WELCOME

Welcome to the first issue of ASPIRE Magazine, where we celebrate the inspiring journeys of our learners at Newham College London. Our goal is to inspire and motivate you to pursue your education and training goals, regardless of where you are starting from.

At Newham College, we offer a wide range of vocational qualifications and courses tailored to your needs. We understand that not everyone follows the traditional path of secondary school, university, and immediate employment. That is why we provide courses that can help you achieve your goals and succeed in your chosen career.

Our learners come from diverse backgrounds and face unique challenges. That is why we provide a range of support services, from workshops to one-to-one tutoring and counselling. We are committed to providing everything you need to achieve your goals.

Get inspired by success stories like Shirley, who defied expectations and became the oldest student in her class to complete the track engineering course. Or Jade, who recently graduated and is starting a bachelor's degree program at King's College London. And Darshan, who learned English with us and is now pursuing IT to become an information technology specialist.

This magazine is for you. It gives you an insight into the lives and ambitions of our students, staff, and alumni. The stories we share reflect the diversity of our college community and showcase the transformative power of education.

We hope that this magazine will be a source of inspiration and motivation for you on your own journey.

Best regards,

The ASPIRE Magazine team.





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DID YOU KNOW?

We are London's top-performing large* Further Education (FE) college for two consecutive years

(Source: National Achievement Rates Table – NARTS 2021-22) *institution with over 10,000 starts.

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Finishing school is both exciting and daunting, with important decisions to make about your future. If you're considering a vocational path, Newham College of Further Education is the perfect choice. Here's why:

WIDE RANGE OF VOCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

At Newham College, we understand that everyone has different educational needs. That's why we offer a diverse range of vocational qualifications, from construction and engineering to health and social care and digital technologies. Our courses prepare you for your desired career.

T-LEVELS FOR PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE

Our newly launched T-Levels combine classroom learning with practical experience, equivalent to three A-levels. These courses provide the skills and knowledge sought by employers, increasing your chances of finding work or pursuing higher education.

YOUR DECISION FOR A BRIGHTER FUTURE

Choosing Newham College means more than just getting a qualification. It means making the right decision for a brighter future. Our courses are designed to prepare you for the world of work and give you the skills needed for success in your chosen career.

A SUPPORTIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

We believe that a supportive learning environment is crucial to your success. Our experienced teachers and support staff are dedicated to helping you achieve your goals. We offer study skills workshops, one-to-one tutoring, counselling services, and a range of facilities including a well-equipped library, IT suites, and industry-standard workshops and studios.

We are the only FE college in London to be accredited as a Maths Centre for Excellence



NOW FOR TOMORROW:



CHOOSE NEWHAM COLLEGE



At Newham College, we believe that education is for everyone, regardless of their background or previous educational experiences. We are proud to offer a wide range of vocational qualifications and courses tailored to the needs of our learners. Through our supportive and inclusive learning environment, we help our students achieve their goals and reach their full potential. Here are some of the success stories of our young learners:

VICTOR AND FLORIN

T-LEVEL DIGITAL PATHWAY

Victor and Florin joined our T-Level Digital Pathway course with a passion for technology and a desire to pursue a career in the tech industry. Through their hard work and dedication, they excelled in their studies and gained valuable experience through work placements with leading tech companies. They are now preparing for their transition to university: Victor will study computer science at Greenwich University, while Florin will pursue a similar course of study at Westminster.



A BEAUTIFUL GESTURE

Newham College's hair, beauty, and fashion students joined Cancer Survivors Day at Guy's Cancer Centre in London. The event showcased a heartwarming fashion show featuring individuals who have triumphed over cancer or are currently undergoing treatment. Prior to the show, our talented students provided haircuts, makeovers, and custom-made garments, ensuring that all participants were runway ready. The dedication of the students and staff who participated, as well as their support for those on the road to recovery, has brought hope to many.

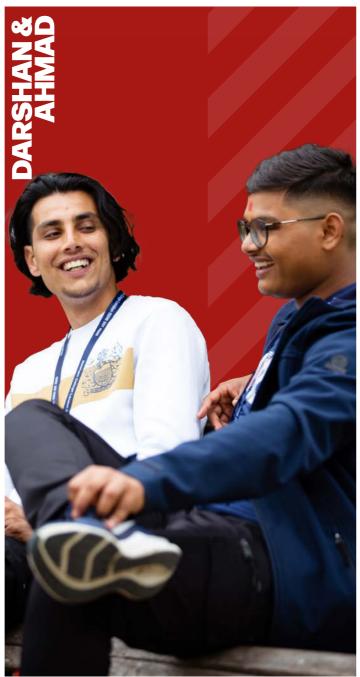
They brought smiles, confidence, and memorable moments to all who took part in the event. Bravo!



