

Hospitality and catering

From running thriving businesses to landing top positions in venues as prestigious as London's Ritz and Dorchester hotels, we have seen our hospitality and catering students achieve great things.

Our wide range of courses meet the requirements of the hospitality and catering industry and whether you want to go straight into employment or continue on to higher education, we have a course for you.

The Wansbeck Restaurant at our Ashington campus provides a realistic working environment for our students to develop the skills required by the industry. The restaurant is licensed and is open to the public for morning coffee, lunches and dinner. The quality of service and food provided by our students, working under the guidance of highly skilled tutors, makes it a popular venue for staff, students and members of the public and for special events.

Hospitality and catering training is also offered at our centre in Berwick.

Career opportunities...

Chef, hotel reception manager, caterer and operations manager are just some of the careers available to you if you study a course in hospitality and catering.

Interested in an Apprenticeship?

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Entry Level 3 - Certificate in Hospitality

Code HOT0051P **Location** Ashington

Ideal if... you have a general interest in hospitality and catering and want to develop your skills and knowledge.

Entry requirements

You don't need any formal qualifications to join this course.

Level 1 - NVQ Certificate in Hospitality - Multi Skilled

Code HOT0001F **Location** Ashington

Ideal if... you are interested in a career in hospitality and catering but aren't sure which specialist area you want to pursue. You work or want to work in the food and beverage, food preparation or cooking areas of the hospitality industry. You will prepare and cook food within the production, training and pastry kitchens.

Entry requirements



You should have two GCSEs at grade F and an interest in hospitality and catering.

Level 1 - Diploma in Professional Cookery

Code HOT0040F **Location** Ashington

Ideal if... you work or want to work as a professional cook. You will develop a range of cooking skills and learn the underpinning theory.

Entry requirements



You should have two GCSEs at grade F and an interest in hospitality and catering.



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Level 2 - NVQ Hospitality - Multi Skilled

Code HOT0025F **Location** Ashington

Ideal if... you want to develop skills to pursue a career in food and drink service.

Entry requirements



You should have two GCSEs at grade D, or a relevant level 1 qualification.

Level 2 - Diploma in Professional Cookery

Code HOT0039F **Location** Ashington

Ideal if... you are interested in training for a career as a chef. You will learn how to prepare and cook meat, poultry, vegetables, sauces, soups and desserts.

Entry requirements



You should have two GCSEs at grade D, or a relevant level 1 qualification.

Level 2 - Diploma in Food and Beverage Service

Code HOT0002F **Location** Ashington

Ideal if... you want to develop skills to pursue a career in food and drink service.

Entry requirements



You should have two GCSEs at grade D, or a relevant level 1 qualification.

Level 2 - Apprenticeship Hospitality and Catering

Code HOT0036P **Location** Ashington, Berwick

Ideal if... you work in hospitality and catering and want to gain a recognised qualification.

Entry requirements



You should have two GCSEs at grade D in English and maths, or a relevant level 1 qualification and be employed in the industry.

Level 3 - Diploma in Professional Cookery

Code HOT0006F **Location** Ashington

Ideal if... you want to develop your existing catering skills to a higher level. You will study an advanced level of cooking soups, sauces, meats, poultry, vegetables, rice, pasta and hot and cold desserts.

Entry requirements



You should have four GCSEs at grade C or above, or a relevant level 2 qualification.

Level 3 - Advanced Apprenticeship Hospitality and Catering

Code HOT0060P **Location** Ashington, Berwick

Ideal if... you work in hospitality and catering and want to develop your skills and gain a recognised higher level qualification.

Entry requirements



You should have four GCSEs at grade C in English and maths, or a relevant level 2 qualification and be employed in the industry.