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you can be



CTK EMMANUEL
A CHRIST THE KING SIXTH FORM

Prospectus
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A PROFESSIONAL SIXTH FORM CENTRE FOR EXCELLENCE

Welcome to CTK Emmanuel

If you are a hard-working student, who wants to shine and reach the top in your chosen profession, our new centre for professional excellence is the right choice to achieve your ambitions.

At CTK Emmanuel, you'll be able to choose your specialist area from a wide range of BTEC subjects. These will prepare you for university study and careers in engineering, business, health, education, creative industries, IT and digital technology, media, sport, science or performing arts.

You'll receive extensive pastoral support combined with the structure and support of a sixth form environment, an influential alumni network and lots of industry insight in your chosen subject. You will also benefit from excellent, specialised teaching in your subject, tailored to meet your needs – and careers support to ensure you progress to leading universities.

All our level 3 programmes are equivalent to A Levels. Students can choose one single course equivalent to 3 A Levels, or combine 3 different subjects equivalent to one A Level each.

Recently, almost half of all CTK students who were accepted into a Russell Group university had studied BTECs. They went on to study Nursing at Kings College, Dental Therapy at Queen Mary's, Law and Criminology at Sheffield, Mechanical Engineering at Nottingham and Biomedical Science at Warwick, amongst others.

Staff and student wellbeing is at the heart of everything we do and is enshrined in our mission statement.

CTK Emmanuel is an innovative, prestigious and highly regarded sixth form, where we promote wellbeing, environmental sustainability and purposeful social action alongside our Catholic values.

Our mission, vision and ethos will ensure you develop outstanding personal qualities, attributes and opportunities. In line with our motto



“Ut Vitam Habeant” you will go on to live your life in all its fullness.

Once you graduate from Emmanuel, you'll have confidence, ambition, self-belief and all the necessary skills and experience to get into university or succeed in a brilliant career. Welcome to CTK Emmanuel!

**Mrs Shireen Razey,
Executive Principal.**



“I've enjoyed a lot of things about CTK. The teachers want the very best for us and are invested in our futures. My teachers introduced me to mentoring programmes and summer schools for universities that I probably would never have found on my own.

At CTK your teachers will see your potential and really push you along your path.”

Alexsandra – achieved DDD (equivalent to AAA at A Level) in BTEC Art and Design. Going to study at the University for the Creative Arts



VIRTUAL OPEN EVENT

BE THE BEST YOU CAN BE

As you move into an important stage in your education, you'll be learning in a welcoming environment that will provide all the support you need as well as giving you stretching learning targets.

As well as the best teaching, you will have access to specialised graduate programmes, a hall system, extensive enrichment and sporting opportunities.

You are sure to flourish and then want to go on to study at one of the country's leading universities, or onto an illustrious and influential career.

Saturday
21 November 2020

Book your place at or find details of other events at www.ckemmanuel.ac.uk/openevents

We will be holding further open events throughout the year – please check our website for latest information.



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DID YOU KNOW...

The top grade D*D*D* for BTECs means triple distinction – and is equivalent to A*A*A* grades at A Level?



Be **SUCCESSFUL**

You will have the opportunity to specialise in a subject that you really enjoy at CTK Emmanuel, which will help to prepare you for higher education and a successful career.

You can choose from a range of subjects enabling you to progress to university courses or careers in health, medicine, science, engineering, teaching and education, art and design, ICT, performing arts, media or journalism, business and law. We also offer a range of A Level equivalent pathways (see page 21) and will be offering T Levels in two subjects from 2022.

CTK Emmanuel as a route to Russell Group universities

Our advanced A Level equivalent programmes are a great route to university for ambitious students. They are equivalent to three A Levels and attract the same UCAS points.

For example, a triple distinction star grade on a BTEC Technical Advanced Diploma will be awarded the same points as three A* grades at A Level.

This is why almost 85% of CTK level 3 BTEC students go on to universities, including those in the prestigious Russell Group. Recently, nearly half of all Christ the King Sixth Form students who were accepted into a Russell Group university had studied BTECs.

BTEC results in our most recent cohort of students were once again exceptional and our Extended Diploma students achieved a 99.6% achievement rate.

Apply to the best universities

You will be encouraged to apply to the country's top universities and will be given tailored help with UCAS applications and interviews. A report by national education charity The Sutton Trust, entitled Degrees of Success, placed Christ the King in the top 6% of schools and colleges nationally due to high performance when it comes to university progression.

To help you choose the right university, you will hear talks from graduates and undergraduates, as well as attending our annual Careers conference. This conference is a great opportunity to network with representatives from top universities and colleges in the UK.