YOUSELINE'S FUTURE PLANS

Youseline joined our Bio-medical Sciences course with a goal of pursuing a career in healthcare. Through her hard work and dedication, she has gained valuable experience through work placements and is now considering taking a year off to gain additional paid and voluntary work experience before pursuing a degree.





DARSHAN & AHMAD'S ADVANCEMENTS

Darshan and Ahmad both began their studies at the college to learn English via our Young ESOL offer. They have since advanced onto studying Electrical engineering and Digital technologies respectively, demonstrating their hard work and dedication to their studies.

DID YOU KNOW?

We were the first college in the country to be recognised by Ofsted as making a strong contribution to meeting local skills needs. This accolade recognises the collaborative work we do with employers and other stakeholders to prepare our students for great jobs and career progression.

RAVEN, JOSHUA, & GRANT'S ONGOING JOURNEY

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Raven and Joshua joined our IT course with a passion for technology and a desire to pursue careers in the field. Through their hard work and dedication, they have advanced from Level 1 to Level 2 and will embark on their Level 3 qualifications in September. Grant will complete his T-Level programme in science, having started with us at Level 2.





MASUMA & AALIYAH'S GROWTH IN KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITY

Aaliyah, who is due to finish her Level 3 in Childcare, joined the college so that she could study at Level 2 as well. She has already been offered a permanent role at the nursery where she did her work placement during that time: This achievement is especially impressive! After studying Level 2 Business, Masuma moved on to our Level 3 programme and will begin her final year in September. Her success highlights the value of perseverance and determination.

These success stories are a testament to the quality of education and support provided by Newham College. We are proud to offer a supportive and inclusive learning environment that helps our students achieve their goals and reach their full potential.

We celebrate the achievements of all our young learners and look forward to seeing them succeed in their future endeavours.



READY TO TAKE THE FIRST STEP TOWARDS ACHIEVING YOUR GOALS?

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Shirley Joseph is an inspiration to all those who believe that age is a barrier to learning. After forty years in the travel industry, she was determined that redundancy would not end her career. At the age of 59, she became the eldest student in her class to complete the four months of study for an NVQ qualification in track engineering.

Shirley's determination to succeed is a testament to her hard work and the support she received from Newham College. The college's emphasis on strong tutor mentoring helped her to absorb complex briefings, overcome fears, and succeed in the constant testing required to complete her course.

The career progression pathway at Newham College included a visit by Network Rail. They were looking to build a team, and Shirley was fast-tracked into the system. She is now working for the Network Vegetation Team, part of Transport for London. She is ready to take on further education if it helps her new career.

Adult

Shirley's journey is an inspiration to all those who believe that age is a barrier to learning. She began working straight after leaving school, and Newham College was her first student life experience.

She did not consider being the only female on her course as a disadvantage and described her younger male colleagues as 'amazing and inspiring'. She regularly hears passengers on Network Rail comment on "how unusual it is to see a female engineer on the tracks!"

"HOW UNUSUAL IT IS TO SEE A FEMALE **ENGINEER ON THE TRACKS!"**

The Mayor of London, Inspirational Adult Learner of the Year 2022

Overall, Shirley values the variety of work and quality of training offered on her course. Learning to use new equipment gave her the confidence that she now needs for her iob.

A testament to the power of education and the importance of never giving up on your dreams.

Her family has welcomed these events. Even her grandchildren feel inspired. Few grandmothers are allowed to re-train and experience life in another industry that offers security for them and their families.

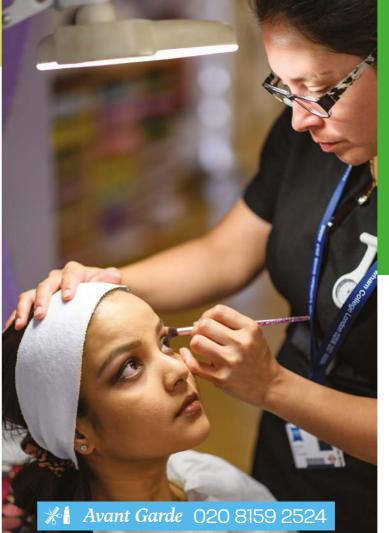
Shirley's story is a reminder that it's never too late to learn. She is a shining example of what can be achieved with hard work, determination, and the right support. Her journey as an adult learner approaching 60 inspires others who find themselves in a similar position as hers not to let redundancy end their working life. She hopes they keep going and growing on their own terms like her.

