

START YOUR JOURNEY TO A POSITIVE FUTURE



WELCOME  
TO BURY COLLEGE .....



# PREPARING FOR YOUR SUCCESS

- Do your **research**.
- **Work hard** and be committed to your studies.
- Everything you do now, counts towards your **future**.
- Get the best results and be the best that **you** can be.
- The harder you work, the more **opportunities** you will have in the future.
- Your attitude and work ethic over the next 12 months will help shape who **you** become.



# POST-16 OPTIONS

When you leave school you are required to stay in education or training until you are 18 years old.

There are four main pathways you can choose to study at Bury College:

## Full-time Education

- A Levels
- T Levels
- Vocational Programmes

## Full-time Job with Training

- Apprenticeships



# BE EMPOWERED

## CHOOSE THE RIGHT ROUTE FOR YOU

You will study **ONE** pathway:

Higher Education

Employment

Higher/Degree Apprenticeship

A Levels

T Levels

Vocational Programmes

Apprenticeships

GCSE

# A LEVEL STUDY PROGRAMMES

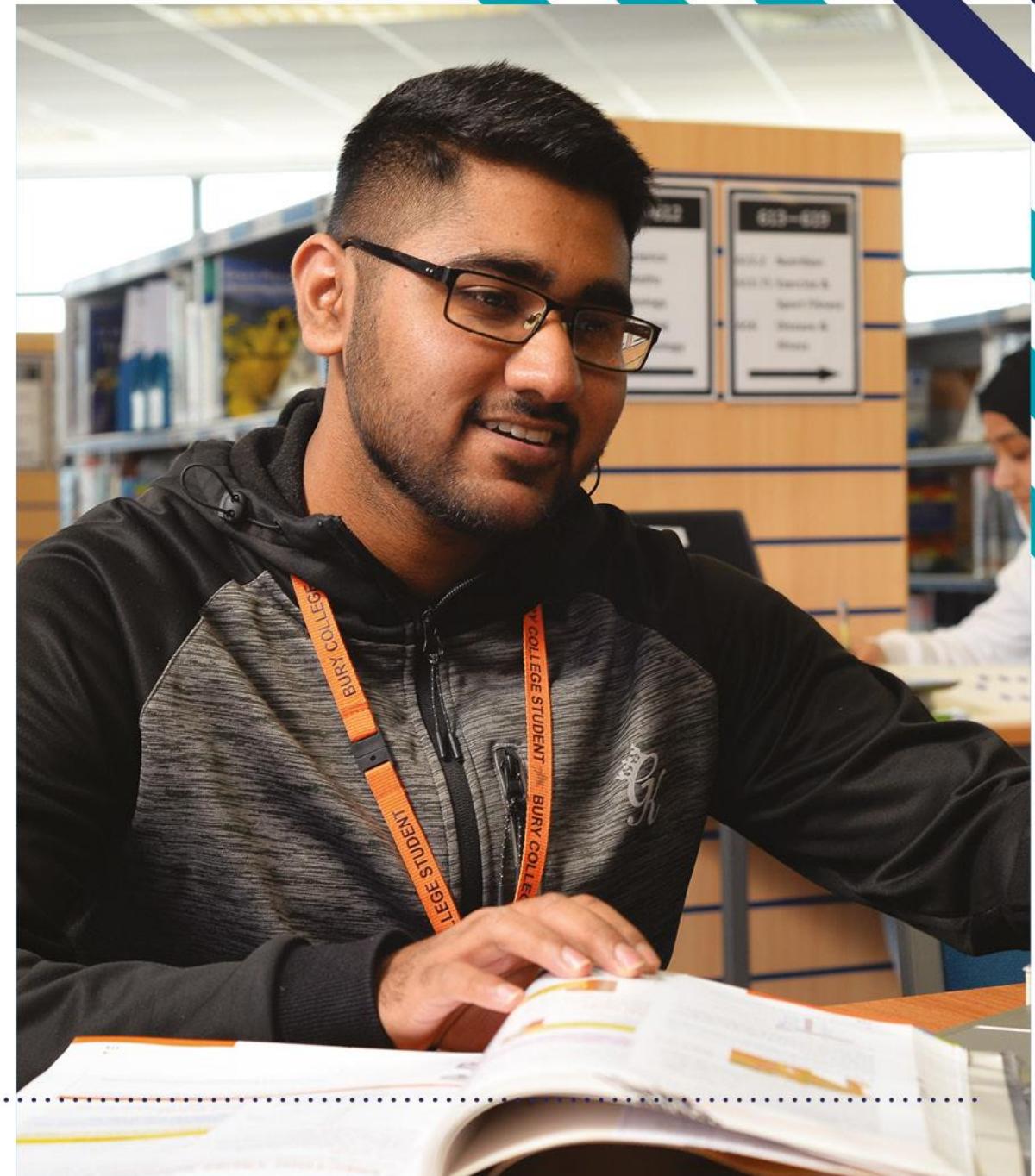
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# A LEVEL ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A minimum of **6 GCSEs** including:

- 3 GCSEs at grade 5 or higher
- 3 GCSEs at grade 4 or higher
- Including at least a grade 4 in English Language and Maths



# A LEVEL SUBJECTS

Accounting	English Language	Media Studies
Art, Craft & Design	English Literature	Physical Education
Biology	Film Studies	Photography
Business Studies	Further Mathematics	Physics
Chemistry	Geography	Psychology
Computer Science	Government & Politics	Sociology
Criminology	History	
Drama & Theatre Studies	Law	
Economics	Mathematical Studies	
Engineering	Mathematics	

# REBECCA KENYON

## ACHIEVEMENT

A Levels in Biology (A), Chemistry (A) and Business Studies (A)

## DESTINATION

University of Salford to study Diagnostic Radiography

**“I am so proud and happy with my results and really grateful to my tutors for all their support and guidance.”**



**THE ELTON  
HIGH SCHOOL**

# RAFI AHMED CHOWDHURY

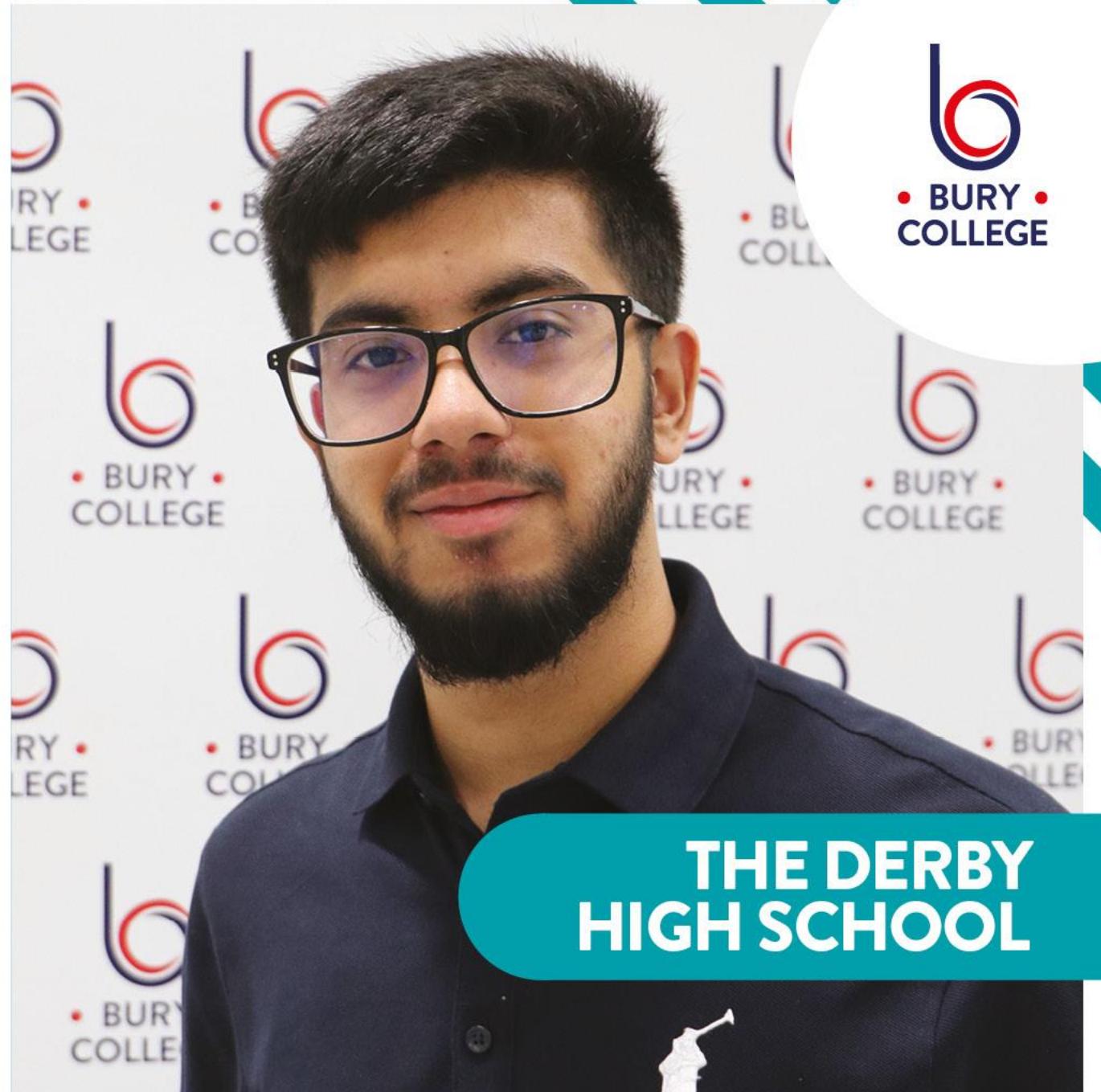
## ACHIEVEMENT

A Levels in Chemistry (A), Physics (A) and Maths (A)

## DESTINATION

University of Manchester to study Chemistry with Industrial Experience

**“I want to thank all my tutors; I am really grateful for their time and support throughout my time at Bury College. I wouldn’t have achieved these grades without them.”**



# T-LEVELS

**THE NEXT LEVEL QUALIFICATION**



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## WHAT ARE T LEVELS?

- T Levels combine classroom theory with practical learning and an industry placement.
