scheme membership is required to successfully achieve target qualification, where there is guaranteed contact with vulnerable groups in key elements of the course. For further information visit uhi.ac.uk/pvg

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Enrolling in this course has given me a lot of knowledge and experience throughout the year. I have learned lots of different skills and built up on them during the year such as teamwork, communication and leadership skills all which play a massive part in the military.

We have gotten to visit the coastguard and learn all about their service. I even gained an opportunity to meet the duty practice manager from RAF Lossiemouth for a show around the medical facilities on base.



Misti Corbett, Sport and Fitness: Preparing for the Uniformed and Emergency Services

Fitness, Health and Exercise*

HNC

FT

PT

Gain an introduction to the fundamental principles of training and science, as well as the interdisciplinary nature of fitness and exercise, and learn how to involve individuals in their own fitness and health.

Study topics such as:

- + exercise and fitness
- + health and safety management
- + nutrition for fitness
- + health and exercise
- + first aid for sport and fitness
- + health screening.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: CC; A levels: DD; these should preferably include English plus a science subject or Mathematics OR,
- + a relevant NC/NQ at SCQF Level 6.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

Category 1 PVG course: PVG Scheme membership is required to successfully achieve target qualification, where there is guaranteed contact with vulnerable groups in key elements of the course. For further information visit uhi.ac.uk/pvg

*subject to revalidation

Sports Coaching and Development

HNC

FT

PT

Develop your understanding of the theoretical and practical issues that you'll face in a career in sports coaching for indoor or outdoor sports.

Study topics such as:

- + sports coaching and development
 - + coaching children
 - + human anatomy
 - + physiology
 - + biomechanics in sport
 - + strength and conditioning
 - + first aid
- and more.

Entry requirements

- + Highers: CC; A levels: DD; these should preferably include English, plus a science subject or Mathematics OR
- + relevant NC/NQ at SCQF Level 6.

Applications are encouraged from prospective students without the standard entry requirements as listed above.

Category 1 PVG course: PVG Scheme membership is required to successfully achieve target qualification, where there is guaranteed contact with vulnerable groups in key elements of the course. For further information visit uhi.ac.uk/pvg

Sport and Fitness

Stretch yourself and expand your opportunities, on this diverse activity and motivational training qualification.

Get to grips with the scientific knowledge and technical skills needed to succeed in this specialist field, and gain a solid foundation for a career in this varied industry, with a focus on applying your learning in practice. Take advantage of great volunteering opportunities to build strong vocational experiences, alongside an academic profile that will stand you in good stead with future employers. One of only two institutions in Scotland to be established as a Higher Education Associate Partner with CIMSPA, join this named Associated Course and enjoy the many benefits on offer as a result of our partnership.

Structure and entry		FT	PT
Year 1	Year 1 of this course is HNC Fitness, Health and Exercise OR HNC Sports Coaching and Development		
Year 2 DipHE	Advanced entry may be possible with an HNC Fitness, Health and Exercise or HNC Sports Coaching and Development, or equivalent		
Year 3 BSc	Advanced entry may be possible with an HND Fitness, Health and Exercise or HND Sports Coaching and Development, or equivalent		
Year 4 BSc (Hons)			

You must attend an interview. PVG scheme membership is required to undertake this course: see website for details

Study method

- + Face-to-face lectures.
- + Video-conference lectures.
- + Group work.
- + Practical sessions.
- + Online study.

Features

- + Opportunity to choose modules that will allow you to build a strong portfolio of personal interest areas.
- + Volunteering opportunities will provide vocational experiences to complement your academic profile.
- + Develop relevant job skills through practical application of skills which will enable you to put what you have learned into practice.

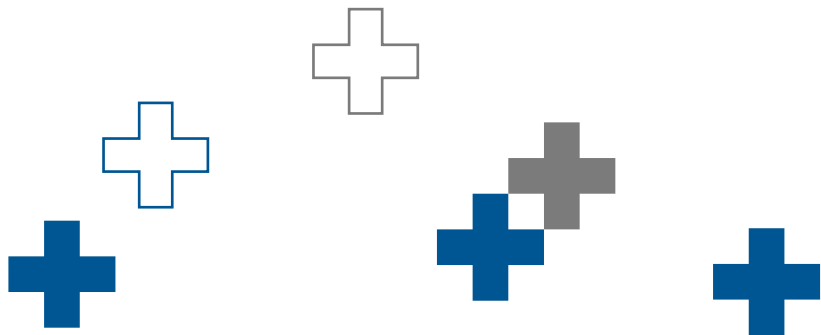




Supported Learning

Courses

	Mode	Duration	Start Date
SFL Day Link	Part time	1 year	September
Life Skills	Full time	1 year	September
Towards Independence	Full time	1 to 3 years	September
Preparing to Work	Full time	1 to 3 years	September



Independence

Skills for life

Creativity

Inclusive

Collaboration

**Social
skills**

Adaptive

SFL Day Link

College Certificate	PT
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Our Skills for Life (SFL) Day Link course is a 1 year part-time transition course. You will normally attend for 1 day per week during your final year at school as an introduction to college.

This course will allow you to transition from school to college in a supportive environment.

Entry requirements
+ There are no formal entry requirements.

Life Skills

SCQF Level 1	FT
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This full time course is aimed at young adults, allowing you to gain a College Certificate at SCQF Level 1 on successful completion.

You will study 3 days per week and a residential trip is also included as part of the course.

After completing your course, you may move into day service provision or supported employment.

Entry requirements
+ There are no formal entry requirements.

Towards Independence

SCQF Level 2	FT
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This full-time course will allow young adults to gain a College Certificate at SCQF Level 2 on successful completion.

You will study 3 days per week in a supportive environment and a residential trip is included as part of this course.

After this course there may be the opportunity of further study on another college course, or you may move onto day services or supported employment.

Entry requirements
+ There are no formal entry requirements.

Preparing to Work

SCQF Level 3/4

FT

This full-time course is ideal for young adults looking to learn skills to prepare you for work or further study. You will gain a College Certificate at SCQF Level 3 on successful completion.

You will study 3 days per week and go on a residential trip as part of the course.

After this course there may be the opportunity of further study on another college course, or you may move onto employment or supported employment.

Entry requirements

+ There are no formal entry requirements.





Senior Phase

Are you in S4, 5, 6?

Developed in partnership with Moray Council, local schools and business partners, our Senior Phase Programme gives you a chance to experience student life and discover exciting new subjects before you leave school.

- + You can study one day per week on campus while continuing with your normal school classes the rest of the time.
- + Choose to study a Skills for Work, National Progression Award, National 5 or Higher qualification in a wide range of subjects, or get a head start in higher education by studying HN or degree modules.
- + The Senior Phase Programme can also equip you with skills for work in a wide range of professions.
- + A Foundation Apprenticeship at SCQF Level 6 will give you skills and knowledge through work-based learning, as well as traditional study.
- + Whatever you choose to do at UHI Moray, studying with us will boost your CV and college or university application, giving you a real advantage when you apply for jobs or further study.
- + Transport is provided from many schools in the area.