Shirley Joseph is the Mayor of London Inspirational Adult Learner of the Year 2022, and she truly deserves this recognition. Her story is a testament to the power of education and the importance of never giving up on your dreams.



READY TO EMBARK ON A REWARDING CAREER AS A RAIL ENGINEER?

Join Newham College's fast-track courses and start your journey to success today!



Avant Garde

Welcome to the Avant Garde Salon at Newham College's East Ham Campus!

We offer discounted prices on high-quality treatments that support talented learners as they grow and develop.

All delivered by learners nearing industry qualifications under the supervision of experienced staff practitioners.



Lash & Brow

Manicure & Pedicure

Body massage & toning

Electrolysis

Haircuts

Facials

Waxing

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At Newham College, our enrichment program offers a well-rounded college experience.
Our Student Parliament team receives leadership training, including safeguarding and working with disabilities. They visit Parliament and hold meetings to connect with students.



We celebrate International Women's Day and events like the Holocaust Memorial, Refugee Week, and World Autism Day. These promote historical awareness, empathy, and inclusion. Our commitment to diversity, mental health, and safety is highlighted through Black History Month, Mental

Health Awareness, LGBTQ+ History, and Safeguarding and

"I was encouraged to take part in enrichment activities, and my confidence has improved one hundred percent"



Safety Week.

IMPRESSIVE SPORTING ACHIEVEMENTS

Newham College is known for its sporting excellence.
Our cricket academy has won the London College's indoor cricket league for the second consecutive season.
The Newham College Stratford team had a perfect record of eight wins, while the Newham College East Ham team came in third.

Our Futsal program is equally strong. The men's team has won consecutive national championships, scoring 93 goals in seven games. They dominated the semi-finals and finals with a score of 23-6. The women's Futsal team had a remarkable debut, finishing third in their first Futsal festival. Despite being newly formed, we are proud of them and look forward to their progress in the next academic year.

In football, our team finished second in the AOC football league, with an impressive record of 10 wins, 1 draw, and 3 losses. Their spirit and improvement are commendable.

Choose Newham College for an enriching college experience and a culture of sporting success. Join our community and pursue your passions in a supportive and winning environment.

NEWHAM COLLEGE CROWNED AOC (ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES) NATIONAL FUTSAL CHAMPIONS 2023!

Newham College triumphs as the prestigious AoC National futsal champions! With remarkable skill and teamwork, our futsal men's team secured an impressive 23-6 victory against Exeter College. Dominating the league, they scored an outstanding 93 goals in just 7 games.

With confidence and familiarity, they faced Exeter College in the final, replicating last year's triumph. Congratulations to our talented champions: Daniel, Jayden, Nelson, Leonildo, Aleko, Hermen, Xavier, Ian, Jose, MD, Kieron, Erik, Dylan, and Ovi! Our enrichment team is honoured to coach such exceptional players. Best of luck in their future endeavours!

DID YOU KNOW?

Our students raised £5000+ for multiple causes this academic year.

Mario lokam is a Newham College student who has made a name for himself in the world of table tennis. He recently beat participants from 34 London Colleges to become the Association of Colleges (AoC) London Table Tennis Champion and went on to secure 6th place nationally. We caught up with him to learn more about him and his table tennis journey.

Q: WHEN DID YOU START PLAYING TABLE TENNIS, AND WHAT INSPIRED YOU TO TAKE UP THE SPORT?

A: I started playing table tennis when I was six years old.

My dad was a big fan of the sport, and he used to take me to
watch local tournaments. I was fascinated by the speed and
agility of the players, and I knew I wanted to try it for myself.

Q: CAN YOU DESCRIBE YOUR TRAINING ROUTINE AND HOW YOU PREPARE FOR COMPETITIONS?

A: I train six days a week, usually in the evenings after school. I spend about two hours each day practicing my strokes, footwork, and serve. I also do a lot of physical training, including running, strength training, and agility drills. Before a competition, I try to get as much rest as possible and focus on my mental preparation. I visualize myself playing well and winning matches.

Q: WHAT COMPETITIONS HAVE YOU PARTICIPATED IN, AND HOW HAVE YOU PERFORMED?

A: I've participated in several local and regional tournaments, and I've also represented my school in national competitions. I've had some great performances, including winning the under-12s category at a local tournament and finishing in the top 10 at a national competition. I've also had some tough losses, but I always try to learn from them and come back stronger.



