



**Be the best  
you can be**



**CTK EMMANUEL**  
A CHRIST THE KING SIXTH FORM

**Prospectus**  
**2026 - 2027**

A professional sixth form centre for excellence

# Welcome to CTK Emmanuel

**If you are a dedicated student aiming to excel in your chosen profession, our centre for professional excellence is the right place to realise your ambitions.**

At CTK Emmanuel, you can choose your specialist area from a broad and diverse range of BTEC, T Level and Pathway subjects. These courses are designed to prepare you for university and future careers in fields such as engineering, business, health, education, creative industries, IT and digital technology, media, sport, science, childcare, nursing, psychology, law and criminology.

You will benefit from outstanding pastoral care, the structured environment of a sixth form, a powerful alumni network, and valuable industry exposure in your chosen subject area. In addition, you will receive high-quality, specialist teaching tailored to your individual needs, along with dedicated career guidance to support your progression to top universities.

All our Level 3 programmes are equivalent to A Levels. Students can either select one course equivalent to 3 A Levels or combine 3 individual subjects, each equivalent to one A Level. In 2025, over 85% of our Level 3 students progressed to university, including many who secured places at highly regarded Russell Group institutions.

Our students progress to universities such as Bristol, Manchester, Cardiff, Warwick, Goldsmiths, and Kings College, studying subjects like Mathematics and Statistics, Midwifery, Biomedical Science, Cyber Security, Management and Administration, and Automotive Engineering.

Staff and student wellbeing is central to everything we do and is embedded in our mission statement. CTK Emmanuel is an innovative, prestigious, and highly regarded sixth form, where we champion 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", that they may have life in all its fullness.

Once you graduate from CTK Emmanuel, you will possess confidence, ambition, self-belief, and all the essential skills and experience to enter university or embark on a brilliant career.

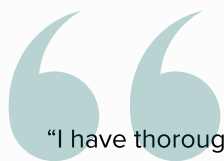
Welcome to CTK Emmanuel!



**Mrs Shireen Razey OBE**  
Executive Principal  
CTK Sixth Forms



**Ms Jayne Morgan**  
Deputy Principal  
CTK Emmanuel



"I have thoroughly enjoyed my work placement at ISG Construction. Working with the team was both fun and educational, providing me with invaluable experience. I've also loved sixth form life, meeting new people and going on various trips. My teachers have been incredibly supportive, helping me succeed in my studies. Next, I plan to pursue a Mechanical Engineering Apprenticeship."

**Jennifer achieved Merit (M)  
- T Level Engineering**



Open  
Events

Book your place at any of our open events or for more information visit [ctkemmanuel.ac.uk/open-events/](https://ctkemmanuel.ac.uk/open-events/)

We will be holding open events throughout the year - please check the website for the latest information





## Our Location

CTK Emmanuel is a professional sixth form centre for excellence based in Blackheath/Lewisham. Our central location guarantees easy accessibility via multiple forms of public transportation, all with excellent connectivity.

Our learning environment combines exceptional teaching in a friendly and nurturing sixth form setting.



“My favourite thing about being a CTK student is the exciting and enriching trips that I have been invited to, such as visits to Sony Pictures UK, Michael McIntyre's Big Show, and Kew Gardens. I was also nominated for, and won, the Jack Petchey Award. For me, this award was recognition of my hard work. I highly recommend applying to CTK; studying here will elevate your academic skills to the next level within a peaceful, supportive, and faith-based community. I am going to study at the MetFilm school, to study Content, Media and Film Production, in order to pursue a career in filmmaking.”



**Haran achieved D\*D\*D  
- BTEC Media**

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# 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.



## Courtney - UAL Art & Design

"I'll be going to the Canterbury Christ Church University to study Product Design and I couldn't have done it without the support of my teachers, helping me to look for Universities and helping me write my personal statement.

Thank you CTK!"

## Choosing the right course

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, IT, media or journalism, business and law. We offer a range of A Level equivalent pathways (see page 24), BTECs and T Levels.

## Be Prepared to Strive

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.

**T Levels** are a 2-year qualification that will give you a head start towards the career you want, thanks to a 45-day work placement. T Levels have been designed in partnership with businesses and employers to give the skills and knowledge to succeed in the workplace.

**BTEC Advanced Diplomas (equivalent to three A Levels)** are a great option if you know what you want to study at university already, or if you want to focus on a single subject you really enjoy.

**A Level equivalent pathways** combines 3 different subjects, allowing you to earn the same UCAS points as 3 A Levels.

## Apply to the best universities and degree apprenticeships

You'll be encouraged to apply to top universities and degree apprenticeships with personalised support for your UCAS applications and interviews. Our outstanding careers guidance—recognised by the national Quality in Careers Standard Award—ensures you make informed choices. You'll hear from graduates and undergraduates, attend our annual careers conference, and network with representatives from leading universities and organisations in the UK.

## External Speakers

Our external speaker programme brings over 50 inspiring professionals and industry specialists to Christ the King Sixth Forms each year, giving you a window into a wide range of careers.

Thanks to our strong links with employers, universities and organisations, you'll hear from experts across industries—from corporate lawyers, barristers, and business leaders at HSBC, BP and BT, to creatives working in media, design, and the arts.

You'll also benefit from work placements, guest lectures, and professional mentoring programmes with partners like the EY Foundation, Barclays, and Urban Synergy. Many of our talented alumni return to share their journeys and offer advice, with some even sitting on our Local Board to help shape the future of CTK.

## Mentoring

CTK partners with several organisations to offer Mentoring Programmes that support your career goals. One example is the Elevate Mentoring Programme, created by CTK alumnus Trevor Gomes, Digital Analytics Specialist at Vodafone. Elevate provides valuable skills, personal branding, and employability coaching to prepare you for higher education and the workforce. Other programmes include The Diana Award, UrbanSynergy, Unloc, and Revolution Hive.