If you are a pupil or parent and would like more information about the Senior Phase Programme contact:

Fiona Fraser
School Liaison
01343 576203
Schools.Moray@uhi.ac.uk

If you are a pupil, parent or employer and would like more information about Foundation Apprenticeships contact:

Jackie Andrews
Head of Academic Partnerships
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**You will find lots of useful
information on our website:
moray.uhi.ac.uk/schools**



Gas, Oil and Renewables

As a learning hub for the whole Moray community, we offer a wide range of courses to help local people and businesses attain their immediate goals, for work and for life.

Full details can be found at moray.uhi.ac.uk/short-courses

Electrical

18th Edition Wiring Regulations
LCL Awards Level 3 Award in the Requirements of Electrical Installations British Standards 7671: 2018

Renewables	Qualification
Solar Thermal QCF Level 3 Award in the Installation and Maintenance of Solar Thermal Hot Water System	600/7439/5
Air Source Heat Pumps QCF Level 3 Award in the Installation and Maintenance of Air Source Heat Pumps (non-refrigerant circuits)	601/2504/4
Air & Ground Source Heat Pumps QCF Level 3 Award in the Installation and Maintenance of Heat Pump Systems (non-refrigerant circuits)	600/7730/X
Biomass Wood Pellet QCF Level 3 Award in the Installation Commissioning and Maintenance of Wood Pellet Burning Appliances	601/2957/8
Energy Efficiency QCF	601/3942/0

Oil (OFTEC)	Qualification
Commissioning and Servicing Oil Fired PJ Boilers	OFTEC 101
Commissioning and Servicing of Vapourising Boilers	OFTEC 102
Installation of Oil Fired Boilers	OFTEC 105
Oil Storage Tank Installation	OFTEC 600
Commissioning and Servicing of Multi Stage PJ Oil Fired Boilers	OFTEC 201

Water

	Qualification
Hot Water Systems and Safety (Unvented)	HWSS
Water Byelaws	N/A

Domestic Gas

	Qualification
Core Domestic Gas Safety	CCN1
Install, Exchange, Disconnect, Service, Repair, Breakdown and Commission Domestic Gas Cookers	CKR1
Install, Exchange, Disconnect, Service, Repair, Breakdown and Commission Domestic Open, Balanced and Fan Assisted Flued Gas Fires and Wall Heaters	HTR1
Install, Exchange, Remove and Commission Domestic Gas Meters	MET1
Install, Exchange, Disconnect, Service, Repair, Breakdown and Commission Domestic Gas Fired Directed Air Heaters of rated input not exceeding 70kw	DAH1
Portable Electronic Combustion Analysers	CPA1
Install, Exchange, Disconnect, Service, Repair, Breakdown and Commission Domestic Gas Laundry Appliances	LAU1
Install, Exchange, Disconnect, Service, Repair, Breakdown and Commission Domestic Open, Balanced and Fan Assisted Central Heating Boilers and Water Heaters	CENWAT
Carbon Monoxide Atmospheric Testing (2 days)	CMDDA1

LPG

	Qualification
Core Domestic LPG Gas Safety	CCLP1
Changeover Core for Natural Gas to Domestic LPG	CONGLP1
Changeover Core for Natural Gas to Mobile Catering	CONGLP1CMC
Vessels 1 & 2 and Electrofusion (all taken together)	VESLP1 VESLP2 EFJLP1
Install, Exchange, Disconnect, Service, Repair, Breakdown and Commission of Closed Flue Fires	HTRLP2
Install, Exchange, Disconnect, Service, Repair, Breakdown and Commission of Caravan Gas Refrigerators	REFLP2

Commercial Gas

	Qualification
Commercial Core Natural Gas Safety	COCN1
Changeover from Domestic Gas to Commercial Gas	CODNCO1
Installation First Fix Commercial Pipework	ICPN1
Commission, Service, Repair and Breakdown of Commercial Indirect Fired Heating Appliances/Equipment	CIGA1
Commission, Service, Repair and Breakdown of Overhead Luminous Radiant Plaque and Radiant Tube Heaters	CORT1
Commission, Service, Repair and Breakdown of Commercial Direct Fired Heating Appliances	CDGA1
Testing and Purging Commercial Installation Pipework Ex 1m ³	TPCP1
Testing and Purging Commercial Installation Pipework Not Ex 1m ³	TPCP1A

Commercial Laundry

	Qualification
Changeover from Domestic Gas to Commercial Laundry	COCCLNG1
Install, Exchange, Disconnect, Service, Repair, Breakdown and Commission Commercial Laundry Appliances	CLE1

Commercial Catering

	Qualification
Core Commercial Catering Gas Safety	CCCN1
Changeover Domestic Natural Gas to Core Commercial Catering	CODC1
Install, Exchange, Disconnect, Service, Repair, Breakdown and Commission Commercial Catering Appliances 1	COMCAT1
Install, Exchange, Disconnect, Service, Repair, Breakdown and Commission Commercial Catering Appliances 3	COMCAT3
Install, Exchange, Disconnect, Service, Repair, Breakdown and Commission Commercial Catering Appliances 5	COMCAT5
Commercial Mobile Catering	CMC



Apprenticeships and SVQs

Apprenticeships and Scottish Vocational Qualifications combine work with study, so you can earn while you learn.

We offer a range of Apprenticeship frameworks tailored to fit different job roles.

- + The key element of a Modern Apprenticeship (MA) programme is work-based SVQs, combined with five core skills, some of which are embedded within the SVQ and do not have to be completed separately. Some frameworks also include day or block release on campus. SVQs can also be studied as stand-alone courses, outwith the MA programme.
- + Apprenticeships and SVQs are ideal for industry, as you are assessed on the job through on-site assessment. Depending on the framework, you may be funded by Skills Development Scotland or through the Student Awards Agency for Scotland, and in some instances your employer will pay, or you can study on a self-funded basis.
- + For more information visit moray.uhi.ac.uk/apprenticeships

	Course Level		Mode
Business and Administration	SCQF Level 5	MA	
Food and Drink Operations: Production and Processing Skills	SCQF Level 5	MA	
Hairdressing	SCQF Level 5	MA	SVQ
Horticulture	SCQF Level 5	MA	
Bricklaying	SCQF Level 6	MA	
Carpentry and Joinery	SCQF Level 6	MA	
Electrical Installation	SCQF Level 6	MA	
Plumbing	SCQF Level 6	MA	
Social Services and Healthcare	SCQF Level 6	MA	SVQ
Social Services - Children and Young People	SCQF Level 6		SVQ
Spirit Operations	SCQF Level 6	MA	
Engineering – Asset Lifecycle and Maintenance	SCQF Level 7	MA	
Engineering (Manufacturing and Fabrication)	SCQF Level 7	MA	
Healthcare Support - Clinical	SCQF Level 7	MA	SVQ
Heavy Vehicle Maintenance & Repair	SCQF Level 7	MA	
Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair	SCQF Level 7	MA	
Social Services and Healthcare	SCQF Level 7	MA	SVQ
Social Services - Children and Young People	SCQF Level 7		SVQ
Social Services and Healthcare	SCQF Level 9		SVQ



Assessor and Verifier Qualifications

These qualifications are relevant to you if you are involved in training, assessment, and verification.