Q: WHAT ARE YOUR ASPIRATIONS FOR THE FUTURE IN TABLE TENNIS?

A: My ultimate goal is to represent my country in international competitions and maybe even the Olympics one day. I know it will take a lot of hard work and dedication, but I'm willing to put in the effort. In the short term, I want to continue improving my skills and winning more tournaments.

Q: WHAT ADVICE WOULD YOU GIVE TO SOMEONE WHO IS JUST STARTING TO PLAY TABLE TENNIS?

A: My advice would be to have fun and enjoy the sport.

Table tennis is a great way to stay active and make new friends. Don't be afraid to make mistakes and keep practicing. With hard work and dedication, anyone can improve their skills and become a great player.

Mario's success in table tennis is a testament to his hard work and dedication. He is an inspiration to anyone who wants to achieve their goals and reach their full potential. We wish him all the best in his future endeavours in table tennis.

NEWHAM COLLEGE CRICKET TEAM CELEBRATES BACK-TO-BACK WINS!

We are thrilled to announce that the Newham College cricket team has won the London Further Education indoor cricket league - for the second year in a row! This impressive achievement reflects the dedication and talent of our players and coaches, who have worked hard to build a strong and united team. As we transition into the outdoor season this month, our team is eager to carry their momentum forward and continue their winning streak. We extend a warm congratulations to Ahmed, Niaz, Rakib, Darshan, Zamer, Hassan, and the coaches for their dedication and hard work in ensuring the team's success. We are incredibly proud of their remarkable achievement and look forward to more winning seasons to come!







Carla's Journey to Success

How Newham College Helped Her Achieve Her Dreams

Carla dreamt of university but achieving a level 2 in mathematics seemed daunting. With a family and responsibilities, Carla faced stress and doubt.



Last year we paid for over 140 students to access additional maths and English tutorial support with partner organisation Get Further

Undeterred, she took an initial assessment at Newham College, placing her at entry-level 2. From there, Carla embarked on her journey, receiving unwavering support from tutor Corina Alina. Carla's determination paid off, as she achieved her Level 2 in Maths and is now set to start her university experience.

Carla's time at Newham College was filled with positivity. Corina's enthusiastic teaching and personal attention ensured clarity and understanding for all. Carla praises Corina for providing the necessary tools to excel, as well as being there during her lowest moments.

Carla encourages others to follow her lead, stating,

"Anyone aiming to improve their English and Mathematics should study at this college. Success is guaranteed."

Carla's story is a testament to Newham College's staff who prioritize student success and offer constant motivation. She stands as an inspiration to all who aspire and are willing to work hard. With Newham College's support, Carla conquered her fears and reached her goals, proving that determination and the right guidance can make anything possible.

READY TO IMPROVE YOUR SKILLS?

Newham College of Further Education is here to help you unlock your potential and achieve your goals.



TAKE A STEP TOWARDS YOUR DREAMS -IMPROVE YOUR ESSENTIAL SKILLS WITH NEWHAM COLLEGE



"Learners on ESOL study programmes who are new to the country make good progress in their knowledge of English language. They find lessons inspiring and exciting. Teachers prepare them well for the next stage of their education." - Ofsted

ESOL AT NEWHAM COLLEGE

Opening Doors to Opportunity

Meet Anna, a determined working mother of two who left Greece to join her husband in the UK. Originally from Albania, she enrolled in Newham College's ESOL program to improve her language skills and fully integrate into her new community.

With hard work and dedication, Anna earned her Level 2 qualification. Today, she's a team leader at Pret a Manger, an international coffee and sandwich chain. But her ambitions extend beyond that - she dreams of a career in the police force or as a nursery manager.

Anna has an important message for those considering learning English:

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"ENROL STRAIGHT AWAY AND DON'T RELY ON INFORMAL CONVERSATIONS AND TV. YOU NEED FORMAL EDUCATION TO TRULY UNDERSTAND AND GAIN **CONFIDENCE IN THE LANGUAGE."**

At Newham College, we're dedicated to providing top-quality ESOL education tailored to individual needs and aspirations. Whether you're a beginner or advanced learner, our range of courses will help you improve your spoken and written English.

But ESOL at Newham College goes beyond language education - it's about building confidence, life skills, and encouraging interaction with people from diverse backgrounds. We support you in achieving your aspirations and fully participating in your community.

Our experienced teachers use various methods, such as group discussions, debates, and collaborative projects, to create an immersive learning environment. With the latest technology and engaging resources, learning becomes fun and enjoyable.