## 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?

# 99.7%

of over 500 students received a pass rate on BTEC Level 3 courses at CTK in 2025



## Careers Conference

You will be inspired at our Careers Conference, which provides an excellent opportunity to explore your options. Whether you are an aspiring engineer, banker or entrepreneur. This event will give you the chance to meet a range of professionals, choosing from hundreds of workshops, speakers and exhibitors learning more about your area of interest and discover more about how you can achieve your 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 your work experience.

## Excel with Our Support

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.

Your study programme will be timetabled around your needs and your personal tutor will stay with you throughout your time at CTK. They will regularly review your progress, help with any difficulties and work with you to set achievable goals.

## At CTK Emmanuel students go on to over 70 university destinations.

These include:

**A. Aston University, Birmingham**

**B. Queen Mary University**

**C. King's College London**

**D. The University of Kent**

**E. Cardiff University**

**F. The University of Warwick**

**G. The University of Nottingham**

**H. University of Greenwich**

**I. University of Liverpool**

**J. University of Reading**



**APPROXIMATELY 85%**  
of CTK learners progress to university or degree apprenticeship

# Be Someone to Look Up To

You will be empowered to achieve your full potential with our combination of academic excellence and outstanding pastoral care. You will be inspired to succeed both academically and as a person, learning the important life skills of resilience, confidence, courage and creativity.

## The CTK Graces

**G**RIT

**R**ESPECT

**A**WARENESS

**C**URIOSITY

**E**NDEAVOUR

**S**ELF-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.

### Character Education Programme - The CTK Graces

Through our Character Education Programme. The CTK Graces, you will develop the traits and attributes you need to be discerning and to thrive in the highly competitive world that awaits you. You will take part in a learning programme that invites you to consider the personal, spiritual and moral issues you will face in the future.

This ethos is fully supported through the work of our Chaplaincy, where the team will celebrate with you in times of joy and listen or advise you in times of difficulty.

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.

You are always supported at CTK Emmanuel.

“Governors, leaders and staff... aspire for young people to succeed by putting in place a high-quality tutorial and ethics programme. This covers topics such as careers awareness, including through sessions with external speakers and by running corporate insight days.”

We're **Good** with  
**Outstanding** features







# Be Inspired

**Stand out from the crowd with our unique graduate programme. These are specially designed by CTK to harness your talents, tailored to your subject matter and ability, and guaranteed to help you shine.**

## 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 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 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 25.

### You will enjoy:

- A wide range of high level **BTEC, T Level and A Level Professional Pathway** courses to choose from
- Outstanding **pastoral care**
- Specialised **graduate programmes**
- Fantastic **link with universities and employers**
- Extensive **enrichment and sporting opportunities**
- State-of-the-art **facilities**
- Excellent **transport links** and a fantastic location

# Be Highly Employable

**Whether you choose a BTEC, T Level or a Professional Pathway programme at CTK Emmanuel, you can be sure you will be given every opportunity to develop your work experience, employability, professional network and career plan.**

Your professional course includes a high-quality work placement over the course of 45 days, developing your confidence, communication and technical skills under the mentorship of some brilliant employers and charities.

You will also attend inspirational talks from successful people in your chosen industry and have the opportunity to be mentored through the Elevate Professional Development Programme to develop your employability skills and personal brand.



## Could your company offer work placements?

We are always looking for employer partners to provide work placements and career inspiration to our motivated, bright and ambitious students. You could contribute in several ways, ranging from hosting online careers talks, to sharing your inspirational work journey, setting a live project or challenge, or offering internships and work placements. You could even sponsor a scholarship opportunity, such as our existing Metric Capital scholarship.

Please contact [enquiries@ctksfc.ac.uk](mailto:enquiries@ctksfc.ac.uk) to talk about partnering with our sixth form and creating high quality opportunities for students.