Conduct the Assessment Process

SCQF Level 8

This Professional Development Award (PDA) is for assessors of non-workplace standards such as HNs or qualifications assessed during training courses or as part of off-the-job training, providing a benchmark standard for those who assess from a wide variety of different, non-workplace settings. For example, teachers or lecturers involved in the delivery of Skills for Work (SfW) courses or National Progression Awards (NPAs); training providers and Further Education (FE) centres offering Higher National (HN) qualifications and PDAs.

Conduct the Internal Verification Process

SCQF Level 8

This Professional Development Award (PDA) is relevant to teachers, lecturers and tutors who may have a role in quality assuring the delivery of a range of qualifications that are assessed in a non-workplace context and in ensuring consistency of assessment decisions made within their delivering centre.

Workplace Assessment Using Direct and Indirect Methods

SCQF Level 8

This Professional Development Award (PDA) will develop knowledge and skills in preparing for, planning and carrying out assessment of individuals in the workplace. Assessor-candidates will use the following direct methods - observation, examination of work products (both created and not created at the time of observation), and questioning. They may also be involved in authenticating indirect evidence such as discussion with candidates, testimony of others (witnesses), examination of candidate statements, assessment of candidates in simulated environments, recognition of prior learning (RPL), otherwise known as the accreditation of prior achievement (APA).

Internal Verification of Workplace Assessment

SCQF Level 8

The Professional Development Award (PDA) in Internal Verification of Workplace Assessment will develop knowledge and skills in monitoring assessment processes and decisions within an organisation and helping to maintain and improve the quality of workplace assessment. The internal quality assurance process being conducted by the verifier-candidate can be for SVQs, work-based qualifications or in-company standards.

Student Life

Student life is about more than just studying, and our campuses are lively hubs for the whole community.

Students and locals alike can drop-in to meet friends over coffee, enjoy a meal or attend a range of events. You can even get your hair done!



Life in Moray

If you're re-locating to study, you'll find a warm welcome in Moray. This is a friendly, supportive community, where newcomers from all parts of the world immediately feel at home.

We are based in the ancient cathedral city of Elgin, a vibrant town with fantastic sport and social facilities and great train and road links to Inverness, Aberdeen and beyond.

Away from Elgin, you can kayak, sail or dolphin-watch in the nearby Moray Firth or go inland and enjoy our world class whisky distilleries or year-round attractions of the Cairngorms National Park.

Moray also has a fascinating history and culture with forts and castles, atmospheric ruins and mysterious Pictish stones to discover. Did you know that Moray is linked with the story of Macbeth?

And if that's not enough... Spirit of Speyside Whisky Festival, Speyfest, Moray Blue Light Festival and more all take place within the region with some even taking place at our Moray Street campus.



Top 10 things to enjoy in Moray

Heritage attractions

From Knockando Wool Mill to Brodie Castle, or Sueno's Stone to Cullen Viaduct, you can step back in time with Moray's rich history



Moray Leisure and Sport Centres

Get your body moving with a choice of fitness classes, swimming, ice-skating and gym facilities



The world's only Malt Whisky Trail and half of Scotland's distilleries

Get a taste of world famous brands on one of many distillery tours



Entertainment

Immerse yourself in the latest films or enjoy a wide range of plays, concerts and exhibitions at one of our local event spaces



Cooper Park

Take in the scenery around the pond and enjoy our park activities including tennis courts and bowling greens





Local Football Clubs

Watch nail biting matches and support our local football teams including Elgin City Football Club



Golf Courses

Practice your swing with a game of golf at one of 18 courses, including the highest tee in Scotland



Spey Bay Dolphin Centre

Take a tour around the marine wildlife centre and see if you can spot the world's most northerly population of bottlenose dolphins



Moray coastal walks and beaches

Enjoy a leisurely stroll along one of the beautiful coastal trails and enjoy the 35 miles of golden sandy beaches



Cairngorms

Take up hillwalking or get an adrenaline rush in Scotland's natural playground



As a UHI Moray student you are automatically a member of the Highlands and Islands Students' Association (HISA), also known as Your Students' Association.


HISA have several roles, but improving your student experience is at the heart of everything they do.


They offer representation and advocacy for around 30,000 students across UHI. The team also organises a wide range of events and can help you to set up clubs and societies at your campus.

So if you need information or advice, have a great idea to share, or want to put your hand up to represent your peers, please get in touch!

 hisa.uhi.ac.uk

 hisa@uhi.ac.uk

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 [@YourSAatUHI](https://twitter.com/YourSAatUHI)

 [@YourSA_PerthMoray](https://www.instagram.com/YourSA_PerthMoray)

International students



If you would like to study in a country of outstanding natural beauty, safe and friendly communities buzzing with culture, social life and activities, then **the north of Scotland should be your first choice.**

Entry requirements and applications

We make offers of entry based on qualifications achieved worldwide. Admission to our courses depends on a proven level of competence in English. If English is not your first language you will be required to provide a recent secure English language test certificate. For degree study, you will need an IELTS score of 6.0, with no elements below 5.5, or equivalent. For HNC/D study, you will need an IELTS score of 5.5, with no element below 5.0, or equivalent.

Courses that are taught wholly online can only be studied from your home country. For any campus-based courses, international students will be required to hold a valid Student Route visa.

Support and advice

Our dedicated international team is here to help you select the right course, guide you through the application process and support you with information and advice on visas, accommodation, and other issues.

Accommodation is often a key consideration for overseas students. Some of our campuses have modern, purpose-built student accommodation. You will also have the options of self-catering accommodation or being placed with host families. Your chosen campus can assist with obtaining suitable accommodation.

Study abroad

If you are an international student enrolled at an institution overseas you may want to get a taste of studying abroad. A year or semester at UHI can be a great way of gaining first-hand experience of Scotland and its culture.

For more information on study abroad options contact: **international@uhi.ac.uk**

Fees and scholarships

Course fees at UHI are competitive and the north of Scotland is a cost-effective place to live in the UK. A range of scholarships are available for international students, please visit our website to find out more.



You will find lots of useful information on the international section of our website:

uhi.ac.uk/international

Or you can contact us at:
international@uhi.ac.uk



Clubs and Societies

At UHI Moray

Being a student isn't just about studying. It's also about meeting new people, experiencing new things and developing your confidence as an individual.

HISA and our Active Campus Co-ordinator support students to set up clubs and societies, these include:

- + Tartan Touch Rugby
- + Women's Football
- + Basketball
- + Volleyball
- + Moray Art and Design Society (MADS)

In Moray

Moray itself has an active community with a range of community groups and clubs including:

Indie Game Squad

Indie Game Squad allows designers, developers, and gaming enthusiasts of all skill levels to discuss their projects and ideas in the indie game world (or outside of it, they're not strict), to collaborate and help other game folk.

Moray Arts Development Engagement (M:ADE)

M:ADE aims to build, adapt and respond creatively with and for local people of Moray.

They are always open to collaboration with artists, community groups, education, organisations and businesses.

Theatre Groups

Moray is home to several performing arts groups including Elgin Amateur Dramatic Society, St Giles Theatre Company and Highland Youth Theatre.

Elgin Park Run

Elgin Park Run is a weekly 5k event for participants of all standards, which takes place every Saturday at 9:30am in Cooper Park.

They encourage people to run, jog, walk and volunteer together – this event is truly open to all and best of all it's FREE!