Set challenging career goals

From your first day you will be encouraged to think about your future career. You will receive comprehensive, up-to-date careers information, advice and guidance from qualified advisors and help with arranging work experience. At our careers conference you will get the chance to meet a range of professionals, choosing from more than 100 workshops and 90 exhibitors. These cover a huge range of careers from medicine to banking, engineering, entrepreneurship and more. Whatever your ambitions, we have it covered.



Stand out from the crowd
with our
**Professional
Graduate
Programme**

You will be enrolled onto one of our unique graduate programmes, developed exclusively by Christ the King Sixth Forms.

If you are studying a BTEC Level 3 course, you will join our Professional Graduate Programme (PGP), designed to increase engagement with your academic studies, improve your confidence and give you the edge when applying for universities and jobs.

Your programme is tailored to meet the needs of your individual BTEC course; ensuring skills and opportunities are directly related and essential for the area of work being studied. You will have the unique opportunity to gain additional professional qualifications and follow a bespoke progression and careers programme. This will give you a competitive edge when making university or job applications.

For our other graduate programmes, see page 22.

**In 2019/2020
CTK Emmanuel students
went on to over 70
university destinations.
These included:**

- A. University of Birmingham**
 - Social Policy
- B. University of Cardiff**
 - Medical Pharmacology
 - Engineering
- C. Kings College London**
 - Nursing with Registration as an Adult Nurse
 - Psychology with Year Abroad
- D. University of Nottingham**
 - International Media and Communication Studies
- E. Queen Mary, University of London**
 - Engineering
 - Accounting and Management
- F. University of Southampton**
 - Nursing Mental Health
- G. University of Warwick**
 - Biomedical Science
- H. University of York**
 - Law
- I. University of Greenwich**
 - Primary Education
 - Quantity Surveying



- J. St George's University of London**
 - Diagnostic Radiography
- K. Oxford Brookes University**
 - Biomedical Science
- L. Brunel University London**
 - Sport, Health and Exercise Sciences

Be **SOMEONE** to **LOOK UP TO**

Choosing your career aspirations and deciding where to study are both important decisions for you to make.

Here at CTK Emmanuel, our focus is on providing a nurturing, challenging and aspirational community environment where you will achieve more than you ever thought possible.

We focus on developing you as a whole person, ensuring you leave us with the confidence, attitude and qualifications to be the very best you can be – in life, in your community and in your career.

Ut Vitam Habeant – Living life in all its fullness

You and your fellow students will lead a full life at CTK Emmanuel.

Not only will you receive exceptional teaching in state-of-the-art facilities, but you will also live a full and active life on campus.

You'll take part in university and workplace visits, careers conferences, sporting competitions and inspirational talks. You'll organise and plan events for your fellow students, as well as having opportunities to represent your peers and contribute to decisions made about college life.

As a result, you'll leave us as well-rounded, thoughtful, caring and ambitious adults, confident in your ability to thrive and ready to realise your full potential.

I've made
some lifelong
friends. It's a
very supportive
and friendly
environment.

CTK ALUMNI

“At CTK I met new people who want to succeed in their life. This gave me the motivation to learn, and to be the best that I can be at all times. I realised that you can achieve greatness if you work hard, focus and stay positive.

CTK gave me a different approach towards life; I believe in myself and believe that I can be successful in everything I do.”

**Annie – BTEC Business student
now studying a BA (Hons) Accounting and Finance**



The CTK Graces

Our Character Education
Programme

G GRIT
R RESPECT
A AWARENESS
C CURIOSITY
E ENDEAVOUR
S SELF-CONTROL

At CTK Emmanuel, we will:

- **Encourage** you to be ambitious and high achieving.
- **Challenge** you to be resilient, confident, creative and courageous.
- **Educate** you to be articulate, curious, reflective and capable.
- **Support** you to develop the virtues of loyalty, respect, care and commitment.
- **Inspire** you to live principled, moral and dignified lives.

You will enjoy:

- A huge range of **high-level BTEC courses** to choose from.
- Exceptional **pastoral care**.
- Specialised **graduate programmes**.
- Fantastic **links with universities and employers**.
- Extensive **enrichment and sporting opportunities**.
- State-of-the-art **facilities**.
- Excellent **transport links** and a fantastic **location**.

Be **CONNECTED**

You will be given the tools you need to start planning your future, thanks to our strong careers programme, links with businesses and our highly successful alumni community.





Some of our successful former students sit on the Christ the King Partnership Board, providing valuable insight into a diverse range of industries.

Exciting opportunities have previously included a professional mentoring programme with the EY Foundation, a Barclays seminar on building resilience and assertiveness, and a talk hosted by the US Ambassador to the UK. Many of our influential alumni take time to visit us and inspire our current students.

Be supported as an individual

Our tutorial and pastoral support systems ensure you will be nurtured and valued as an individual. We aim for you to graduate not just with the academic achievements you need, but also fully prepared to contribute to society as a well-rounded, self-aware, motivated, and knowledgeable young person.