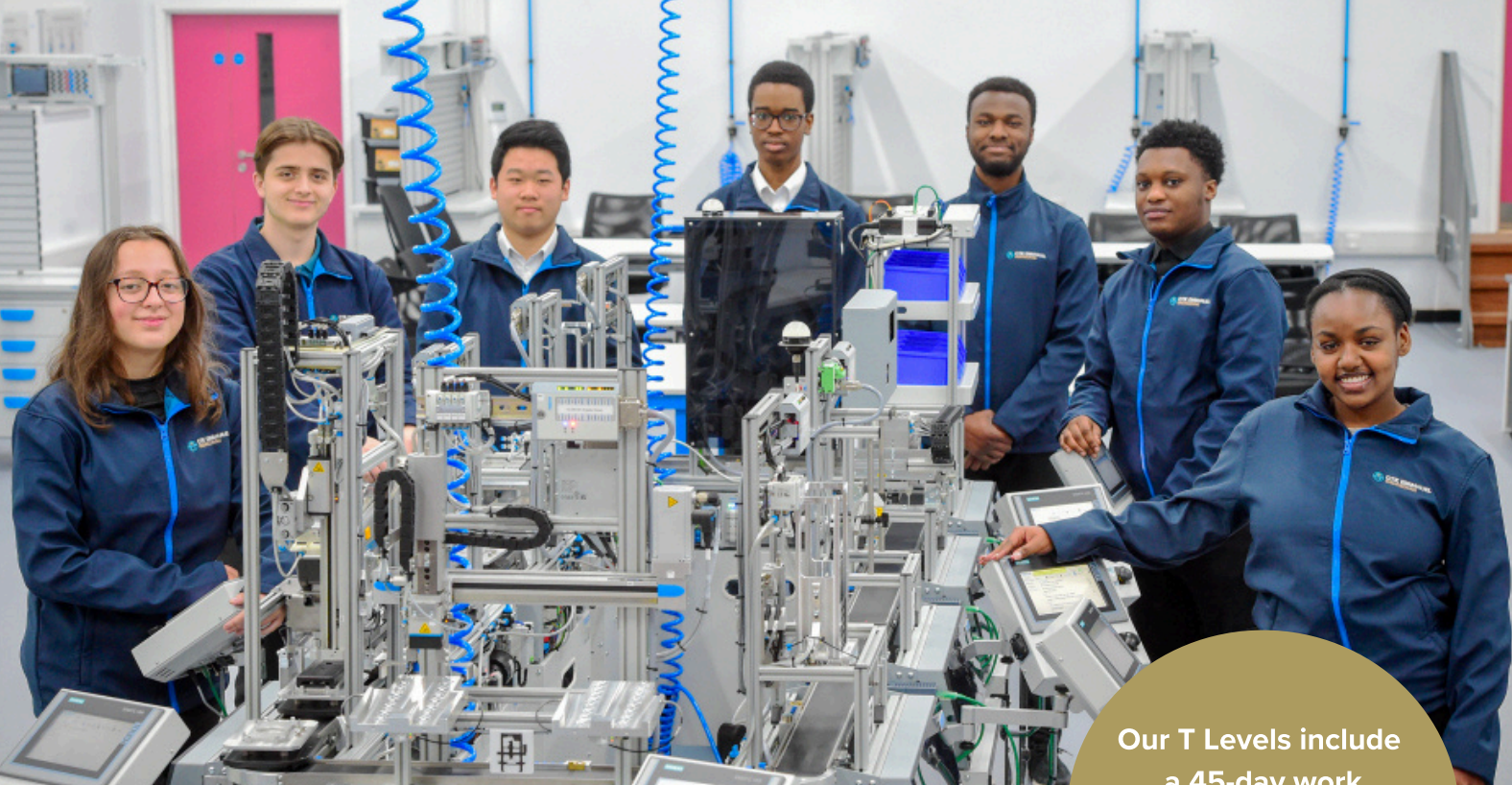


### Kehinde - achieved D\*D\*D in BTEC Health and Social Care

“While being a CTK student, I really enjoyed doing my course, Health and Social Care. I have learned a lot from this course and developed a lot of skills that will help me in my future career. My favourite thing about being a CTK student is the level of support provided for students, as well as the commitment to inclusivity, which allows students to feel valued and included.

I would recommend CTK to any student considering applying. As a CTK student, I have experienced a lot of support from both teachers and staff. Additionally, CTK helps students develop important skills, such as time management. One example of this is the LRC sessions, which have helped me complete a significant amount of work. It also helped me to develop a new way of studying and getting a lot of work done. I realised that a quiet, public place helps me to get work done more efficiently.”





Our T Levels include  
a 45-day work  
placement -  
see pages 20-23  
for details

**Dominic - T Level Engineering and Manufacturing**  
Engineering student Dominic completed work placements at Willmott Dixon, Mace, Festo, London Build, Turner & Townsend and Broadgate. He achieved Distinction (equivalent to AAA at A Level) and is doing a Degree Apprenticeship with Turner & Townsend LLP.

## My Industry Placement

"I chose to study a T Level in Engineering Maintenance, Installation and Repair because I wanted a course that didn't just teach theory, but gave me real-world experience. I've always been someone who learns best by doing, and this course gave me the chance to build practical skills, understand how different systems work, and learn how to solve real problems on-site. The focus on safety and regulations also taught me how important it is to work responsibly and professionally in this industry.

During my industry placement, I worked with Willmott Dixon. From the moment I stepped onto site, I was involved in many things: project meetings, helping with safety checks, tracking progress against deadlines, and learning how sustainability plays a role in construction. I also got to shadow project and site managers, which gave me a real understanding of how much planning and teamwork

goes into making a project successful. Being on a live site, seeing things come together, made it feel real and confirmed that this is the path I want to take.

## My Personal Achievements

One of my first accomplishments during my industry placement with Willmott Dixon, was earning my CSCS card, which gave me access to the site and showed I understood the industry's health and safety standards. I also completed two weeks of technical training with Festo, where I was proud to receive both the Top Achiever and Completion awards in Pneumatics, Electro Pneumatics, and PLC Programming. This placement didn't just help me grow technically; it actually shaped me personally.

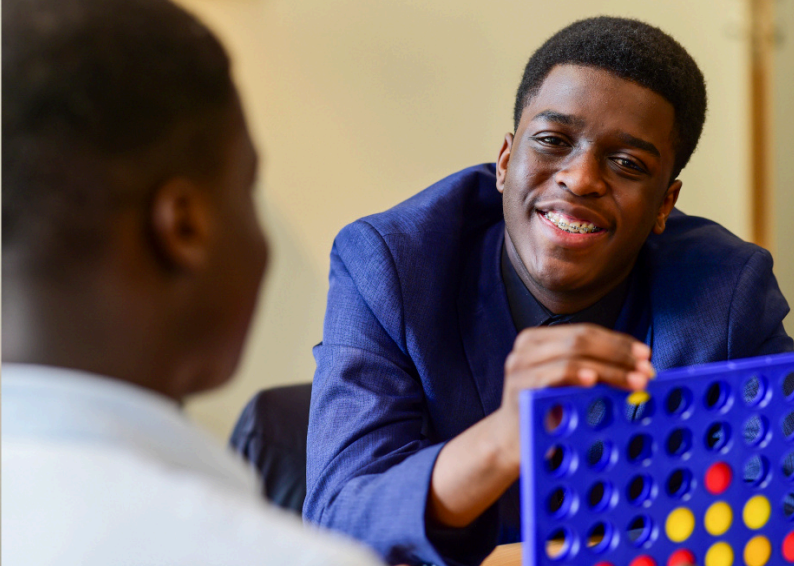
## My Organisational Impact

I approached every day with the mindset that I could add value.