Anna's inspiring story is just one of many success stories and personal growth.

from our ESOL provision. We take pride in our students' achievements and are committed to fostering an inclusive and supportive environment for learning

DON'T LET LANGUAGE BARRIERS HOLD YOU BACK



NEWHAM COLLEGE:

WHERE DEDICATED STAFF MAKE A DIFFERENCE

At Newham College, our dedicated staff members are the heart and soul of our institution. They are passionate about providing high-quality education and support to our students, making a significant impact on their lives.



"Teaching art and design is my passion, and <u>I aim to ignite that</u> same love in my students."

Take Aurelia, for example. As a graduate trainee Art and Design teacher, she is truly passionate about her subject and loves inspiring her students. She goes above and beyond to equip them with the skills and knowledge needed for future success, providing individualized support and guidance.



Pele, our Director of Curriculum for Study Programmes, is another invaluable member of our staff. She ensures that our study programmes are tailored to meet the needs of our students, firmly believing that everyone deserves access to top-notch learning opportunities. Pele constantly strives to improve our programmes, keeping them up-to-date with industry trends.



Harry and Joshua, part of our student sports and enrichment team, work tirelessly to provide our students with a well-rounded experience. They organize various sports, enrichment activities, and events, including student parliament and charity initiatives. By challenging and nurturing our students, they help them reach their full potential.



"I really enjoy working here. We are part of the community."

- Newham College Staff

When speaking about their work, our staff members exude passion and dedication. Aurelia says, "Teaching art and design is my passion, and I aim to ignite that same love in my students." Pele reinforces the importance of education, stating, "I believe education can change lives, and I strive to provide the best education possible to every student." Harry and Joshua express their joy in witnessing student growth, saying, "We love being part of their journey as they develop new skills."

Our staff members go beyond their job descriptions to provide one-on-one support, organize enrichment activities, and ensure our study programs align with students' needs. Their commitment, enthusiasm, and high standards of excellence have a profound impact on everyone they interact with.

Aurelia, Pele, Harry, Joshua, and countless other staff members embody the values of Newham College. They make our institution the exceptional place it is, shaping the lives of our students and enabling them to thrive.

WE'RE ALWAYS LOOKING FOR TALENTED AND DEDICATED PROFESSIONALS TO JOIN OUR TEAM.



Be part of our passionate team, dedicated to providing high-quality education and support.

Join Newham College today!

DID YOU KNOW?

We are proud to be one of the *top-performing FE Colleges in the country*, highlighting the resilience and outstanding commitment of all our students, regardless of their level of study. This also underscores the skill and dedication of our teaching staff.











Celebrating Excellence and Dedication:

NEWHAM COLLEGE STAFF AWARDS 2023

Newham College is thrilled to celebrate the excellent work and dedication of our staff members. Let us start with a round of applause for Amy Hester, who earned the Teacher of the Year title chosen by students. With over 125 nominations, students were actively engaged and enthusiastic. Bindya Faisal, Inna Cruz, and Roseliz Francis also deserve recognition as Highly Commended Teachers of the Year chosen by students.

Barbara Mercer takes home the Teacher of the Year chosen by Staff award, having acted as an outstanding role model for learners. Aurelia McKelvey and Chris Otefisan also deserve commendations as Highly Commended Teachers of the Year.

Tino Mann receives the Colleague of the Year title for his exceptional work ethic and support of both learners and staff. Let us also give a shoutout to **Ava Bailey** and **Anthony Diaz**, deserving of a commendation for their exceptional work.

Our **SEND team** won the Team of the Year award, while the **Engineering & Construction team** also deserves praise as Highly Commended.

Andrew Robinson's dedication to personalized support of students earns him the Equality & Diversity Role Model award, while Rym Jammel EP Rajabally also deserves commendation.

Our Unsung Hero 2023, **Hannah Pathak**, has been professional, hardworking, and caring towards all students and staff. And we commend **Sana Rashid** for exceptional leadership.

Finally, a huge round of applause for **Raymond Orris**, who has earned the coveted Principal's Award and a whopping 37 years of valuable service. Thanks for your loyalty and love for gardening and Staffordshire bull terriers. Newham College is lucky to have you.

Congratulations to all our winners and commendations. Your hard work and dedication make a real difference in the lives of individuals, families, and communities. Keep up the excellent work!

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JOIN THE INCLUSIVE AND EMPOWERING COMMUNITY AT NEWHAM COLLEGE'S SEND PROVISION.