Your tailored sixth form experience

When you have your interview with us, our tutors will discuss your options and help you make the subject choice that is right for you. Once your application has been accepted, your study programme will be tailored to your needs and you will be placed in a tutor group.

Your personal tutor will stay with you throughout your time here and will regularly review your progress, help with any difficulties and work with you to set achievable short and long-term goals. You will be given extensive academic support outside of your lessons, including subject-specific workshops, help with homework, coursework or revision, and study skills sessions.

Parents will be actively involved in your success at CTK Emmanuel. Formal reports are provided five times a year and regular parents' evenings enable you and your family to discuss your progress, ask questions and respond to your tutor's comments.

Receive help with any additional needs

If you have additional needs, or English is not your first language, we have a dedicated learning support area with experienced staff. Once your application has been reviewed, we will contact you to discuss your needs so that we can make all reasonable adjustments to help you succeed.

Be talented

You will be joining a thriving, inclusive community where you will be encouraged to get involved in extracurricular activities. You will have opportunities to discover or develop your interests and talents, making new friends and contacts along the way. Whatever your passion – Drama, Media, Business, 3D Animation, Dance, Music, Sport – you can pursue it at CTK Emmanuel.

Some of the activities that you can get involved in include:

- Community projects, such as helping in primary schools and hospitals.
- Residential visits and overseas trips.
- Work shadowing and volunteering experiences.
- Retreats and pilgrimages.
- Expeditions to places such as Kenya, Alaska and the Tien Shan mountains.
- Duke of Edinburgh Award.

BT ELEVATE

The Elevate Mentoring Programme was set up by CTK alumnus Trevor Gomes, who now works as a Transformation Analyst at BT and sits on the CTK partnership board. The programme's aim is to provide you with the skills, knowledge and experiences for the higher education and the world of work. Trevor and his team run programmes for our students such as personal branding and employability coaching.

Trevor Gomes, Former CTK student – now Business Manager at BT and Programme Director for Elevate.

External speakers

Our external speaker programme brings more than 30 specialists in their field to our Christ the King Sixth Form centres each year. Previous speakers have included Sir Ian Cheshire (Chairman of Barclays), David Thompson (film producer) and Gary Gibbon (Channel 4 News Political Editor). You will also hear from entrepreneurs and high-fliers in the creative industries.

RUSSELL GROUP

Half of all Christ the King Sixth Form students who were accepted into a Russell Group university had studied BTECs



Be in a **GREAT PLACE**

Be in a great position to get your dream job with our enviable track record of academic success, combined with well-equipped, industry-standard learning environments, extensive learning resources and leisure facilities.



State-of-the-art facilities


Thanks to a major recent investment in our campus and facilities, you will benefit from a new range of specialist facilities and resources to support your studies. These include:

- Brand new Engineering suite
- Brand new refurbished Business suite
- Brand new refurbished LRC
- 18 networked computer rooms and a networked suite of Apple Mac computers.
- A suite of specialist art, design and technology rooms.
- Six fully equipped science laboratories.
- A performing arts theatre and studio with sprung floor and professional lighting systems.
- A media suite with digital editing and recording facilities.
- A music studio with mixing, editing and recording facilities.
- Numerous specialist student support areas.
- Two modern cafes.
- A Chaplaincy area including a Chapel and Chapel common room.

Learning Resources Centre

Our newly refurbished Learning Resources Centre (LRC) is a silent, independent study area, managed by a team of specialist staff and has extended opening hours to support you. It has computer, printing and scanning facilities for your use. It also provides access to individual study guides for each academic subject, more than 10,000 books, digital resources and online learning materials, specialist journals, periodicals and newspapers, and an audio-visual room.

You also have access to computers, many with industry-standard software, throughout our sixth form centre. You can use wi-fi on site and access your home drive files off site.



“I have friendships that I will cherish when I leave CTK. I had wonderful extra support from my teachers – they motivated me and shaped me to be a better person. My tutor supported me academically and with my overall wellbeing, ensuring I aimed higher for merits and distinctions. I am so blessed to have met such amazing inspiring individuals. I received a £15,000 Metric Capital scholarship to help me go on university to study Primary Teaching.”

**Keona – achieved DDD (equivalent to AAA at A Level)
in BTEC Health and Social Care**



“I’ve had a great experience at CTK. I’ve met a lot of new people and gained knowledge that I will need in the future – I want to study Sport and Exercise Science at university. My teachers always went the extra mile to make sure I had all my work completed. I would recommend CTK because the knowledgeable and passionate teachers always help students to succeed.”