I saw it as an opportunity not just to learn, but to contribute, being proactive, reliable, and engaged. My willingness to get involved with different teams across the site helped build strong relationships. I learned to communicate clearly, follow instructions carefully, and support colleagues with small but meaningful tasks. I believe my contributions positively supported the team's daily operations, creating a positive site environment."







# Our 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 daily prayer, a weekly mass and mass services on Holy Days throughout the year.

The Chaplaincy team meets regularly with 10:10 student Chaplaincy Representatives to discuss issues, plan events, and contribute to 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.



"I have felt really supported in terms of opportunities and outlets for prayer and reflection."

## Spiritual Retreats

Each year, students across Christ the King Sixth Forms are given the opportunity to embark on spiritual residentials. Students have visited numerous remarkable cities, including Barcelona, Rome, Aylesford and Kintbury.

"Our Chaplaincy is the heart of our sixth form. It's a place where all students can meet and form new friendships. I enjoy coming to this space due to its calm atmosphere and spending time with the Lay Chaplain."





# Our Community

**You will be joining a warm, friendly community of like-minded people where you will be encouraged to get involved in sixth form life.**

## Extracurricular

Life at CTK Emmanuel goes beyond academic success – it's a chance to explore your interests, develop talents, and try new things. From debating and dance to music, filmmaking, sports, and chess, there's something for everyone. We offer a range of Student Leadership opportunities, including the Student Council, a seat on our Governing Body, and roles on local community and environmental panels.

The Student Council leads exciting events such as:

- Charity fundraisers and appeals
- Talent showcases
- Sports competitions
- The leavers' prom

Students can also take part in enrichment activities, including:

- Volunteering in nurseries, primary schools, care homes, hospitals, and community gardens
- Work shadowing and volunteering
- UK and overseas residential trips

We encourage all students to get involved, build new skills, and make the most of life at CTK.

## Community Day

Community Days at CTK mark the end of each term, celebrating our mission of "living life to the full" (John 10:10). These days bring students and staff together in unity, reflection, and celebration. Centred on faith, service, and community, they strengthen connections across the sixth form.

We recognise student achievements and encourage them to explore their interests and talents through activities and inter-hall competitions. Community Days reflect the vibrant, values-driven spirit of CTK.

## Social Action

Social action is a vital expression of our Catholic identity and mission. Rooted in the Gospel values of justice, compassion, and service to others, we encourage all students to become agents of positive change in their communities and the wider world.

Our annual Acts of Charity Day provides an amazing opportunity for students to make a meaningful contribution to the wider community through charity work and volunteering. Students take part in a wide range of activities, including helping out in local charities, litter collection, gardening, working in care homes, and promoting sustainability through local initiatives like the Lewisham water bottle refilling scheme.

Throughout the year, students proudly support a number of local and national charities, from CAFOD, the Jimmy Mizen Foundation, St. Vincent De Paul Society, Macmillan Cancer Care, Demelza Hospice, Children in Need, and local food banks. At Christmas and Easter, the community comes together for CTK's Annual Gift Appeal, where students generously donate and create gift hampers for selected charities and families in need. These acts of service are a living expression of CTK Catholic values, helping students grow in compassion, empathy, and social responsibility.

## Trips, Visits and Residentials

Students at CTK can enrich their sixth form experience through exciting trips and residentials in the UK and abroad. Recent destinations include Rome, Paris, New York, and the Tien Shan Mountains, along with retreats and pilgrimages. These experiences broaden horizons, build friendships, and reflect our commitment to developing well-rounded, globally aware individuals.





# Our Facilities

## Learning Resource Centre

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

## Facilities at CTK Emmanuel

Major investment in our facilities means that you will benefit from specialist resources including:

- Mock hospital ward for courses related to Health and Science
- Bespoke modular Engineering and Manufacturing centre with industry specialist equipment
- Fully equipped Science Laboratories
- Replicate Nursery Room
- Digital Immersive classroom
- A professional Business Hub
- Networked computer rooms and Apple Mac suite
- Dedicated Art, Design and Technology rooms including media suite with digital editing and recording facilities
- Supportive Careers Hub
- Chaplaincy area including Chapel, Multi-faith room and Chapel common room
- Fitness suite and large sports centre

## Sports

Whether you play competitively as part of a team or want to focus on your own health and fitness, sporting activities include:

Basketball, Volleyball, Badminton, Cricket, Football, Netball, Weight training, Tennis, Boxing, Table-tennis and Fitness training.

Take part in inter-collegial sports tournaments and our annual sports day with all three sites. Many students compete at county and national levels, and we regularly host visits from top athletes. You are welcome to use our facilities at lunchtime and after school, including:

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



## Sustainability

At Christ the King Sixth Forms, we prioritise environmental strategies and sustainability. Our initiatives include reducing our carbon footprint, promoting eco-friendly practices and leading environmental projects to raise awareness in our community. We proudly received the Eco-Schools Green Flag Award with Distinction for our efforts and were also winners of the national Sixth Form College Association Sustainability Award.

Our sustainability strategy is focused on addressing the urgent issue of climate change.

Our students winning idea in the IKEA X Let's Go Zero Competition involved creating an Eco Hub as a workspace for students, the local community and schools to enhance sustainability understanding and application. We aim to inspire students, staff, families and the community to join our sustainable journey.





# Entry Requirements

## Essential Information

**CTK Emmanuel is a Catholic Sixth Form where the values of honesty, integrity and mutual respect are central to our work. We welcome students from every faith, and none.**

### Parent/Guardian Feedback

Parents are encouraged to be involved in your education. Formal reports are produced four times a year and regular parent/guardian evenings ensure that you and your family can discuss your progress, ask questions and respond to your tutor's comments.