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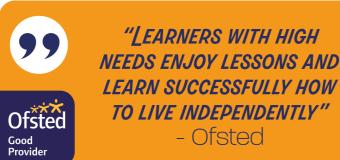
Newham College is a leading provider of Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) provision, making a positive difference in the lives of young learners with high needs. We offer tailored programmes and a person-centred approach, empowering individuals aged 16-24 with high needs to thrive in competitive employment.

Our dedicated SEND department creates individualised programmes that cater to each learner's unique needs. We understand the importance of accommodating diverse learning styles, so we adapt our curriculum and lessons accordingly. At Newham College, we believe in providing equal opportunities for all, and our SEND provision reflects that belief.

But education is not our sole focus. Our SEND programme includes enrichment activities that foster personal growth and community within the special needs community. Students have the opportunity to participate in engaging activities like sports days and charity events, helping them build skills, form friendships, and feel good about themselves.

Let us highlight a couple of success stories from our SEND provision. Natalia's experience with Focus Zero illustrates how our programmes can transform lives. She quickly adjusted to her new environment and progressed from Personal Progress Group 3 to 4, thanks to her improved communication skills and confidence. Natalia is now preparing for the "Get Ready for Work - Office Skills" course.

Peter's story highlights the resilience and determination of our students. Despite facing challenges, Peter excelled in his GCSE English and Maths exams and gained valuable work experience with a Finance company, earning positive reviews. His dream of working for an Anime company in Japan highlights the power of our SEND provision in nurturing career aspirations.





Celebrating Supported Internships at Newham College



A testament to the power of collaboration and the unwavering support of our partners

At Newham College, we are thrilled to share the incredible successes of our Project Search Supported Internship Programme! This partnership between the London Borough of Newham, Newham College, and local employers has transformed the lives of young people in our community. Our programme empowers learners with employability skills, job-specific expertise, and essential subjects like Maths, English, and ICT.

We provide personalized job coaching and ongoing support, creating opportunities for collaboration in real work environments, boosting interns' self-confidence and overall development.

Our ASPIRE team recently attended inspiring graduation ceremonies for Project Search. We were profoundly moved by the determination and hard work of the graduates. The first ceremony took place at Newham General Hospital, where many interns secured paid employment opportunities. Graduates like Tyrese, Saaid, and Paul shared their personal journeys, highlighting the impact and success of Project Search. The second ceremony was held at the prestigious John Lewis Store in Westfield Stratford, where numerous graduates supported by John Lewis since 2018 showcased their outstanding presentations.

Today, we extend our sincere congratulations to the exceptional graduates of the Project SEARCH at Newham General Hospital, Graduate Class of 2023. This incredible group has witnessed four remarkable graduates securing paid employment opportunities. Afraz Hussain, Luke Mills, and Hesham Rajeb have embarked on their professional journeys at Newham General, while Aaron Brady has secured a valuable position with the London Ambulance Service.

Additionally, we offer warm congratulations to the Project SEARCH at John Lewis Partnership, Stratford, Graduate Class of 2023.

The impact of this programme on the lives of individuals, families, and communities in Newham is awe-inspiring. It is a testament to the power of collaboration and the unwavering support of our partners. We extend our gratitude to each and every one of our phenomenal partners, and we wholeheartedly congratulate all of our graduates for their dedication, resilience, and remarkable achievements.

Together, let us continue building a brighter future, supporting, and empowering individuals to flourish in the classroom, the workplace, and beyond!





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At Newham College, we are committed to unlocking opportunities for students through innovative apprenticeships and vocational training programs.

Partnering with Queen Mary University of London (QMUL) as the London City Institute of Technology (LCIoT), we are proud to be at the forefront of this important work. UK Education Secretary Gillian Keegan recently recognised our efforts, highlighting the positive impact on students' lives and the economy.

Apprenticeships are essential in equipping students with the skills they need for successful careers. Secretary Gillian Keegan praised our dedication to helping students gain access to industry experience, practical training, and academic knowledge.

To address skills gaps in emerging technologies, we offer tailored apprenticeships in sectors such as transport, infrastructure, engineering, digital, and energy. These programs meet the specific needs of employers in East London, benefiting both students and the local economy.

"Don't dismiss Newham College, they could change your kids life for the better"

Collaboration creates powerful opportunities for learning and growth. Students engage with authentic companies, gain invaluable experience, and build the foundation for successful careers. Employers benefit from a pool of skilled workers with the necessary training and academic knowledge.