Moray Street Campus

Based next to the town centre in Elgin, our Moray Street campus is home to the majority of our students.

What's on Campus?

Social Spaces

Looking for somewhere to relax, socialise or simply study? Our social spaces include:

+ AyePod

Our main social space, the AyePod features plenty of seating, a pool table and vending machines.

+ The Quad

Perfect during the warmer weather and hidden in the middle of the campus, the Quad is the ideal spot to get some much-needed fresh air, explore the vegetable garden and relax.

+ AGBC Café

When not in use for conferences, the AGBC Café is a nice spot to eat lunch, meet friends and people watch right next to our main Reception.

+ Upper Reception

The perfect place to study and unwind, the upper reception social space on the first floor features comfy seats and plenty of desk space for laptops.

The Fitness Suite

We have our very own gym right here on campus used as a training facility by our sport and fitness students.

Our Fitness Suite also offers memberships to UHI Moray staff and students which includes a range of fitness classes that will take place in the Games Hall (term time only).

Our games hall for indoor sports and fitness classes, is open to the general public.

Salons and clinics

Our state-of-the-art training salons are the focus for our students in Hairdressing, Beauty Therapy and Complementary Therapies.

Open to the public they offer a range of treatments at educational-friendly prices.

- + Our Hairdressing salons have 'Wella Centre of Excellence' status.
- + Our Beauty Therapy salons are an Eve Taylor and Jane Iredale approved centre.
- + Our Complementary Therapies clinics offer treatments such as massage, aromatherapy, stone therapy and seated massage, and are the base for our one of a kind degree in Integrative Healthcare.

Everyone's welcome.

UHI Moray Nursery

If you need to fit study around childcare, our nursery can make all the difference.

Our fully qualified and registered staff take children between 6 weeks and 5 years, giving you the confidence and time to attend lectures and concentrate on your studies. We also offer places to the general public.

For more information visit:

moray.uhi.ac.uk/nursery



Moray School of Art



As one of Scotland's five major art schools, Moray School of Art (MSA) offers a vibrant home for art students, from entry level courses for those that seek to build a portfolio of work, through to those ready for degree level study.

Located at our Moray Street campus, you'll be taught by a highly experienced team of practising artists who will support you to explore and experiment with a range of media.

Our Fine Art degree offers access to your own studio space from year 2 onwards and our student to staff ratios are well beyond the average of that offered at other art schools. With

specialist facilities, you can be confident that this unique learning experience will have all the necessary resources at hand to allow you to develop your creative practice preparing you for life after study.

MSA Alumni are active across Moray, the Highlands and Islands, Aberdeenshire, the Central Belt and beyond. Past students contribute regularly to the local and national visual arts scene.

Alexander Graham Bell Centre for Digital Health

An innovative research, education and business hub, the Alexander Graham Bell Centre for Digital Health (AGBC) brings together expertise in digital healthcare across the region and the whole of Scotland.

The Centre contains a state-of-the-art conference facility, and we can offer a full package delivered by our dedicated events co-ordination team: moray.uhi.ac.uk/agbc



The Centre's teaching facilities and medical training rooms are operated by NHS Grampian for their staff. It's also home to a number of business start-ups working in digital health technologies and research.

Where to eat?

Beechtree Restaurant

Serving hot meals and snacks, as well as great coffee to staff, students and the general public, the restaurant acts as a showcase for our Hospitality and Tourism Academy (HATA) students.

The Little Lunchbox at the Refectory

Curly fries anyone? Located next to the AyePod, our Refectory is open daily offering a selection of hot and cold meals, drinks and tasty treats provided by local favourite The Little Lunchbox.

Linkwood Technology Centre

Located in New Elgin, our Linkwood campus is home to our engineering, construction and motor vehicle repair and maintenance provision.

What's on Campus?

Social Spaces

Whether you're looking for somewhere quiet to study or a place to chat with friends, we've got you covered:

+ Study Area

Our study area on the first floor features computers and plenty of desk space for laptops and textbooks.

+ The Refectory

You can enjoy a game of pool or relax with friends between classes at our on-site Refectory.

Workshops

Our facility includes a large, covered project area for all-weather building work as well as:

- + Mechanical Engineering workshop including lathes, milling, grinding, fabrication and welding machines
- + Motor vehicle repair workshop
- + Equipped brickwork, carpentry and joinery, plumbing and electrical workshops

Labs

Alongside our workshops, the campus also includes a number of computing suites and laboratories including:

- + An Engineering Mechanics/Materials laboratory featuring materials testing facilities
- + A CADD suite equipped with industry standard software and 3D printers for rapid prototyping
- + A dedicated pneumatic systems and control systems testing training laboratory



Gas, Oil and Renewables Assessment Centre

This facility offers training and assessment for industry in domestic and commercial gas fitting, LPG gas courses and OFTEC, as well as training in solar, biomass and heat pump technology, amongst other specialist skills.

Training and assessment can be tailored to suit the individual or company, and includes full time, part time and distance learning.

Where to eat?

The Little Lunchbox at the Refectory

Curly fries anyone? Like its Moray Street counterpart, this Refectory is open daily offering students a selection of hot and cold meals, drinks and tasty treats provided by local favourite The Little Lunchbox.

Biblical Garden

Our horticulture courses have a practical focus, with learning taking place at the Biblical Garden beside the iconic Elgin Cathedral.

As the first of its kind in Scotland, the Biblical Garden in Elgin was created for the people of Moray in 1996 and is described as a haven of peace that provides comfort, inspiration and education.

Our staff and students also support the Friends of the Biblical Garden who are a key partner in ensuring the garden stays open throughout the year. Their role also involves fundraising and planning events to attract visitors to the garden.

Where to eat?

With a picnic area and benches dotted throughout, the garden is the perfect place to enjoy a snack surrounded by nature. Tesco, Aldi and our town centre are all a short walk away.





Out of the Darkness Theatre Company

Our unique partnership sees Out of the Darkness Theatre Company (ODTC) deliver our performing and creative arts courses which prepare students for creative careers in their specific art forms or alternative employment within arts management, teaching and social professions. When you study a performing and creative arts course with us, you get to enjoy all our campus facilities with the expertise and support of ODTC.

Students benefit from real work experience opportunities throughout their studies. The annual Pantomime sees students plan, produce, and perform in their own musical theatre production. ODTC's strong industry links with organisations such as Findhorn Bay Arts and Frozen Charlotte allow students to practice their skills in various events and plays across Moray.

Where to eat?

ODTC is located within easy walking reach of our Moray Street campus. Local supermarkets such as ASDA, The Food Warehouse, Lidl, Tesco, Aldi and our town centre are all a short walk away.

Accommodation

We offer purpose-built student accommodation in Elgin featuring en-suite single bedrooms, with shared kitchens and living areas, or studios with in-room cooking facilities.



Weekly prices for 2024/25

Single £146.59

Studio £188.34

A short, pleasant walk from our Moray Street campus, it's managed by our dedicated in-house Student Accommodation team.

You can choose from a single en-suite bedroom with shared kitchen and living area, or a more self-contained unit with its own cooking facilities.

Rent includes heating and power, as well as Wi-Fi and secure bike parking. A laundry service is available, and there's a support system in place if you need help adapting to student life.