### Dress code at CTK Emmanuel

When you join, you and your fellow students will be expected to wear business-like attire. Plain black, dark grey, navy blue or dark brown formal, business-like suits are required (tailored trouser or skirt). A plain dark jumper or cardigan can be worn as an alternative. Coloured shirts or blouses are acceptable if suitable for a working environment.

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 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.

### Students with 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 reasonable adjustments to help you succeed.

### Heritage Languages

If you speak a heritage language, you may be able to take an A Level in it at CTK. Speak to us to find out more.

### Entry Requirements

Our BTEC Level 3, T Level and A Level Professional Pathways are equivalent to three A Levels. To join our Professional Graduate Programme, you will need:

- **Four GCSEs at grades 9-4 including Maths and English**
- **For Applied Science, four GCSEs grade 9-4 including English, Maths and Science are required.**

If you show determination, hard work and a desire to succeed, but have yet to meet these entry requirements, we have a range of programmes to help you excel in our nurturing and aspirational environment. Please see page 26 for more details.

### Partner Schools

We are proud to have strong, long-standing relationships with a number of local partner schools. These partnerships reflect our shared commitment to academic excellence and a values-based education rooted in faith. In cases where we are oversubscribed—receiving more applications than available places—priority is given to applicants from our partner schools. This ensures a smooth and supportive transition for students who have been part of our wider Catholic educational community.

- **Bonus Pastor Catholic College**
- **St Catherine's Catholic School**
- **St Columba's Boys' School**
- **St Matthew Academy**
- **St Michael's Catholic College**
- **St Paul's Academy**
- **St Thomas More Catholic Comprehensive School**
- **St Ursula's Convent School**
- **Trinity School**

## Course List

### BTECs

- 15 Art and Design
- 15 Business
- 16 Engineering
- 16 Health and Social Care
- 17 Information Technology
- 17 Media
- 18 Science (Applied)
- 18 Science (Forensic)
- 19 Sport

### T Levels

- 20 Accounting
- 20 Business - Management and Administration
- 21 Digital Production, Design and Development
- 21 Education and Childcare
- 22 Engineering and Manufacturing
- 23 Nursing

### A Level Professional Pathways

- 24 Business and Law
- 24 Criminology
- 24 Social Sciences







# ART AND DESIGN

## UAL ART AND DESIGN

*(EQUIVALENT TO 3 A LEVELS)*

If you would 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. Also, you will 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 pathways 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 entry requirements on page 13.

### Assessment

The course is equivalent to three A Levels. You will be assessed through an externally set assignment at the end of each year.

## DID YOU KNOW?

**Art can be found everywhere. The world's natural landscapes and the man-made structures that occupy them are both filled with art**

Source: Discover Walks - 10 amazing facts about art

**Ari - achieved DDM (equivalent to AAB at A Level) in BTEC Art and Design**

"I have enjoyed meeting new people, going on trips in London and abroad, and being in an environment which is inclusive for everyone. I would really recommend CTK. The teachers and tutors are excellent and they are with you every step of the way to ensure you achieve the best possible grade. My greatest achievements have been creating large scale art pieces to exhibit and receiving the Jack Petchey award and the Metric Capital Scholarship."

# 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, IT, law and marketing. You will visit a range of workplaces and will receive input from many prestigious business partners. Also, you will 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.

### Entry Requirements

Please see the entry requirements on page 13.

### Assessment

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



# ENGINEERING

## BTEC TECHNICAL ADVANCED DIPLOMA

*(EQUIVALENT TO 3 A LEVELS)*

If you study Engineering, you could soon be learning about sustainable energies, robotics, aeronautics, medical technology or intelligent building designs. According to a government study, the engineering sector needs around 186,000 skilled recruits each year. There are a huge number of careers across every sector of the economy.

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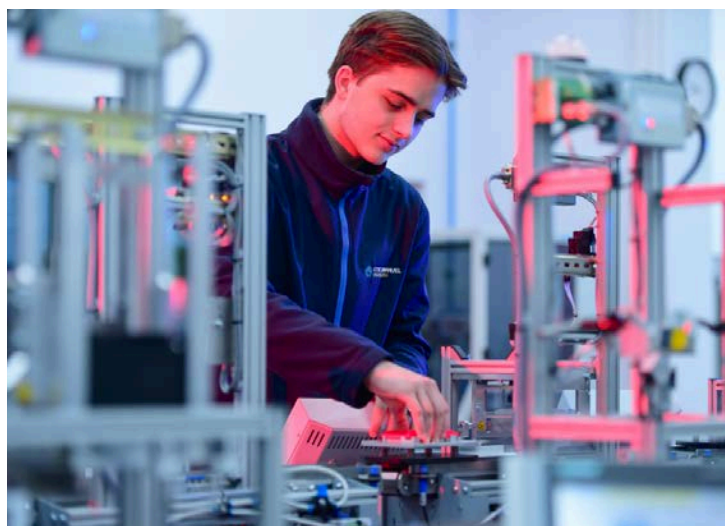
Throughout the engineering course, you will undertake a work placement, enabling you to use your knowledge and skills in practice in a real engineering context. It also enables you to bring your work placement experience back to the classroom and to enhance your understanding of the different disciplines and the 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 entry requirements on page 13.