Jorge – Achieved D*DD (equivalent to A*AA at A Level) in BTEC Sport. Going to study BSc (Hons) Sport, Health and Exercise Sciences at Brunel University

100%

pass rate for BTEC Extended Diploma students at CTK

Sport at CTK Emmanuel

Whether you want to play competitively as part of a team or focus on your own health and fitness, you will have the chance to join in with a range of sporting activities, including:

- Aerobics
- Football
- Volleyball
- Badminton
- Cricket
- Basketball
- Skiing
- Netball
- Cross-country
- Weight training
- Tennis
- Table-tennis
- Fitness training
- Boxing.

As a Christ the King Sixth Form student, you are welcome to use our facilities at lunchtime and after school, including:

- Sports centre
- Gym and multigym
- Four badminton courts
- Five-a-side football pitch
- Basketball court
- Cricket nets

Many of our students have achieved team and individual success both at county and international level, and we host regular visits by accomplished athletes. You will also have the opportunity to take part in our annual Sports Day which brings together all three Christ the King Sixth Form centres for a fantastic celebration of sport.

Find out how
to apply on
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or apply online at
ctkemmanuel.ac.uk



Entry Requirements and Essential Information

Each Christ the King Sixth Form has a distinctive environment and provides a set of unique opportunities for its students.

“I have enjoyed meeting past students at CTK, who come in to speak to us about what has made them successful. I have also enjoyed learning to stay dedicated in order to achieve my goals – I would like to become an interior or textile designer and will be going on to study Textile Design at London Metropolitan University.

My teachers have recommended workshops and summer schools to attend. Everyone at CTK dedicates their time to helping students achieve their goals.”

**Wendy –
BTEC Art and Design**

At CTK Emmanuel, our focus is on providing high level professional qualifications which enable bright, ambitious, hard-working students to be the best they can be, gaining access to top universities as a result.

You'll achieve this by choosing a subject that you find motivational and highly enjoyable, taking part in exciting, exceptional lessons, and receiving extensive pastoral support to ensure you achieve your true potential.

CTK Emmanuel now offers an even wider range of courses with the introduction of A Level equivalent pathways, where you can study three individual subjects, each worth the same UCAS points as one A Level. See page 21 for our full range of Pathway options.

Entry criteria for CTK Emmanuel

Our BTEC Level 3 Professional Graduate Programme (PGP) is equivalent to 3 A Levels.

To join our Professional Graduate Programme, you'll need four GCSEs at grades 9-4 including Maths and English.

If you show determination, hard work and a desire to succeed, yet you don't yet meet these entry requirements, we have a range of programmes to help you excel in our nurturing and aspirational environment. Please see page 22 for other routes.

Dress code at CTK Emmanuel

As a professional centre for excellence, when you attend CTK Emmanuel, the dress code for you and your fellow students will be smart, dark-coloured business attire and tailored clothing. This will be worn for the majority of your time when at the sixth form. There will be other times where specific professional clothing will be worn, for example, tracksuits for sports, loose clothing for performance studies and specific over-jacket for engineering.

This is intended to support you in making appropriate choices as you prepare for the professional area of your choice.

I enjoy the numerous talks and university visits that CTK arranges for us, as well as the diverse group of people that I get to meet.



Students say:

“The Chaplaincy is a calm place where all students can go to clear their minds and discuss anything that is bothering them; they are always able to get an answer.”

Chaplaincy

CTK Emmanuel has a chaplaincy team on hand to support you in your day-to-day life and your journey of faith, whatever your faith may be. The chaplaincy team, inspired by the life and teachings of Jesus Christ, are there to accompany you in times of joy or difficulty by providing a listening ear, and to help you develop spiritually.

The spacious and comfortable Chaplaincy is a hub for social activity, open to all students from all faiths and none – you can drop in and relax, meet friends or take part in activities. The beautiful adjoining chapel is a place for prayer and worship. You can visit the chapel as a quiet place for some peace and space for reflection. Chapel services include a weekly Mass and on Holy Days throughout the year.

The Chaplaincy team meets regularly with tutor Chaplaincy representatives to discuss issues, plan events, and contribute to College Liturgies. You can sign up to be chaplaincy representatives – a great role to help you grow in confidence, develop leadership skills and to make a difference. You will receive support and training, as well as experiencing retreat opportunities.

TO VIEW THE FULL RANGE OF COURSES ON OFFER AT CTK EMMANUEL, VISIT www.ctlkemmanuel.ac.uk/courses



Your study choices at CTK Emmanuel

Extended Diplomas – equivalent to three A Levels

Our Extended Diplomas are equivalent to three A Levels. This option is great if you know what you want to study at university already, or if you want to focus on a single subject you really enjoy. You can study an Extended Diploma in Art, Business, Engineering, Health & Social Care, ICT, Media, Science, Forensic Science or Sport.