Students who have secured a conditional or unconditional offer are able to apply for a student accommodation place. Application does not guarantee a place in student accommodation: rooms will be allocated on a first come first served basis.

For further information and how to apply please visit: moray.uhi.ac.uk/accommodation



Student Support

Starting college or university can feel daunting, but we're here to try and help you settle in quickly.

We aim to create a positive and inclusive environment for all students at UHI Moray. We're proud of the support we offer to help students in their learning.

Student Services Centre

The Centre acts as a hub of student activity, and your first port of call for help with everything from registration to graduation and beyond. Within or through the Centre you can access a wide range of resources, including:

- + student support
- + library and learning resources
- + career support
- + study support
- + The Study Bar
- + mental health and well-being support

Services offered

Opening Times

Monday - Thursday, 8.45am - 4.30pm

Friday, 8.45am - 4pm

Last enquiries 15 minutes before closing.

Student Support

Our dedicated Student Services team provide personalised support for all applicants and will support you throughout your student journey.

Staff here can give you advice and guidance on courses, careers, accommodation and other issues.

Student Guidance

The Student Guidance team offers friendly, confidential support for everyday problems.

Here you'll find a safe place to discuss any troubles you may have, from academic challenges to personal issues, money problems and health worries.

LDWs and PATs

As a UHI Moray student, you will either be assigned a Learning Development Worker (LDW) or Personal Academic Tutor (PAT) depending on the level and duration of your course.

The LDW or PAT will ensure you have all the help and support you need to be successful in your studies.

They will be your first point of contact should you need any support, and if they can't help directly, they will ensure you have access to the right specialist support service within UHI.

Carers and care leavers

Carers and care leavers get tailored support before, during and after your studies.

Our Student Services team have experience of working with people from varied backgrounds, and we partner with external organisations and charities, including the Quarriers and Become, to offer help to carers, young people living in care and those leaving care.

For more information visit moray.uhi.ac.uk/support

Library and Study Spaces

Sited over two floors, the Student Services Centre is a great place to study and features study pods, group work areas, computer workstations and access to laptops with Wi-Fi.

Our library offers a huge range of books, journals, e-books and other media. Plus as a student, you can request books from other libraries within UHI's partnership through an inter-site loan system.

Study Support

We recognise that all our students benefit from some kind of support, and that different people need to be supported in different ways. Our Inclusive Learning Team aims to support you to achieve your qualifications.

Help available

The Study Bar

The Study Bar is an innovative resource available to all students at UHI Moray and is here to ensure that you make the most of your potential.

As the name suggests, this is the place to perfect your writing style or study strategy, with support from our friendly and helpful team offering a range of learning support services.

The Study Bar staff are available*:

- + Moray Street campus, Monday to Friday, 9am - 4pm
- + Linkwood Technology Centre, Tuesday and Thursday, 9am - 12pm

You can ask a question or book a session by emailing TheStudyBar.Moray@uhi.ac.uk

Alternative Assessment

If you need specific support in assessments and exams, such as scribes and interpreters, our Inclusive Learning Team can help you.

Help for students with disabilities

We're committed to helping all our students achieve their potential, including those with disabilities of all kinds.

If you feel you need additional support because of a disability, contact our Inclusive Learning Team to find out about the help we can help.

Loan Equipment

As a student you may be entitled to additional funding for equipment to help you study, and we can help with this.

We have a wide range of equipment including laptops, ergonomic mice and keyboards, Dictaphones and software which are all available through our equipment loan bank facility.

For more information visit moray.uhi.ac.uk/support

*subject to change

Mental Health and Well-Being

Adjusting to life as a student; dealing with coursework, exams and being away from home for the first time can be potentially stressful and may intensify any pre-existing conditions.

Being a student can also be very beneficial for your well-being; keeping you connected to your peers and friends, expanding your knowledge and opportunities and provides structure and routine to your days.

At UHI Moray we are aware of the stigma surrounding mental health and understand this can prevent a student from disclosing or engaging with additional support which is why we have a range of support available to you during your studies with us.

Support available

Counselling Service

Our Counselling Service offers you a professional and friendly place to go in order to discuss your problems further and receive support and assistance.

You can make an appointment with one of the Student Guidance team and, from here, you'll be put in touch with a counsellor for discrete and confidential advice.

NHS Healthpoint

The NHS Healthpoint is a free drop-in service available to all students and staff where you can get advice and support on a number of health concerns, such as contraception, mental health, support to stop smoking, long term conditions such as diabetes, and much more.

The service usually takes place:

- + Wednesdays, 8.30am - 4.30pm in the AGBC Community Hub at the Moray Street campus
- + Every first Wednesday of the month from 8.30am - 12.30pm at Linkwood Technology Centre

The Well-Being Bar

Our Well-Being Bar supports our student's mental health and well-being.

We run well-being sessions throughout the year and can refer you to our counselling service or other organisations such as the Moray Wellbeing Hub.

Other Support

As a UHI student, you will have access to a range of external services including:

- + 24/7 out of hours mental health support line via **Spectrum.Life**. All calls are answered by clinically trained counsellors or psychotherapists.
- + **Mikeysline Support** Drop-ins on campus. The Hive are here every Wednesday to listen and offer confidential, non-judgemental support.

Visit moray.uhi.ac.uk/mentalhealth for a full list of support.

Inclusive Campuses



HISA host the **Pride Student Network** which is open to all UHI LGBT+ students across our partnership. The network uses Discord as an online base, and allies are also welcome to join in order to better support their peers.

We have signed the Scottish **LGBTI+ Rainbow Mark** to show our commitment to ensuring our campuses are inclusive spaces for LGBT+ people

Gender-neutral toilet facilities on campus:

- + Moray Street Campus: within Moray School of Art beside the outer gallery/ room A10
- + Linkwood Technology Centre: non-gendered disabled toilets are available for non-binary, trans or genderfluid students, staff and visitors
- + Horticulture facility at Biblical Garden: all toilets are gender-neutral

We understand how important a welcoming environment is for academic and personal growth, and we strive to ensure that every student, regardless of their gender identity or sexual orientation, feels at home at UHI Moray.



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Our Active Campus Co-ordinator, Jack, runs **inclusive and accessible activities** on campus throughout the year. This has included Football vs Homophobia matches and a LGBT+ History Month sports day.

All UHI Moray staff are required to complete **equality and diversity training** with further training opportunities available twice a year at Staff Development Days.

We have a range of **general and specialist resources** designed to support LGBT+ students and staff.

Creating an inclusive environment is a collective effort. We encourage everyone to be active allies; this means educating yourself on LGBT+ issues, standing up against discrimination, and supporting your peers. **Together, we can make a difference and ensure that our campuses are a safe, welcoming, and inclusive space for everyone.**

Financing your studies

An education is a big investment, but one that will pay off in the future.



How much will it cost me?

As a student your main costs will be:

- + Tuition fees – the fees charged by us to teach you (see table opposite)
- + Living expenses – your accommodation, food, clothing etc

There may also be specific course-related costs; please check our website for further information.

How will I fund my course?