### 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.

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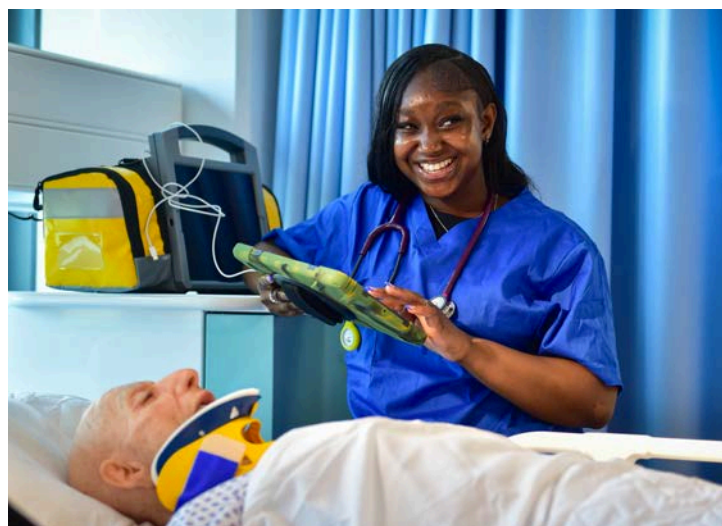
This course will provide you with an excellent opportunity to develop a good knowledge base and practical care skills for professions within health and social care. This course will empower you to grow in confidence, improve your organisational skills, and mature intellectually. You will study topics 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 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

Please see the entry requirements on page 13.

### Assessment

Four units on this course are assessed by exams, making up 42% of your final grade. You'll also complete 100 hours of work experience alongside your studies. The rest of the course is assessed through reports, activities, a controlled assessment, and a variety of other tasks.





# 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 relationships 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.

### Entry Requirements

Please see the entry requirements on page 13.

### Assessment

You will be assessed through centre devised projects and assignments.

### Nicolas - BTEC Media

“At CTK, I was surrounded by supportive teachers who provided feedback that helped me to become more confident in my course. They also helped me to find more apprenticeship opportunities and took me on lots of trips to expand my knowledge.”

# 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.

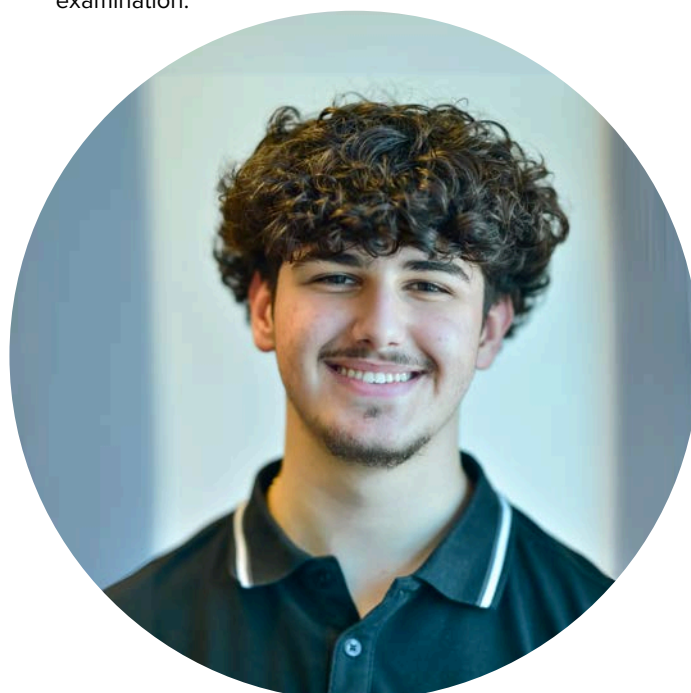
You will develop a broad understanding of creative media whilst building on specialist areas of interest. The course will ensure that you start building the technical skills, knowledge, and understanding relevant to working in the evolving, fast-moving and exacting media industry. The units also provide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

### Entry Requirements

Please see the entry requirements on page 13.

### Assessment

You will be assessed by coursework and external examination.



# 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 will 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 will also develop medical physical techniques, laboratory techniques and their applications, investigate a science project, microbiology and microbiological techniques, and forensic evidence collection and analysis.

### Entry Requirements

Please see the entry requirements on page 13.

### Assessment

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

## DID YOU KNOW?

**That the average salary for Science jobs is £52,000**

Source: CW jobs: average salary for Science jobs



# SCIENCE (FORENSIC)

## BTEC TECHNICAL ADVANCED DIPLOMA

*(EQUIVALENT TO 3 A LEVELS)*

BTEC Forensic Science is represented 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 will 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

Please see the entry requirements on page 13.

### 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 test your scientific knowledge and practical skills.







# SPORT

## BTEC TECHNICAL ADVANCED DIPLOMA

*(EQUIVALENT TO 3 A LEVELS)*

The BTEC Technical Advanced Diploma in Sports 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 sports, 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 training, rules and regulations, investigating business in sport, skill acquisition and research methods.

### Entry Requirements

Please see the entry requirements on page 13.

### Assessment

You will be assessed through coursework and externally examined units.

**Visit our website for more course information:**

[CTKEMMANUEL.AC.UK](http://CTKEMMANUEL.AC.UK)



### Stefan - BTEC Sport

"I have really enjoyed my time at CTK Emmanuel. It is a place that pushes you to get the best out of yourself. My biggest achievement was when I was awarded the Jack Petchey certificate and I became the course Rep for Sports.

I will always remember the extra support teachers gave me, I am going to study Sports and Physiotherapy at university."

# ACCOUNTING

## T LEVEL

(EQUIVALENT TO 3 A LEVELS)

This course has been developed in collaboration with industry professionals to equip you with the technical skills, knowledge, and practical experience needed to succeed in the accountancy sector. Accounting careers can include credit controller, payroll clerk, auditor, cashier finance assistant, purchase ledger clerk and more.

### Content

On this work-related course, you will build a strong understanding of accountancy principles and practice. This Technical Qualification aligns to the Payroll Administrator and Assistant Accountant Level 3 Apprenticeships and, therefore, supports progression to entry-level job opportunities in accountancy and payroll. You will study topics such as the business environment, regulation, security and risk, fundamentals of financial accounting plus professionalism and ethics/equality, diversity and inclusion.

### Entry Requirements

Please see the entry requirements on page 13.

### Assessment

The assessment is a mixture of externally set assessment with the Core assessment, Employer Set Project, Vocationally relevant work experience and a Synoptic assessment.

