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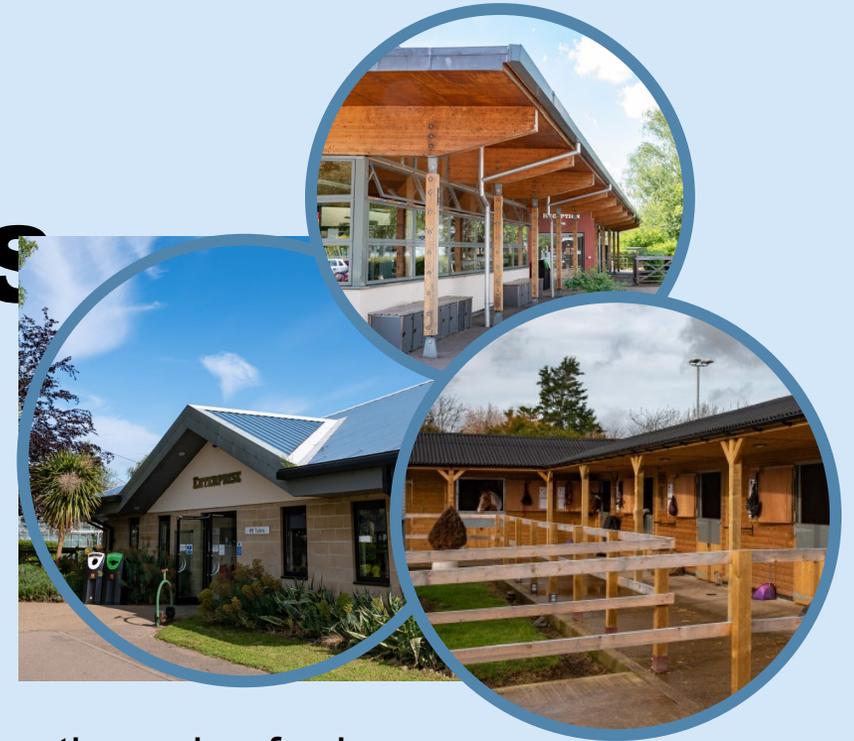


# CAMBRIDGE CAMPUS

The Cambridge campus focuses on landbased programmes including agriculture, animal management, equine and veterinary nursing.

## What do we offer at the Cambridge campus?

- Indoor and outdoor horse riding arenas
- Equine Therapy Centre, offering a range of rehabilitation therapies for horses
- Companion Animal Centre, our specialist animal and Veterinary Nursing Clinical Skills area with clinical examination equipment and observation suite
- K9 Dog Grooming Parlour, our public dog grooming service



# WHICH ROUTE TO TAKE?

## VOCATIONAL

A vocational course is for you if you prefer a hands-on approach and enjoy a mixture of theory and practical work. You can go on to further your study at university, a higher apprenticeship or start your career.

## APPRENTICESHIPS

If you have chosen your career and want to start work right away, completing your training and qualification whilst in employment, an apprenticeship is for you.



# VOCATIONAL

## What subjects can I do?

Subject	Campus
Animal Care	CAM, WIS
Animal Management	CAM, WIS
Dog Grooming	CAM, WIS
Equine Management	CAM
Horse Care	CAM
Land and Wildlife Conservation	CAM

## What do I need?

Entry level courses: mostly grade 1 at GCSE

Level 1 courses: mostly grade 2/3 at GCSE

Level 2 courses: four or more GCSEs at grade 3 or above

Level 3 courses: five or more GCSEs at grade 4 or above

Note: Dog Grooming requires you to successfully complete Level 2 before progressing to Level 3.

## APPRENTICESHIPS

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# APPRENTICESHIPS

## What subjects can I do?

Subject	Campus
Animal Care & Welfare Assistant	WP
Business Administration	WP
Chef	WP
Crop Technician	CAM, WP
Customer Service	WP
Early Years Educator	WP
Farm Worker - General	WP
Horticulture	WP
Hospitality (various)	WP
Livestock Unit Technician	CAM
Teaching Assistant	WP
Team Leader	WP

## What do I need?

Age 16+  
GCSE English and Maths at grade 4 or above  
Live in England.

For specific entry requirements for the apprenticeship you wish to take, check our website  
[cwa.ac.uk/apprenticeships](http://cwa.ac.uk/apprenticeships)

**VOCATIONAL**



# WANT TO GO TO UNIVERSITY?

Did you know studying a T-level or most level 3 vocational courses† are the equivalent of studying three A-levels?

All three qualifications can achieve up to 168 UCAS points:

UCAS Points	Level 3 Diploma	T-level	A-level
168	D* D* D*	D*	A* A* A*
144	D D D	D	A A A
128	D D M	M (120)	B B A
96	M M M	Pass C+	C C C

† Refer to [cwa.ac.uk/courses](http://cwa.ac.uk/courses) for the UCAS points for each course.



# Your study programme

Your course will combine:

- Your main qualification.
- Maths and English if you haven't achieved GCSE grade 4 or higher.
- Work experience, related to your course.

Depending on your chosen subject, a typical college day starts at 8.45am and ends at 4.30pm.

You're not usually required to attend campus 5 days per week, although a certain amount of self-study time is expected.



# SUPPORTING YOU

If you have an education, health and care plan (EHCP) or need extra support with your learning, perhaps because of a disability or a learning difficulty, our additional learning support team will assess your needs and make sure there's a support plan in place when you start college.

For more information, visit [cwa.ac.uk/personalsupport](http://cwa.ac.uk/personalsupport)



# Life outside the classroom

There is a wide range of enrichment activities for everyone through the CWA Support and Enrichment programme, helping you gain new skills and meet new friends.

Our clubs and societies are student run, based on their suggestions and interests. This year, they have included groups such as Dungeons & Dragons, Lego, Railway Club, our Debating Society and Rainbow Alliance, our LGBTQIA+ group.



# Life outside the classroom

Students also have the opportunity to take part in the Duke of Edinburgh (DofE) Award, which is a great way to meet new people and challenge yourself.

More digitally minded students can also undertake their iDEA award as part of the range of activities offered.

There are plenty of social spaces in which to meet friends, with a variety of good food and refreshments served in the refectories at all campuses.



## YOUR STEPS TO BECOME A CWA STUDENT

### 1. Apply for a course

Via our website [cwa.ac.uk](http://cwa.ac.uk), or your school applications service – speak to your school for advice.

### 2. Student Portal

Set up your account on our student portal to manage your application and book an information session.

### 3. Information Session

See the facilities, meet the tutors and discuss your course.

### 4. Offer

Review and accept your offer on the student portal.



## YOUR STEPS TO BECOME A CWA STUDENT

### 5. Applicant Day

Experience college life and take part in course activities.  
Meet your classmates!

### 6. GCSE Results Day

Confirm your place at CWA and enrol. If your results are not as you expected, don't worry. We will talk to you about your options and find a suitable course for you.

### 7. Enrolment and Induction

Complete your enrolment and join us in September for induction week!



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**VISIT OUR OPEN EVENTS**

**CAMBRIDGE** campus

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2023**

Evening places available

**Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2023**

Morning places available

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2024**

Evening places available

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## WHY CHOOSE CWA?

- We offer the widest range of courses in our region.
- We have highly trained and industry-experienced staff.
- You will be learning in modern industry-standard facilities.
- We will treat you like an adult, making you feel more independent and responsible.
- Make new friends for life by studying with young people from other schools.
- We offer high levels of student support, help and advice.
- We provide excellent links with employers, offering practical work experience.



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# THANK YOU!



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