Combine 3 subjects with our A Level equivalent pathways

If you want to study more than one subject, you can choose to combine up to 3 different subjects with our A Level equivalent pathways – and you'll earn the same UCAS points as 3 A Levels. There are four pathways to choose from: Business, Law and ICT; Creative; Criminology; and Social Sciences. See page 21.

T Levels – New for September 2022

From September 2022 CTK Emmanuel has been selected to offer T Levels in Education & Childcare and Engineering & Manufacturing. T Levels are a brand-new, 2-year qualification that will give you a head start towards the career you want. T Levels have been designed in partnership with businesses and employers to give you the skills and knowledge to succeed in the workplace.

86%

of level 3 BTEC students gained high grades (distinction or above)

Courses at CTK Emmanuel

- Art and Design 14
- Business 15
- Engineering 15
- Health and Social Care 16
- Information Technology 17
- Media (Creative Digital Media Production) 17
- Performing Arts 18
- Science (Applied) 19
- Science (Forensic) 19
- Sport 20
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ART AND DESIGN

BTEC TECHNICAL ADVANCED DIPLOMA *(Equivalent to 3 A Levels)*

If you'd like to work in the creative industry, this course supports progression into careers in fine art, graphic communication, fashion and textile design, animation, photography and 3D design.

CONTENT

You will experiment with a wide range of tools, materials and techniques in order to extend your practical skills. You will also have the opportunity to study and practice fine art, 3D and textile design, graphics and photography.

During your first year of study, you will develop the knowledge and skills that are essential to the creative process within a broad range of art and design practices. In your second year you will develop a portfolio of work that reflects your creative direction and personal identity within a specialist area of your choice. Work placements will enable you to gain experience in careers and pathway for the arts. Gaining real life experience which demonstrates the wide variety of roles art and design offers will be a key element of your time at CTK Emmanuel.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Please see the general entry requirements for CTK Emmanuel on page 12. If you do not meet these entry requirements, please see page 22 for other courses which may be of interest to you.

ASSESSMENT

This course is equivalent to three A Levels. You will be assessed through centre-devised projects and assignments.

FOR MORE COURSE
INFORMATION, SEE OUR
WEBSITE: ctkemmanuel.ac.uk



Michael – BTEC Art and Design

“I achieved DDD, equivalent to AAA at A Level. I'm going to study at UAL and my career goal is to become a graphic designer. My teachers helped me learn how to use the software that I needed to use for my subjects.”

Sarah – BTEC Engineering

“The BTEC Engineering course gave me a great opportunity to exercise my artistic and scientific interests all at once which helped me to discover my passion to become an Architectural Engineer.

I achieved D*D*D* in BTEC Level 3 Engineering, now I am doing my MEng in Architectural Engineering at the University of Leeds after just recently finishing my Industrial Placement working on flood alleviations schemes around Yorkshire.”



BUSINESS

BTEC TECHNICAL ADVANCED DIPLOMA *(Equivalent to 3 A Levels)*

This course is highly valued by employers and universities. It is a strong pathway to university-level courses and careers in subjects such as finance, human resources, management and marketing.

CONTENT

On this work-related course, you will complete projects and assignments that are based on realistic workplace situations, with a focus on finance, ICT, law and marketing. You will visit a range of workplaces and will receive input from many prestigious business partners. You will also access a work placement one day per week throughout your first year on this course. You will study topics such as exploring business, developing a marketing campaign, personal and business finance, managing an event, and international business. You will also develop your time management and essay writing skills. This two-year course is equivalent to three A Levels and will equip you with the necessary skills to progress to employment and higher education.

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ASSESSMENT

The course is equivalent to three A Levels. It is assessed both internally and externally by set tasks and examinations.

Anne-Elise – BTEC Business

“My teachers take their time to hold workshops to help us. They always give us feedback on our coursework. I would recommend CTK to anyone who’s thinking of applying, because teachers embrace all students and help them reach their full potential.

I achieved D*DD, equivalent to A*AA at A Level. I’m going on to study International Law at the University of Kent. I aspire to become an entertainment lawyer or barrister.”

ENGINEERING

BTEC TECHNICAL ADVANCED DIPLOMA *(Equivalent to 3 A Levels)*

If you study Engineering, you could soon be learning about sustainable energies, robotics, aeronautics, and medical technology or intelligent building design.. According to a 2018 government study, the engineering sector needs around 186,000 skilled recruits each year until 2024. There are a huge number of careers across every sector of the economy. This course is equivalent to 3 A Levels and accrues UCAS points in the same way – so there are lots of progression routes to respected universities to study Engineering at degree level.