## DID YOU KNOW?

**The average graduate salary for accounting roles in the UK is around £33,000**

Source: Targetjobs.co.uk



# BUSINESS MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

## T LEVEL

(EQUIVALENT TO 3 A LEVELS)

A T Level in Business Management and Administration will help you develop the skills needed to excel as a business leader or even start your own venture. Business careers can include marketing, HR, law, quality assurance, project management, change management and more.

### Content

On this work-related course, you will complete projects and assignments that are based on realistic workplace situations, with a focus on finance, IT, law and marketing. You will visit a range of workplaces and will receive input from many prestigious business partners. 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.

### Entry Requirements

Please see the entry requirements on page 13.

### Assessment

The assessment is a mixture of externally set assessment with the Core assessment, Employer Set Project, Vocationally relevant work experience and a Synoptic assessment.





# DIGITAL PRODUCTION, DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT

## T LEVEL

*(EQUIVALENT TO 3 A LEVELS)*

This course is an excellent choice for a career encompassing software development and design. Employment options could include web development, web designer, software designer, computer games tester, computer games developer, e-learning developer and many more.

### Content

Throughout this 2-year course, you will gain skills and knowledge in a wide range of areas, including programming, security practices, data, problem-solving, and digital environments. You can expect to apply what you learn in a work environment, with a 45-day work placement. Your placement will provide you with invaluable insight, skills, and the experience of working in a professional setting.

If you are interested in technology and would like to have a career in the field, this T Level is an excellent choice to begin that journey.

### Entry Requirements

Please see the entry requirements on page 13.

### Assessment

The assessment is a mixture of externally set assessment with the Core assessment, Employer Set Project, Vocationally relevant work experience and a Synoptic assessment.



# EDUCATION AND CHILDCARE

## T LEVEL

*(EQUIVALENT TO 3 A LEVELS)*

Our T Level in Education and Childcare is a perfect match for you if you are aiming for a career in education or early years care. You can go on to study a range of childcare and education courses at university, a degree apprenticeship, or start work as a teaching assistant, nursery worker, learning mentor, or in special education needs.

### Content

This 2-year course provides a choice of three occupational specialisms: Early Years Education and Childcare, Assisting Teaching; and Supporting and Mentoring students in Further and Higher Education. All of these specialisms combine both on-site training with the 45-day work placement.

This is a great option if you are interested in learning the skills, knowledge, and behaviours needed to progress into skilled employment or higher-level technical training. You will learn a variety of practical and theoretical skills through learning at CTK Emmanuel, in our state-of-the-art facilities.

You will also get the opportunity to work in an organisation on a work placement, where you can put your learning in childcare or education into practice.

### Entry Requirements

Please see the entry requirements on page 13.

### Assessment

The assessment is a mixture of externally set assessment with the Core assessment, Employer Set Project, Vocationally relevant work experience and a Synoptic assessment.



## DID YOU KNOW...?

Big tech companies like Facebook, TikTok and YouTube are constantly recruiting engineers to keep their platforms running smoothly



## Emmanuel - T Level Engineering

"I've really enjoyed studying T Level Engineering at CTK. The course gave me lots of outside experience with other companies and I really enjoyed visiting sites made by CYT (Construction Youth Trust)."

## ENGINEERING AND MANUFACTURING

### T LEVEL

(EQUIVALENT TO 3 A LEVELS)

Engineers build skyscrapers, create robots and robotic systems, design and test mechanics, design and supervise large construction projects and invent and change ways of working in the world. Engineers might work in health and medicine as a bio engineer, in robotics or artificial intelligence, in the RAF or aviation engineering, in carbon neutral technology, join a tech start up, or work in oil or gas around the world.

#### Content

During this 2-year technical qualification, you will learn a range of theoretical and practical mechanical and electrical engineering skills. There are many different career routes available, including mechanical, robotic, electrical, industrial, chemical, or civil engineering. Mechanical engineers are responsible for designing and manufacturing products and machines. Electrical engineering is centered around electric-powered technology.

This T Level course has a strong focus on gaining practical workplace experience through a 45-day work placement, as well as developing a high level of theoretical, academic knowledge. You will take your learning from CTK into the work placement, providing an exceptional experience in a real engineering context. You will learn how to be an engineer in the workplace and make a valuable contribution at work.

You will learn what is expected of an engineer and how engineers conduct themselves in the workplace. This is a hugely exciting way of learning and developing your study and future career, studying and developing important work skills at the same time. You will learn in our exceptional engineering facilities, taught by our engineering team who are experts in their field. Our team works closely with you and our employer partners to ensure your placement helps you decide which element of engineering you enjoy the most, to inform your future career or university/apprenticeship choices.

#### Assessment

The assessment is a mixture of externally set assessment with the Core assessment, Employer Set Project, Vocationally relevant work experience and a Synoptic assessment.



# HEALTH - NURSING T LEVEL

*(EQUIVALENT TO 3 A LEVELS)*

Do you have a mission to improve and save lives? Nursing careers include nursing, health care, paramedic, occupational health, speech and language therapy, counselling, physiotherapy, and more. Other career options involve solving issues we face as a society – through becoming a youth worker, a social worker, or a counsellor. You could also go on to teach this subject in a college or university.

## Content

This exciting 2-year qualification will give you the experience and skills to be successful in health care, nursing, or midwifery. The course is focused on training you to work in the health sector in a front-line role, supporting midwives or adult nurses. There are a number of additional career options available to you when you progress from this course onto degree apprenticeships or full-time university study. After gaining a relevant degree, careers could include speech and language therapy, occupational health, or becoming a qualified midwife, paramedic, or nurse.

You will learn in our state-of-the-art health facilities, which include a careful recreation of a working hospital ward.