- The industry placement will be for a minimum of 45-days and will give you a great insight into the working environment.
- You study **ONE** T level over two years and this is equivalent to three A Levels.

# T-LEVELS

THE NEXT LEVEL QUALIFICATION

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- A minimum of 5 GCSE grades 9-4
- Including at least a grade 4 in English Language and Maths

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# T LEVEL STUDY PROGRAMMES

- Accounting
- Building Services Engineering
- Digital Production, Design & Development
- Digital Support Services
- Education & Childcare
- Engineering & Manufacturing, Design & Development
- Health
- Management & Administration
- Science

**T-LEVELS**  
*THE NEXT LEVEL QUALIFICATION*



# SKYE LOUISE STEPHEN-SMALL

## ACHIEVEMENT

T Level in Health Supporting the Adult Nursing Team: Distinction

## DESTINATION

University of Southampton to study Nursing

**“Thank you to everyone on the programme who taught us about the realistic side of nursing. I feel like they started preparing me for a really rewarding career.”**



# LEONI SMITH

## ACHIEVEMENT

T Level in Education and Early Years: Assisting Teaching: Distinction

## DESTINATION

Manchester Metropolitan University to study Primary Teaching with QTS

**“It feels amazing to have achieved such fantastic results. I can’t wait to make the next steps now and start university.”**