Depending on where you live and your personal circumstances you may be eligible for financial assistance in the form of loans, grants, and bursaries. You should look into student funding as soon as you apply, even if you have not yet been offered a place. A good place to start is the Student Information Scotland website which has comprehensive information on funding and can give information specific to your personal circumstances: studentinformation.gov.scot

For part-time study:

If you are planning to study part time you may be eligible for a range of finance options, including our part-time fee waiver or the SAAS fee grant - visit moray.uhi.ac.uk/fees

For full-time study:

If your home is in Scotland and you meet the eligibility criteria, your tuition fees are normally paid by either the Scottish Funding Council (SFC) or the Students Awards Agency for Scotland (SAAS) depending on your level of study. You can apply for a range of bursaries, discretionary funds and student loans to help you with your living expenses. For full details visit: moray.uhi.ac.uk/fees

If your home is in the rest of the UK (England, Wales or Northern Ireland) you can apply for loans and grants to cover your tuition fees and living costs through your regional student finance department.

- + Visit: gov.uk/student-finance for details on Student Finance England
- + Visit: studentfinancewales.co.uk if you live in Wales
- + Visit: studentfinancenir.co.uk if you live in Northern Ireland

Scholarships

There are a number of scholarships and bursaries available which can provide a helping hand to enable students to progress in their studies. Visit: uhi.ac.uk/scholarships

If you are an international student:

There may be funding opportunities available for you, visit: uhi.ac.uk/international

If you are an EU/EEA national:

Following the UK's departure from the European Union, EU/EEA and Swiss nationals, who do not have settled status in the UK, will require a Student Route visa to study here and will be considered as international for fees.

Eligible students studying for a degree, full-time, on-campus, will get an automatic scholarship for each year of study of £3k for a BA and £4k for a BSc, with the fourth (Honours) year free.

For students who require support:

If you have a particular need, such as a learning difficulty or disability, please speak to our Student Finance team about the financial and learning support available to you.

Rest of the UK (RUK) students (based on 2024/25 fees):

For students living in the rest of the UK (England, Wales, N. Ireland, Channel Islands, Isle of Man or a British overseas territory) studying full time:

- + Further education courses are charged at £1,008 per annum if studied full time, or £88 per single credit unit
- + Degree courses are charged at the per annum cost shown in the table below for a maximum of three consecutive years (fourth year free); **the maximum fee for a four year degree is £27,750**
- + All HNC and HND courses are charged at £7,110 per annum for full-time study. Degree courses comprised of an HN award as the first and/or second year will be charged at £7,110 for the HN portion then the relevant fee for the degree year (fourth year free for continuous study)
- + Part-time fees are pro-rata to full-time fees based on 120 SCQF credits per year
- + UHI offers bursaries for full-time study to students meeting the eligibility criteria.

To find out if you are eligible for an RUK bursary, visit our website: moray.uhi.ac.uk/fees

Course fees 2024/25*	Scotland	RUK	International (INT**)	RUK domiciled studying online	International studying online
Further Education Courses					
Full time	£1,008	£1,008	£6,960		
Part time - per single credit unit	£88	£88	£352		
Part time structured - per 6 credits	£528	£528	£2,112		
Higher Education Courses					
Full-time degree (6x20 credit modules per year)	£1,820				
BA, BA (Hons)		£9,250	£14,988	£6,120	£6,960
BSc, BEng, BSc (Hons), BEng (Hons)		£9,250	£15,996	£6,120	£7,692
Full-time HN	£1,285	£7,110	£8,775		
Part-time degree (per 20 credit module)	£305				
BA, BA (Hons)		£1,542	£2,498	£1,020	£1,160
BSc, BEng, BSc (Hons), BEng (Hons)		£1,542	£2,666	£1,020	£1,282
Part-time HN (per SQA credit)	£86	£474	£585		

*The fees for 2025/26 have not yet been confirmed. Please see our website for further details.

**Eligible EU/EEA and Swiss nationals will get an automatic fee scholarship (see opposite)

Careers and employability

At UHI we are not just concerned with helping you to achieve success in the academic world, but also in translating your academic achievement to success in the working world.

Over the course of our lives, we all make multiple career decisions. You will not leave university as the finished article so, in a world that changes constantly, we understand that you might be unclear about your future. However, we are here to support you throughout your studies and think about what the future might hold for you.

In order to do this we provide all students with a range of careers and employability services.



+ Advice and support services

Every campus has staff who can help you with careers and employability questions.

In addition, careers information, advice and guidance is available to all students through the Careers and Employability Centre using the **Handshake** careers platform. Our services are not only available to you while you are a student: as a graduate you will have access to our services for life, helping you to manage and navigate your post-university career.



I am a student



I am a graduate



I am an employer

Career development services offered by the centre include:

- one-to-one consultations with career advisers, either through telephone, email, or video conference
- a Job Shop including details of graduate jobs, internships, placements, and volunteering opportunities
- CV and application form feedback
- mock interviews (by telephone or video conference)
- workshops and seminars (offered online and face-to-face)
- careers and labour market information

Handshake

Your career starts here

**First class
career advice
and support
services**



**Access to place-
ment and work
experience op-
portunities**



**A course of academic learning
structured to enable you to devel-
op employability skills, alongside
academic expertise**



+ Working for you

The Careers and Employability Centre works with both national and local employers to promote our students and generate job vacancies for our graduates. Our strong employer links also allow us to provide advice and guidance services that are responsive to the labour market.

+ Work experience and placement opportunities

Depending on the course you choose, you may have access to a structured work placement as part of your studies. Alternatively, you may choose to apply for a placement or internship advertised by the Careers and Employability Centre, or you may wish to seek voluntary work or work experience. We can help you to identify the options that suit you.

+ Your course and skills for employment

Feedback from employers suggests that alongside evidence of study and work experience, certain skills are also required of graduates. Our courses are structured to enable you to develop these graduate attributes for employment, including communication, self-management, interpersonal skills, and social awareness.

+ A final comment

We encourage all our students to start thinking about their career and employability early in their course and to engage with the Careers and Employability Centre. By getting advice, obtaining information, gaining experience, and connecting with people, you increase the likelihood that you will end up somewhere you want to be (even if it's not the place you originally envisaged!).

Further information about all of our services
is available through our website: uhi.ac.uk/careers



Connections

At the heart of the Moray business community, we have many years' experience working with local businesses and employers to provide customised training programmes to help business growth and employee development.





Working with business and industry

We are committed to supporting businesses and individuals looking to update or develop their skills and knowledge. We can provide training solutions tailored to specific business needs across a range of sectors..

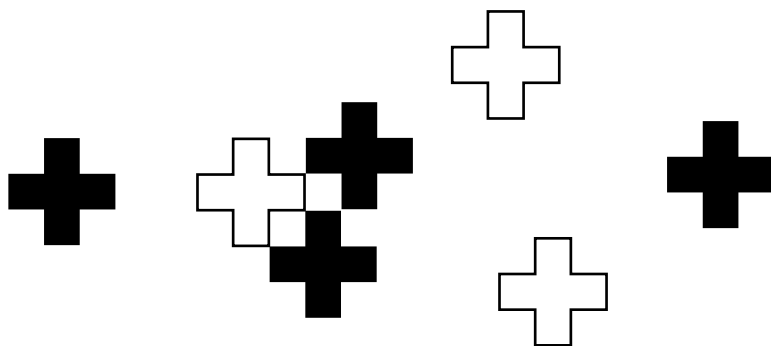
In addition, we have extensive experience working with partners and industry to support individuals who are unemployed and require support to find work, education or training.