The T Level in Nursing will mix learning at CTK Emmanuel with work placements over a 45-day period. You will bring your work placement skills and experience back to your CTK teaching sessions, and you will be able to apply your academic learning while on your work placements.

## Entry Requirements

Please see the entry requirements on page 13.

## Assessment

The assessment is a mixture of externally set assessment with the Core assessment, Employer Set Project, Vocationally relevant work experience and a Synoptic assessment.



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## Health Work Placements

"I found my placement invaluable in gaining experience working with patients who have different medical conditions, including Alzheimer's and Schizophrenia. I have experienced the many ways in which these conditions affect each individual, and I have learned how medication helps them."

**Bridget - CTK Emmanuel student**

"Work placements give students the opportunity, experience and knowledge to understand what to expect within a health or care workplace.

The CTK students who complete work placements take on valuable roles within our care settings, experiencing as many real-life situations with our residents as possible. For us as a care organisation, it has been very beneficial to have such positive students who can interact with our residents, whether running activity sessions or taking time to have conversations with them."

**Roselyn - Manager, Waterfield Supported Homes**

# A LEVEL PROFESSIONAL PATHWAYS

## AT CTK EMMANUEL

(EQUIVALENT TO 3 A LEVELS)

Our A Level Pathway subjects have been chosen to take students to professional degree or degree apprenticeships - you can study three of the following subjects: **Business, Criminology, Environmental Science, Health, IT, Law, Psychology, and Sociology.**

As a guide, here are some suggested pathways, with progression routes.

### Business and Law Pathway

**Three A Level subjects in this pathway: Business, Law, and IT**

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

### Social Science Pathway

**Three A Level subjects in this pathway:**

**Psychology, Health and Social Care, and Sociology**

The Social Sciences pathway brings together expertise in health, sociology, 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, and this pathway opens up even more university and career options for students.



### Criminology Pathway

**Three A Level subjects in this pathway: Criminology, Law, and Health and 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 and social care. Throughout this engaging course, you will gain an understanding of why people commit crimes, 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.

### Pathways Entry Requirements

Please see the entry requirements for CTK Emmanuel on page 13.

### Assessment

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

### Lemara achieved DDD - Social Science Pathway

"I recommend coming to CTK as it is a really inclusive and fun environment that will enhance your development and provide you with new opportunities. My greatest achievements have been my roles as a student governor and senior student ambassador, as well as attending trips such as the Crown Court visit for my course. I am going to study Psychology with Counselling at Middlesex University."



# OUR GRADUATE PROGRAMMES

## WHICH ONE IS FOR YOU?

If you're still working towards meeting the entry requirements for our Level 3 courses, our **Aspiring**, **Foundation** and **Skills** Graduate Programme are designed to support your progression.

### ASPIRING GRADUATE PROGRAMME

#### BTEC LEVEL 2 TECHNICAL DIPLOMA

##### Content

This programme gives you the opportunity to consolidate your learning so that you can progress onto 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 GCSE's 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 will also include English and Maths.

### FOUNDATION GRADUATE PROGRAMME

#### BTEC LEVEL 1 TECHNICAL DIPLOMA

##### Content

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

- Business
- Literacy 1
- Numeracy 1

##### Entry Requirements

Minimum of 4 GCSE's at grade 2 or above.

You will be enrolled on to 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.

LEVEL 2

LEVEL 1

### DID YOU KNOW...?

That **95%** of students that enrolled onto a **Level 2** course, successfully progressed to **Level 3**



# OUR GRADUATE PROGRAMMES

## WHICH ONE IS FOR YOU?

### DISCOVERY

## GRADUATE PROGRAMME

### BTEC ENTRY TO VOCATIONAL STUDY

#### ENTRY

This Discovery programme is ideal for young people who have an EHCP (Education, Health and Care Plan), are working at Entry Level 2 or 3, require a smaller, personalised learning environment, and want to develop life, communication, and work-related skills at a pace that suits them.

You will work towards the Pearson BTEC Entry Level 3 Certificate to Vocational Study, as well as Functional Skills in English and Maths where appropriate.

#### Content

You will study a wide range of practical and engaging units that focus on building independence, personal development, and employability.

Topics may include:

- Exploring different vocational areas (such as Business, Health & Social Care, Creative Arts, or ICT)
- Communication and teamwork
- Financial awareness and managing money
- Preparing for the world of work
- Health and wellbeing
- Contributing to the community
- Personal and social development
- Functional English and math skills

Every student receives a tailored learning plan to meet their individual needs, with dedicated learning support assistants and access to our Specialist SEND team.

#### Course structure

Students benefit from small group teaching in a calm, structured environment, allowing for personalised support and focused learning.

The course offers a mixture of classroom-based learning and hands-on practical tasks, helping students to apply their knowledge in real-world settings. Regular progress reviews and pastoral support are built into the programme to ensure each student's individual needs are met.

In addition, there are opportunities for enrichment and community-based learning, encouraging personal growth and wider engagement.

#### Progression

This course helps you move on to:

- A Level 1 vocational course at Christ the King Emmanuel
- Supported internships or work placements
- Independent living programmes
- Further personal development courses





# How to apply

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.



Need help deciding which subjects to study? Our friendly careers team can help - email [careers@ctksfc.ac.uk](mailto:careers@ctksfc.ac.uk) to book an appointment

## Step 1

Apply online at  
[ctk.ac.uk/application-form/](http://ctk.ac.uk/application-form/)



## Step 4

Confirm your results in August to secure your place and start enrolment



## Step 2

Attend your interview.  
This is a great chance to find out more about CTK and for us to get to know you



## Step 3

Upon meeting your predicted grades and receiving a positive report/reference from your school, you will be offered a place to study at CTK Emmanuel



## Open Events

We hold regular open days in person - visit [www.ckemmanuel.ac.uk/open-events](http://www.ckemmanuel.ac.uk/open-events) to book your place.



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