



**STOKE
ON TRENT
COLLEGE**



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NEW **LEVEL 3 ACADEMY** AT STOKE ON TRENT COLLEGE

YOUR FIRST CHOICE FOR FUTURE READY SKILLS

A range of qualifications available at
Level 3, equivalent to A Levels



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WHY CHOOSE LEVEL 3 AT STOKE ON TRENT COLLEGE?

Advanced Vocational & Technical
Study Programmes and T Levels





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Our NEW Level 3 Academy is designed to give you a range of additional specialist services and facilities to ensure you are best-placed to achieve your goals.

Our Level 3 courses ensure our learners are skills ready to progress in the future, whether that's progressing to a higher level 4/5 qualification at college, university, an Apprenticeship or employment, and are tailored around you and your career aspirations.

Level 3 qualifications are equivalent to A Levels and are designed to prepare you for a successful future in your chosen industry.

Designed by employers and sector leaders, they offer a combination of classroom study and work experience.

At Stoke on Trent College we offer a range of Level 3 qualifications, including T Levels, BTEC, UAL, and City & Guilds across all of our subject areas, so whatever your choice of career, we have the right course for you.



STUDENT SUCCESS

ANTONI

- Response Officer at Staffordshire Police Service
- Former Level 3 Public Services Student



NEW FOR 2025

Our NEW Level 3 Academy is specifically designed to offer you a comprehensive range of advanced services and state-of-the-art facilities. These resources have been carefully designed to provide tailored support, ensuring that you have everything you need to excel and reach your goals.

Whether you're aiming to progress to university or delve into the world of employment, our academy equips you with the tools, knowledge and environment necessary to achieve success. From expert-led teaching to cutting-edge technology, we are committed to helping you unlock your full potential.



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WE OFFER:

1 DEDICATED LEVEL 3 LEAD

Our dedicated Level 3 lead is responsible for overseeing and supporting students undertaking Level 3 qualifications. They are on hand to provide support to ensure you stay on track and can address any concerns or queries you may have every step of the way.

2 DEDICATED LEVEL 3 STUDY ZONE

Designated Level 3 study zones are available at both campuses to enable you to focus on your studies. These zones are equipped with resources including PC's and quiet spaces, providing an environment designed to foster the independent learning skills vital for your progression.

3 UNIVERSITY TALKS/VISITS

University talks and visits are designed to give you a real feel for university life. These sessions may include details about specific degree courses, life on campus, entry requirements, application processes and financial support. Visits to universities will enable you to explore campuses, meet current students and experience the university environment first hand, helping you choose the right course for you.

4 INDUSTRY GUEST SPEAKERS

Industry professionals from various sectors will be on hand to share their expertise and insights with you. These sessions provide valuable exposure to real-world careers, current industry trends and a whole host of practical advice. You will gain inspiration, networking opportunities and a deeper understanding of how your studies relate to your future career.



STUDENT SUCCESS

PARI

- UAL Level 3 Games Design and Programming
- Now studying Computer Science at Nottingham Trent University



STUDENT SUCCESS

LEWIS

- BTEC Level 3 Construction & The Built Environment
- Now undertaking a Degree Apprenticeship with AtkinsRéalis



STUDENT SUCCESS

IZZY

- BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Business/Level 3 Extended Certificate in Applied Law
- Now studying Policing and Criminal Investigation at University of Staffordshire



STUDENT SUCCESS

GULNAAR

- Level 3 Diploma in Health and Social Care
- Now studying Adult Nursing at University

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SUPPORT WITH PROGRESSION AND UCAS APPLICATIONS

Our dedicated careers service will help you to plan your next steps after college and will help you to apply to your chosen university. The team will provide support for writing personal statements and navigating the UCAS system, as well as offering guidance on exploring other progression routes such as Apprenticeships, employment or further vocational training.

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LEVEL 3 STUDY SKILLS WORKSHOPS

Designed to enhance essential skills, these workshops will cover topics such as effective revision techniques, time management, essay writing, critical thinking, research methods and exam preparation. These skills are crucial for success both on your Level 3 course at college and for further higher-level study.

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PROFESSIONAL SKILLS DEVELOPMENT SESSIONS

These sessions are designed to equip you with the soft skills that are highly valued in the workplace, for example communication skills, teamwork, problem-solving, leadership and networking. You will be prepared not only for academic success but also for a professional work environment, improving employability and boosting your future career prospects.

LEVEL 3
ACADEMY

8 ENHANCED ENRICHMENT PROGRAMME

Our award-winning student enrichment team are on hand to provide an enhanced range of activities designed to develop teamwork and leadership skills, providing valuable examples to include in your future applications, giving you a competitive edge. Participation in the Duke of Edinburgh (DofE) award is one such example, where you are able to engage in a range of physical activities, volunteering, and expeditions that build resilience, independence and a real sense of personal accomplishment.

9 OVERSEAS EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Our range of overseas educational experiences, such as Challenge South Africa, provides you with the opportunity to participate in international trips that focus on learning and developing a unique set of personal skills. These experiences are designed to expose you to different cultures, raising global awareness.

10 EMPLOYER MENTORS

A range of employer mentors from various industries will be on hand to provide advice and guidance throughout your course. These mentors will help you to understand the expectations of the working world, offer career advice and provide work experience opportunities - helping to bridge the gap between education and employment, giving you a head start on your career journey.

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GEORGE

- UAL Level 3 Diploma in Creative Media Production
- Now studying Digital Video Production with Marketing at Salford University



STUDENT SUCCESS

GYLLIAN

- BTEC Level 3 Applied Science
- Now studying Biomedical Science at University



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