Bespoke training

We offer bespoke and flexible CPD training on request from businesses.

We have developed tailored provision in a number of sector-based industries including:

- + joinery and plumbing
- + information technology
- + mental health for employees
- + business and management.



Whatever your training needs please contact us and we can discuss your individual requirements.

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Moray Pathways Employability Training

The UHI Moray employability team has a significant involvement in helping unemployed people to return to the world of work by linking individuals to employers, volunteering opportunities, and further education.

We are part of Moray Pathways, a single point of contact for individuals, businesses and organisations to find opportunities in education, training or employment.

The Moray Pathways partnership consists of several partners who provide barrier removal support and employability provision to the people of Moray.

Employers can also benefit from the programme by offering opportunities to individuals for volunteering and work placement.

We can provide one-to-one and group support in the following areas, or we can tailor support to match your skills and interests.

+ Employability tools:

- + CVs
- + cover letters
- + job application forms
- + interview preparation
- + employer engagement
- + industry visits

+ Soft skills:

- + build confidence
- + improve your communication
- + time management
- + problem solving
- + teamwork

+ Accredited qualifications:

- + First Aid
 - + CSCS Health and Safety
 - + Food Hygiene
 - + Working Safely
- and more

+ Sector based work academy

These short courses are delivered in partnership with employers in industries such as:

- + construction
- + manufacturing
- + hospitality
- + retail
- + childcare

+ Work placements:

- + help to match your skills and interests to the workplace allowing you to explore work and volunteering possibilities

+ Further or higher education courses within UHI

+ Helping find the right job for you!

For more information:

- + enable.org.uk/enable-work
- + moray.uhi.ac.uk/swap

To submit a referral:

- + swap.moray@enable.org.uk
- + speak to your work coach or keyworker





GLOSSARY

CPD	Continuing Professional Development
EVE	Evening study
FAQs	Frequently Asked Questions
FT	Full-time/full time - available to study on a full time basis
ON	Online study
PT	Part-time/part time - available to study on a part time basis, including evenings and day-release
SCQF	Scottish Credit and Qualifications Framework

Qualifications

CertHE	Certificate of Higher Education
DipHE	Diploma of Higher Education
FA	Foundation Apprenticeship
HNC	Higher National Certificate
HND	Higher National Diploma
NC	National Certificate
NextGen: HN	Next Generation Higher National qualifications
NPA	National Progression Award
NQ	National Qualification
NVQ	National Vocational Qualification
PDA	Professional Development Award
SVQ	Scottish Vocational Qualification

Degrees

BA	Bachelor of Arts
BEng	Bachelor of Engineering
BSc	Bachelor of Science
Hons	Degree with Honours, e.g. BSc (Hons)

Postgraduate

MA	Master of Arts
MBA	Master of Business Administration
MEd	Master of Education
MLitt	Master of Letters
MSc	Master of Science
MTh	Master of Theology
PGCert	Postgraduate Certificate
PGDE	Professional Graduate Diploma in Education

Awarding Bodies

COSCA	Confederation of Scottish Counselling Agencies (Counselling & Psychotherapy in Scotland)
FAIB	The First Aid Industry Body
OFTEC	Oil Firing Technical Association
REHIS	Royal Environment Health Institute of Scotland
SWAP	Scottish Wider Access Programme
UAL	University of the Arts London

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A							
Access to Integrative Healthcare & Sports Therapy [SCQF Level 6]	●●		101		✓		
Accounting* HNC/HND	●	▲	25	✓ ⁹	✓		
Accounting and Finance BA (Hons)	●	▲	24	✓			
Acting and Performance HNC	●		51		✓		
Administration NC [SCQF Level 5/6]	●		23	✓	✓		
Advanced Manufacturing PDA [SCQF Level 7]		▲▲	68		✓		
Advanced Nail Technology [SCQF Level 5]	●		79		✓		
Applications of Mathematics National 5		▲	73		✓		
Applied Sciences HNC	●	▲	111		✓		
Applied Software Development BSc (Hons)	●	▲	33	✓			
Archaeological Science BSc (Hons)	●	▲	116	✓			
Archaeology* BA (Hons)	●	▲	115	✓			
Art and Design Portfolio Building [SCQF Level 5]		▲	47		✓		
Assessor and Verifier Qualifications [SCQF Level 8]		▲▲▲	141	✓		✓	
B							
Bakery NPA [SCQF Level 4]		▲▲	97		✓		
Beauty and Aesthetic Therapies [SCQF Levels 5 and 6]	●	▲	80		✓		
Biology National 5		▲	107	✓			
Biology Higher		▲	108	✓			
Book-keeping PDA [SCQF Level 7]		▲▲	26		✓		
British Sign Language [SCQF Levels 3 - 6]		▲ ¹ ▲ ² ▲ ³ ▲ ⁴	17		✓		
Built Environment [SCQF Level 5]	●		39		✓		
Business HNC	●	▲	23	✓ ⁹	✓		
Business and Finance PDA [SCQF Level 7]		▲▲	26	✓ ⁹	✓		
Business and Management BA (Hons)	●	▲	25	✓			
Barbering - Creatively Cut and Shape Facial Hair HN Cluster [SCQF Level 7]		▲	78		✓		
C							
Carpentry and Joinery PDA [SCQF Level 7]		▲▲	40		✓		
Chemistry National 5		▲	107	✓			
Chemistry Higher		▲	107	✓			
Child and Youth Studies BA (Hons)	●	▲	58	✓			✓
Child and Youth Studies with Community Learning and Development BA (Hons)	●●	▲▲	59	✓			✓
Childhood Practice [SCQF Level 6]	●		55		✓		✓
Childhood Practice HNC	●	▲▲ ⁹	56	✓ ⁹	✓		✓
Childhood Practice BA (Hons)		▲▲	57	✓		✓	
Childhood Practice CPD Award [SCQF Level 9]		▲▲	60	✓			
Computing and Digital Media: Introduction [SCQF Level 5]	●	▲	31		✓		
Computing with Digital Media NC [SCQF Level 6]	●	▲	31		✓		
Computing* HNC	●	▲	31	✓ ⁹	✓		
Computer Science HND	●	▲	31	✓ ⁹	✓		
Computing BSc (Hons)	●	▲▲	34	✓ ⁹	✓		
Construction: Brickwork NPA [SCQF Level 5]	●		39		✓		