CONTENT

Throughout the engineering course you will undertake a work placement, enabling you to use your knowledge and skills in practice in a real engineering context. It also enables you to bring your work placement experience back to the classroom and to enhance your understanding of the different disciplines and variety of work engineers undertake. You will be using Computer Aided Design (CAD) systems to design stimulating products, and standard computer packages to produce illustrated reports. You will study engineering product design and manufacture, microcontroller systems for engineers, calculus to solve engineering problems and engineering principles. Optional units include mechanical behaviour of non-metallic materials, welding technology, electrical installation of hardware and cables, Computer Aided Design, and electrical power distribution and transmission.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Please see the general entry requirements for CTK Emmanuel on page 12. If you do not meet these entry requirements, please see page 22 for other courses which may be of interest to you.

ASSESSMENT

The course is equivalent to three A Levels and is assessed through practicals, assessments and coursework.

HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

BTEC TECHNICAL ADVANCED DIPLOMA *(Equivalent to 3 A Levels)*

After completing your advanced diploma, you can progress on to degrees in social work, paramedic science, occupational therapy, police, probation services, midwifery, youth and community work and all fields of nursing.

This course can also provide access to relevant apprenticeships in care.

CONTENT

This course will provide you with an excellent opportunity to develop a good knowledge base and practical care skills for professions within health and social care.

The BTEC Technical Advanced Diploma in Health and Social Care will empower you to grow in confidence, improve their organisational skills and mature intellectually.

You still study topics such as human lifespan development, working in health and social care, anatomy and physiology, enquiries into current research in health and social care, meeting individual care and support needs,

promoting public health, and principles of safe practice in health and social care. You will also undertake a work placement as part of your course. As a health practitioner you will need to understand and develop your knowledge and skills in real life situations. The work placement is essential in building your understanding and experience of health care in a variety of settings.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

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ASSESSMENT

This course is equivalent to three A Levels. Four units on this course will be externally assessed through examinations, which makes up 42% of the final result. All remaining units will be assessed and graded through reports, activities, a controlled assessment and a variety of other tasks.

FOR MORE COURSE
INFORMATION, SEE OUR WEBSITE:
ctkemmanuel.ac.uk



Brian – BTEC Health & Social Care

“I was delighted to get D*DD, equivalent to A*AA at A Level. I am going to study Pharmacy at East Anglia University. I would 100% recommend CTK Emmanuel to others, the teachers push you to be the best you can be.”



INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

BTEC TECHNICAL ADVANCED DIPLOMA *(Equivalent to 3 A Levels)*

This is an excellent course to study if you are considering a degree or career in information systems, computer animation, website design or database administration. A BTEC in Information Technology is also a good pathway to combine with business information systems and project management.

CONTENT

You will be studying the relationship between hardware and software, managing and communicating information and data, and the principles of designing and developing digital technologies and processes to support organisations. This course also includes a choice of optional units, covering areas such as data modelling and analytics, mobile internet technologies, creative technologies and enterprise for IT. The core units you will study include Information Technology systems, creating systems to manage information, using social media in business, programming, IT project management, cyber security and incident management and IT service delivery.

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ASSESSMENT

This course is equivalent to three A Levels. You will be assessed through centre devised projects and assignments.



DID YOU KNOW...

The skills shortage in key areas of the digital economy means there are a vast amount of job opportunities for you, should you study an ICT related course at university.

Source: Overview of the IT sector in the UK

MEDIA (CREATIVE DIGITAL MEDIA PRODUCTION)

BTEC TECHNICAL ADVANCED DIPLOMA *(Equivalent to 3 A Levels)*

This course is valued by employers and universities. On completion of the course you can progress to a degree course such as multimedia, advertising, TV or film. The course also provides excellent opportunities to begin work within the media industry.

CONTENT

The course in Creative Digital Media Production is perfect if your ambition is to work in the media or the creative industries, covering units such as film editing, sound editing, digital photography and advertising production.

You'll develop a broad understanding of creative media whilst building on specialist areas of interest. The course will ensure that you start building the technical skills, knowledge and understanding relevant to working in the evolving, fast moving and exacting media industry. The units also provide a unique insight into employment opportunities, job requirements, and working practices needed to compete in such a highly competitive industry.

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ASSESSMENT

This course is equivalent to three A Levels. You will be assessed by coursework and external examination.

Lara – BTEC Media

“I achieved D*D*D, equivalent to A*A*A at A Level. I recommend CTK because it has a strong sense of community and really good teachers. I've really enjoyed meeting new people and my course trips. My teachers offer one-to-one support and advice on improving my coursework. I have applied to study Communications and Media at the University of Kent.”

PERFORMING ARTS

BTEC TECHNICAL ADVANCED DIPLOMA *(Equivalent to 3 A Levels)*

This course can lead to degrees in related subjects such as performance, theatre studies, dance, drama, choreography and acting.