# VOCATIONAL STUDY PROGRAMMES

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# VOCATIONAL ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

## Level 3 Vocational

Minimum of 5 GCSE grades 9-4

## Level 2 Vocational

Minimum of 4 GCSE grades 9-3

## Level 1 Vocational

Minimum of 4 GCSE grades 9-2

## Foundation Studies

Entry by interview



# VOCATIONAL PROGRAMMES

Art & Design	Electrical Installation	Performing Arts
Barbering	Esports	Plastering
Beauty Therapy	Engineering	Plumbing
Bricklaying	Games Design	Public Services
Business	Hairdressing	Science
Carpentry & Joinery	Health & Social Care	Sport & Fitness
Catering	Media (Creative Media)	Travel & Tourism
Childcare	Media Make-up	
Computing & Digital	Painting & Decorating	

# FOUNDATION STUDIES



## PATHWAY TO INDEPENDENCE

Moving On  
Life Challenge  
Life Wise  
New Horizons

## PATHWAY TO EMPLOYMENT

Supported Internship  
Steps to Work  
Work Challenge  
Work Wise

## PROSPECTS PROGRAMME

Step-up to Prospects  
Prospects Programme

# CHRISTOPHER LAM

## ACHIEVEMENT

Level 3 in Business: D\*DD

## DESTINATION

University of Salford to study Business with Human Resource Management

**“I am very happy with my results and I’m now looking forward to starting university and building on my knowledge.”**



# HANNAH LOMAX

## ACHIEVEMENT

Level 3 in Health and Social Care: A\*

## DESTINATION

University of Salford to study Occupational Therapy

**“If I had any advice for students starting in September, I would say to enjoy every second of your time at Bury College whilst remembering to work hard.”**



# ELIZA MAXIMOV

## COURSE

Step Up To Prospects

## PROGRESSION

Level 1 Art, Design and Media

**“During my studies, I have improved my English speaking and writing skills, and I have become more confident with the English language. This experience has allowed me to progress on to a course in a subject that I’m very interested in.”**





# APPRENTICESHIPS

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# WHAT IS AN APPRENTICESHIP?



## An apprenticeship is a job

- Learn and train for a specific job.
- Get paid and receive holiday leave.
- Get hands-on experience in a real job.
- Spend a minimum of six hours a week off-the-job training to complete your studies.



# APPRENTICESHIP ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

## You will need to:

- Meet specific employer vacancy entry requirements.
- Demonstrate an interest in the sector and have some background knowledge.
- Complete a numeracy and literacy test.



# APPRENTICESHIPS AVAILABLE



- Accounting
- Business Administration
- Childcare
- Customer Service
- Coaching Professional (18+ only)
- Dental Nursing
- Hairdressing
- Health and Social Care (18+ only)
- Teaching Assistants
- Team Leading (18+ only)



# KATIE LOCKEY

## APPRENTICESHIP

Level 2 Childcare

## EMPLOYER

Mulberry Bush

**“Working at the nursery has been amazing. I have loved developing my skills and putting them into practice. I hope now to keep doing this and start progressing in my career.”**



**UNSWORTH  
ACADEMY**

# LEE RYLANCE

## APPRENTICESHIP

Level 2 Customer Service

## EMPLOYER

Peterloo Medical Centre

**“I am loving my apprenticeship. I have gained lots of new skills and become much more confident. In the future, I see myself progressing in this role and hopefully moving into a managerial position.”**



# YEAR 10 JOURNEY



# OPEN EVENTS 2024/25

2024



5.00-7.30pm\*



5.00-7.30pm\*



10.30am-1.00pm\*

2025



5.00-7.30pm\*

\*There will be a quiet session for the first 30 minutes of each event. Places are reserved and available on request for visitors with special educational needs and disabilities; including those with social or sensory challenges.

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