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Construction: Carpentry and Joinery NPA [SCQF Level 5]	●		39		✓		
Construction Management HNC		▲	40		✓		
Cooking with Confidence [SCQF Level 4]		▲	98		✓		
Counselling Skills - Introduction		▲▲	43		✓		
Counselling HNC/HND	●	● ⁵	44	✓	✓		✓
Counselling Skills COSCA [SCQF Level 8]		▲▲ ⁹	44	✓ ⁹	✓		
Creative Writing in the Highlands and Islands BA (Hons)	●	▲	52	✓			
Culture and Heritage BA (Hons)	●	▲	117	✓			
Culture, Heritage and Criminology BA (Hons)	●	▲	120	✓			
Culture, Heritage and History BA (Hons)	●	▲	121	✓			
Culture, Heritage and Literature BA (Hons)	●	▲	121	✓			
Culture, Heritage with Gaelic Studies BA (Hons)	●	▲	121	✓			
D							
Digital Design and Web Development HNC	●	▲▲	32	✓ ⁹	✓		
E							
Electronic Engineering NC [SCQF Level 5]	●	▲	66		✓		
Engineering: An Introduction [SCQF Level 4]	●		65		✓		
Engineering PDA [SCQF Level 7]		▲	68		✓		
Engineering Practice NC [SCQF Level 5]	●	▲	66		✓		
Engineering Systems NC [SCQF Level 6]	●	▲	67		✓		
Engineering Systems HNC	●	▲	67		✓		
English National 5		▲	74	✓	✓		
English Higher		▲	74	✓	✓		
English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) [SCQF Levels 1 - 6]		▲	70		✓		
English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) National 5		▲	70		✓		
English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) Higher		▲	70		✓		
Environmental Science National 5		▲	109	✓			
Environmental Science Higher		▲	110	✓			
Environmental Science and Sustainability NQ [SCQF Level 6]	●	▲	111		✓		
Essential Massage Skills: Integrative Healthcare, Soft Tissue and Sports Therapy [SCQF Levels 5 and 6]	●		101		✓		
F							
Financial Accounting PDA [SCQF Level 7]		▲▲	27	✓			
Fine Art BA (Hons)	●	▲	49	✓	✓		
First Aid Qualifications FAIB		▲	90		✓		
Fitness, Health and Exercise* HNC	●	▲	128		✓		✓
Forest Kindergarten CPD Award [SCQF Level 7]		▲▲▲	55	✓	✓	✓	
Foundation Hairdressing [SCQF Level 5]	●		77		✓		
G							
Gas, Oil and Renewables		▲	135		✓		
GlamourEyes HN Cluster [SCQF Level 7]		▲	81	✓	✓		

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H							
Hairdressing - Current Techniques [SCQF Level 6]	●	▲	77		✓		
Health and Social Care Essentials [SCQF Levels 5 and 6]	●		85	✓	✓	✓	✓
Health and Social Care [SCQF Level 6]	●		85		✓		
Health and Social Care Supervision PDA [SCQF Level 7]		▲ ▲	89	✓			
Health and Social Care: Administration of Medication PDA [SCQF Level 7]		▲ ▲ ▲	89	✓		✓	
Health & Social Care HN Cluster [SCQF Level 7]	● ●		86	✓	✓		
Health and Social Studies* BA (Hons)	●	▲ ▲	87	✓			
Healthcare Practice HNC	●		86	✓	✓		✓
History BA (Hons)	●	▲	118	✓			
History and Criminology BA (Hons)	●	▲	121	✓			✓
Horticulture (Practical) [SCQF Level 5]	●	▲	93		✓		
Horticulture HNC	●	▲	93	✓	✓		✓
Hospitality Operations NC [SCQF Levels 5 and 6]	●		97		✓		
Human Biology Higher		▲	108	✓	✓		
I							
Integrative Healthcare BSc (Hons)	●	▲	102	✓	✓		
Interactive Media BSc (Hons)	●	▲	35	✓	✓		
Introduction to Foundation Hairdressing [SCQF Level 4]	●		77		✓		
L							
Leading and Managing Care Services CPD Award [SCQF Level 9]		▲ ▲	89	✓			
Life Skills [SCQF Level 1]	●		131		✓		
Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles IMI Diploma [SCQF Level 5]	●		65		✓		
M							
Management Accounting PDA [SCQF Level 7]		▲ ▲	27		✓		
Maths National 5		▲	74	✓	✓		
Microblading Artistry [SCQF Level 5]	●		89		✓		
Modern Apprenticeships [SCQF Levels 5 - 9]		▲	139				✓
P							
Philosophy BA (Hons)	●	▲	119	✓			
Philosophy and History BA (Hons)	●	▲	121	✓			
Philosophy and Sociology BA (Hons)	●	▲	121	✓			✓
Philosophy, Politics and Economics BA (Hons)	●	▲	120	✓			✓
Playwork and Early Education and Childcare [SCQF Level 5]	●		55		✓		✓
Politics PDA		▲	122	✓			
Politics and Criminology BA (Hons)	●	▲	121	✓			✓
Preparing to Work [SCQF Level 3/4]	●		132		✓		
Psychology PDA		▲	122	✓			

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REHIS Food Hygiene Certificate <i>[Elementary and Intermediate]</i>		▲	98		✓		
Relationship Centred Counselling Skills HN Cluster <i>[SCQF Level 7]</i>		▲	43	✓	✓		
Responsible Leadership and Management for Contemporary Business CPD Award <i>[SCQF Level 8]</i>		▲▲▲	27	✓		✓	
S							
SFL Day Link		▲	131		✓		
Social Sciences <i>[SCQF Levels 5 and 6]</i>	●	▲ ⁴	113		✓		
Social Sciences HNC	●	▲	113		✓		✓
Social Sciences BA (Hons)	●●	▲▲	114	✓			✓
Social Services HNC	●	▲	87	✓ ⁹	✓		✓
Sociology PDA		▲	122	✓			
Sociology and Criminology BA (Hons)	●	▲	121	✓			✓
Sociology and Politics BA (Hons)	●	▲	121	✓			✓
Specialised Facial and Body Electrotherapy HN Cluster <i>[SCQF Level 7]</i>		▲▲	81	✓	✓		
Specialised Hair and Scalp Treatments HN Cluster <i>[SCQF Level 7]</i>		▲	79		✓		
Sport and Fitness <i>[SCQF Level 6]</i>	●		125		✓		✓
Sport and Fitness BSc (Hons) <i>[years 2 - 4]</i>	●	▲▲	127	✓	✓		✓
Sport and Fitness: Preparing for the Uniformed and Emergency Services <i>[SCQF Level 5]</i>	●		125		✓		✓
Sports Coaching and Development HNC	●	▲	126		✓		✓
SVQs <i>[SCQF Levels 5 - 9]</i>		▲	139			✓	
SWAP Access to Nursing (1 or 2 years) <i>[SCQF Level 6]</i>	●		86		✓		✓ ⁶
T							
Teaching Qualifications <i>[SCQF Levels 7 - 11]</i>	● ⁷	▲ ⁸	61	✓		✓ ⁷	
Towards Independence <i>[SCQF Level 2]</i>	●		131		✓		
U							
UAL Level 2 Award and Diploma in Art and Design <i>[SCQF Level 5]</i>	●		49		✓		
UAL Level 3 Award and Diploma in Art and Design <i>[SCQF Level 6]</i>	●		49		✓		
UAL Level 3 Award and Diploma in Performing and Production Arts <i>[SCQF Level 6]</i>	●		51		✓		
W							
Whisky Course		▲	98	✓			

KEY

* Subject to revalidation/approval/change

¹ SCQF Level 3 only

² SCQF Level 4 only

³ SCQF Level 5 only

⁴ SCQF Level 6 only

⁵ HNC only

⁶ PVG required for 2 year option

⁷ PGDE only

⁸ Teaching Qualification Further Education only

⁹ Enrol with other UHI partner(s)

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