CONTENT

This is a two-year course that is equivalent to three A Levels and is suitable for anyone wanting to progress to university or to work in the performing arts industry. This is an engaging course which will cover units in acting, dance and musical theatre, including individual and group performance, research and analysis – research methodology, independent learning, extended writing, idea generation, evaluating information and drawing conclusions from it. You will develop your knowledge and skills for employment in performing arts, including self-promotion and marketing.

You will also develop your all-round performance skills and transferable skills such as self-confidence, self-presentation, personal discipline, time management

and organisational skills which are highly regarded by employers and higher education providers.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

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ASSESSMENT

You will be assessed through seven mandatory units, four of which are externally assessed.



DID YOU KNOW...

Three of the top four jobs held by graduates employed in the UK include actors, entertainers and presenters, arts officers, producers, directors, dancers and choreographers?

Prospects: What do performing arts graduates do?

FOR MORE COURSE INFORMATION, SEE OUR WEBSITE: ctkemmanuel.ac.uk

Jack – BTEC Forensic Science

“I achieved D*D*D (equivalent to A*A*A at A Level) and am now going to the University of Derby.

Everyone is really friendly and welcoming at CTK and I've made a lot of friends. I want to study Forensic Science at University so that I can work in police forensics in the future. My tutor has helped me with my UCAS application and my science teacher has really helped me with my coursework. I would recommend CTK because the teachers are very supportive.”



SCIENCE (APPLIED)

BTEC TECHNICAL ADVANCED DIPLOMA *(Equivalent to 3 A Levels)*

If you study Applied Science, there is a wide range of career paths you could take, including pharmacy, engineering, nutritional science and nursing.

CONTENT

This two-year, full-time course is equivalent to 3 A Levels, which means you can progress to a range of universities. During the course, you'll study science investigation skills, principles and applications of science, genetics and genetic engineering, physiology of human body systems and electrical circuits and their application. You'll also develop medical physical techniques, laboratory techniques and their applications, investigative science project, microbiology and microbiological techniques and forensic evidence collection and analysis.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

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ASSESSMENT

You will be assessed through a combination of internally set and verified coursework, written examinations and externally assessed assignment tasks.

Ajith – BTEC Applied Science

"I applied to CTK after coming to a progression day arranged by CTK with my school. I would 100% recommend CTK to others, the college improves you not only academically but in all aspects. CTK really lived up to my expectations, I have made good friends and the teachers are so supportive. I was so happy to get my final grades D*D*D* and I'm now going to study Biomedical Science at Warwick University."



SCIENCE (FORENSIC)

BTEC TECHNICAL ADVANCED DIPLOMA *(Equivalent to 3 A Levels)*

BTEC Forensic Science is respected by universities, and progression to Higher Education is high. You could go on to pursue a range of different career paths including biomedical sciences, forensic science, engineering, bioscience, nutrition, biochemistry, pharmacology, radiography and nursing.

CONTENT

During your two-year course, you'll study the principles and applications of science, practical scientific procedures and techniques, science investigation skills, laboratory techniques and their applications and contemporary issues in science. The optional units will cover topics such as chemical analysis, applications of organic chemistry, and forensic evidence collection and analysis.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

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ASSESSMENT

You will be assessed through coursework, written examinations and externally assessed assignments. 60% of your course will be assessed through coursework and the remaining 40% through externally assessed written examinations that will assess your scientific knowledge and practical skills.

Did you know that the average salary for Science jobs is

£57,500

Source: CW jobs: average salary for Science jobs

SPORT

BTEC TECHNICAL ADVANCED DIPLOMA *(Equivalent to 3 A Levels)*

The BTEC Technical Advanced Diploma in Sport is for those wishing to pursue a career in sports development or jobs in coaching and the fitness industry, sports therapy and rehabilitation and business in sport, for example marketing.

It is also appropriate for progression to teaching roles that would be entered through specialist degree routes.

CONTENT

You will develop knowledge, understanding, practical skills and appreciation of the context in which sports activity takes place. You will study topics such as anatomy and physiology, fitness training and programming for health, sport and well-being, sports leadership, sports event organisation, development and provision of sport and physical activity, coaching for performance, professional development in the sports industry, sports psychology, practical sports performance, application of fitness testing, rules and regulations, investigating business in sport, skill acquisition and research methods.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

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ASSESSMENT

This course is equivalent to three A Levels. You will be assessed through coursework and externally examined units.



DID YOU KNOW...

A degree in a sports related subject will provide you with a strong foundation on which you can build a career in the sports industry. It will also give you highly transferable business and management skills.

Prospects: What can I do with my Sports Science degree?

FOR MORE COURSE
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ctkemmanuel.ac.uk



Liam – BTEC Sport

“I achieved D*D*D* which is equivalent to A*AA* at A Level. I plan to become a PE Teacher so I’m going to Birmingham City University to study PE and School Sport. I have enjoyed the company of my fellow students and the support and friendly nature of my teachers throughout my time at CTK. My teachers have been incredibly helpful, approachable and supportive. They have given me all the opportunities to achieve and exceed my desired grades.”