We understand the significance of collaboration between employers, educational institutions, and the government in establishing a robust vocational education system. That is why we strive to maintain our position as a leader in this field.

Apprenticeships and vocational training programs offer a tangible way to address a skills gap in emerging industries and shape the career paths of our students. We believe our forward-thinking approach to education will continue to unlock the potential of individuals, families, and communities.

TAKE THE FIRST STEP TOWARDS SUCCESS

JOIN OUR APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING **PROGRAMS TODAY!**

DID YOU KNOW?

We were the first college in the country to be recognised by Ofsted as making a strong contribution to meeting local skills needs. This accolade recognises the collaborative work we do with employers and other stakeholders to prepare our students for great jobs and career progression.

Looking for top-quality technical qualifications that can set you on a clear path to a great job in science, technology, engineering, or maths (STEM)?

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LONDON CITY

Look no further than the London City Institute of Technology (LCIoT), a partnership between Queen Mary University of London, Newham College, and key employers supported by the Greater London Authority and the London Borough of Newham.

As one of the UK's first twelve Institutes of Technology, our aim is to provide highly skilled workers to employers while helping students to get the qualifications they need to land great technical jobs. We offer a wide range of qualifications, including T Levels, apprenticeships, and higher technical qualifications in crucial sectors such as engineering and digital tech.

Our campus is equipped with the latest technology and teaching methods, located at London City Island, where our students can reach their full potential.

At LCIoT, we are different because we are committed to building strong partnerships between employers and further/higher education, which helps us to fill local skills gaps, boost productivity, and create lifechanging opportunities for individuals, especially in East London.

Newham College Principal and CEO Paul Stephen said,

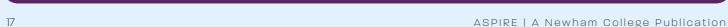
"We're delighted to partner with Queen Mary University and our corporate partners to offer training that employers value. This unique combination of skills and experience creates pathways to employment for individuals whose backgrounds might not be seen as suitable."

LCIoT invites you to join the STEM revolution and shape your future in an ever-evolving technological landscape. Our strong partnerships with prestigious institutions, innovative facilities, and commitment to excellence make us your best choice for top-quality qualifications.



Enrol at LCIoT today and start your journey to a successful, fulfilling future, and let us help you unlock your full potential - you will be amazed by the results!





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at Newham College London

Achieve your dream of university education with Access to Higher Education (HE) Diplomas at Newham College London. The Access to HE Diploma is a one-year intensive qualification designed for students aged 19 and above, serving as a bridge to prepare individuals for degree-level study at university. This widely recognized diploma, equivalent to three A-Levels, opens doors to higher education opportunities at leading universities across the UK.

Jade, a determined individual, faced a hurdle in pursuing her dream to study medicine. Advised to explore alternative paths due to her age, Jade chose to study an Access to HE Diploma in Biomedical Science at Newham College. After completing the program, Jade received exciting news-she has been offered a place to study biomedical science at Kings College London, a world-renowned Russell Group university. Jade shares,

"I THOUGHT MY DREAM OF STUDYING AT DEGREE LEVEL WAS GONE WHEN I REALIZED I COULDN'T UNDERTAKE A-LEVELS DUE TO MY AGE. BUT NOW, HERE I AM, ABOUT TO EMBARK ON MY HIGHER EDUCATION JOURNEY AT A TOP UNIVERSITY."

Whether you're returning to education, seeking a career change, or lacking the traditional qualifications for university admission, the Access to HE Diploma at Newham College provides a second chance to pursue your aspirations. Completed in just one year, this comprehensive program focuses on Biomedical Science, equipping you with the knowledge and skills necessary for success at degree level.

By earning an Access to HE Diploma, you can overcome obstacles and gain the qualifications needed to

pursue your desired degree programs. This valuable qualification acts as a steppingstone toward a bright future and opens doors to prestigious universities.

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Over 90% achievement,

pass and retention rates

(Source: National Achievement Rates Table

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If you're like Jade, with the desire to pursue a university education but lacking the required Level 3 qualifications, don't hesitate. Enrol in the Access to HE programs at Newham College and pave the way to a successful higher education journey.

Newham College is committed to supporting individuals aged 19 and over in achieving their academic goals and excelling in their chosen fields. With expert guidance, exceptional resources, and a dedication to student success, Newham College is the ideal institution to help you embark on your path to university education.



TAKE CONTROL OF YOUR EDUCATION FINANCES WITH ADVANCED LEARNER LOANS!

These loans cover your tuition fees, eliminating the need for upfront payment. Applying is quick and easy, with no credit checks or income assessments required.