A LEVEL EQUIVALENT PATHWAYS

AT CTK EMMANUEL

Each pathway combines three single A Level equivalent vocational subjects, designed to give you a head start in your chosen career path and university destination.

Business and Law Pathway

Three A Level equivalent subjects in this pathway: Business, Law and ICT

This pathway is made up of three of the most popular subjects and has been designed to suit you if you have an interest in law or business. Many of our business students move onto degree and degree apprenticeships in business, law and ICT, with many business students choosing to specialise in business law. This pathway also opens up the option for students wanting to move into ICT- related degrees.

Creative Pathway

Three A Level equivalent subjects in this pathway: Business, Art and Creative Media

The creative pathway will give you the opportunity to express your art in many forms, as well as using media to expand your skill set in the creative and arts field. Our art and media students go on to study on competitive Art Foundation courses, architecture, media production and more. Including business in this pathway enables you to learn how to run your future creative, art or media business, or to go on to study degrees in media, business or marketing as well as art and design subjects.

Criminology Pathway

Three A Level equivalent subjects in this pathway: Criminology, Psychology, Health & Social Care

The Criminology pathway brings together expertise in psychology, law, sociology, criminology and health and would be an excellent choice for students interested in professions in fields such as the National Probation Service, the Courts and Tribunals Service, the Police or health & social care. Throughout this engaging course, you will gain an understanding of why people commit crime, influences on perceptions of crime and an understanding of the criminal justice system – from crime identification through to the final verdict. This pathway could lead you to study a degree in criminology, law, psychology, sociology or social care.

Social Sciences Pathway

Three A Level equivalent subjects in this pathway: Law, Health & Social Care and Psychology

The social sciences pathway brings together an expertise in health, psychology and legal frameworks and is an excellent choice if you are interested in professions within social care. Our health and social care students progress to university courses such as nursing, midwifery and psychology and this pathway opens up even more university and career options for students.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

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ASSESSMENT

Each pathway is equivalent to three A Levels. You will be assessed through coursework and externally examined units.



Rukaya – BTEC Health & Social Care

“I achieved D*D*D, equivalent to A*A*A at A Level. I’m now studying Criminology and Forensic Psychology at Kingston University.

I came to CTK because I heard the college gets outstanding results. My teachers have pushed me to achieve my best and have given me a lot of support.”

Our Graduate Programmes which one is for you?

Stand out from the crowd with our unique Graduate Programmes, developed exclusively by Christ the King Sixth Forms.

Professional Graduate Programme

BTEC Level 3

This is our most popular programme as it is equivalent to 3 A Levels and enables you to progress to top universities, studying one of the vocational subjects listed in this prospectus.

You will have the unique opportunity to gain additional professional qualifications, which will give you a competitive edge when making university or job applications. You will also access a bespoke progression and careers programme as well as receiving extensive pastoral support and careers advice. See page 12 to 13 for entry requirements, and pages 14 to 21 for full course information.

Aspiring Graduate Programme

BTEC Level 2

This programme gives you opportunities to consolidate your learning so that you can progress to Level 3 courses, if you don't yet meet the entry criteria. Subjects available on this programme are:

- Art and Design
- Business
- Engineering
- Health and Social Care
- Media (Creative and Digital Media Production)
- Sport
- GCSE English and Maths

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Minimum of 4 GCSEs at grade 3 or above.

The Aspiring Graduate Programme will develop self-confidence, communication and study skills. Your tutors will deliver a bespoke tutorial programme, catered to your needs and aspirations and also including English and Maths.

Foundation Graduate Programme

BTEC Level 1

This programme will help you to progress on to a Level 2 programme of study by developing effective ways of studying, and giving you the communications skills, business initiative and confidence you need to succeed. Subjects available on this programme are:

- Business
- Creative Arts
- Literacy 1
- Numeracy 1

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Minimum of 4 GCSEs at grade 2 or above.

You will be enrolled in a tutorial programme which offers specialist teaching on a nationally recognised qualification. You will be given support to progress at CTK Emmanuel or elsewhere. If you want to move into work, we will help you in seeking an apprenticeship or job.

FOR MORE COURSE
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HOW TO APPLY

Please apply online at ctkemmanuel.ac.uk

If you are an ambitious student who wants to pursue your education in a sixth form setting, we look forward to receiving your application. We welcome students of every faith and none, but all students must respect and support our Catholic ethos and values.

For more information on how to apply, our full admissions policy can be found online at ctkemmanuel.ac.uk

Application Deadline

29 January 2021

Deadline for all applications.



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