Repayment begins in April after you complete or leave your course. You'll start making repayments when your income exceeds £524 per week, £2,274 per month, or £27,295 per year. If your income drops below these thresholds, repayments will pause and resume when your earnings rise. And guess what? You have the flexibility to make voluntary payments at any time to speed up loan clearance.

Note: If you progress to an eligible higher education program supported by Student Finance England, Advanced Learner Loans for Access to HE courses will be written off. So, you can pursue your dreams without worrying about the loan repayments.

LAUNCH YOUR CAREER WITH HIGHER EDUCATION AT NEWHAM COLLEGE

Are you ready to take your education to the next level? Newham College proudly offers two exciting higher education programs designed to equip you with the essential skills and knowledge for success in the digital and engineering sectors:

HIGHER NATIONAL CERTIFICATE (HNC) IN COMPUTING - GENERAL PATHWAY

HIGHER NATIONAL CERTIFICATE (HNC) IN ENGINEERING - GENERAL ENGINEERING

- → Sets a strong foundation in engineering principles for a career or university studies.
- → Offers a broad introduction to the subject with specialisation options.
- → Highly regarded by industry professionals and higher education institutions.

LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION AND TRAINING (DET).

- → This teaching qualification is perfect for those looking to work as teachers/trainers in England. With a teaching/training practice requirement of 100+ hours, it provides ample opportunities for practical experience.
- → Pre-service teachers/trainers can also pursue this qualification with access to 100 hours of teaching.

By enrolling in our higher pathways, you will gain guidance from our highly qualified academic team through lectures, tutorials, seminars, and self-directed study.

Our goal at Newham College is to provide high-quality education that meets the needs of both students and employers, opening doors to career advancement and further studies.

Do not miss the opportunity to launch your career this year. Take the first step towards a bright future today by enrolling in one of our Higher pathways at Newham College!

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Building a Bright Future at Newham College

At Newham College, our passion is providing high-quality, transformative education for students of all backgrounds and ages. We believe in the power of education to make a positive difference and empower individuals, families, and communities. With that in mind, we are excited to share updates on our Estates and Facilities.



3D View of Proposal

East Ham Campus

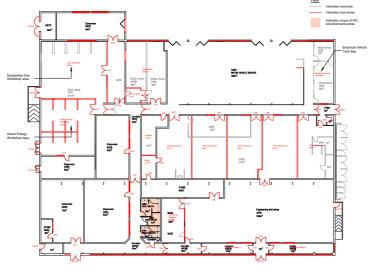
WELCOMING AND INCLUSIVE

Our East Ham Campus is undergoing an exciting makeover to create a fresh and inviting space. Remodelling work is transforming the entrance and reception area, including the addition of the front-facing SEND Cafe. This enhancement promotes friendliness and accessibility, creating an inclusive environment for everyone.

The standout feature is the newly upgraded 5th floor, housing a state-of-the-art Business Wing with digital facilities. Refreshed classrooms, upgraded windows, and modernized toilet facilities throughout the campus create a comfortable and contemporary learning environment, enabling every student to thrive.

We have also upgraded the sports hall and Higher Technical Qualifications (HTQ) rooms, adding immersion spaces, digital tech labs, and collaboration areas. These enhancements enrich the overall learning experience for our students.





Stratford Campus

EXCELLENCE IN MODERN FACILITIES

Our Stratford Campus offers outstanding new facilities, including cutting-edge workshops for Green Energy, Gas Engineering, Motor Vehicle, and Engineering. We are also remodelling the entrance and reception area to provide a contemporary setting. The addition of Tech Teaching Suites and extra classrooms enhances the learning experience, empowering students to become leaders in their chosen fields.



London City Institute of Technology Campus

INNOVATION AND GROWTH

Our London City Institute of Technology campus near Canning Town is brimming with new opportunities. We are delighted to announce the completion of three additional floors, which will be ready for the September 2023 intake. These floors feature new catering and student social spaces, an immersive technology teaching area, and extra IT suites. These additions provide more room for our students to thrive in a welcoming and accessible environment.

Newham College is dedicated to offering exceptional facilities that enhance the learning experience for our students. These upgrades reflect our commitment to providing world-class resources and ensuring our students have the tools they need to succeed.

We eagerly anticipate welcoming new and returning students to our campuses in September. Our outstanding facilities unlock a brighter future for students, their families, and communities. Join us on this journey of growth, empowerment, and impact – together, we can make a difference.

See you in September at Newham College!



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