



Ruskin College Oxford

Sustainable Education
COMMUNITY, YOUTH & SOCIAL WORK | SUSTAINABILITY
BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT | SKILLS TO CHANGE YOUR LIFE
POLITICAL LITERACY & ACTIVISM | HEALTH & WELLBEING



Residential & Non-Residential
Course Directory

92%
student
satisfaction

100%
success on
IT courses

92%
success
on Access
programmes

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OUR COURSES

Sustainable Education

Ruskin offers transformational learning - for individuals aged 19 to 99. We change the lives of our students, but we have a social agenda too, and our courses are designed to feed back into our college community, wider communities and society as a whole: a sustainable education.

We offer Residential and Short Courses through to University Programmes and Apprenticeships in the categories below:

Business & Management

You can find the right educational path for you with our wide range of business and management courses. Whether you are taking your first steps into employment or wish to develop your professional skills and confidence, we have a range of courses to suit you.

Community, Youth & Social Work

Education at Ruskin has always been about the transformation we make not just to individuals, but also to our communities. The focus of our programme of Community, Youth & Social Work courses is towards working with people, young and old, to improve society as a whole.

Health & Wellbeing

Whether your focus is the welfare of others or your own wellbeing, we provide courses that aim to develop you as an individual and enable you to improve the lives of others. From nursing, social care and counselling through to addiction, mental health and yoga, no area is left uncovered.

RESIDENCY AT RUSKIN

You can choose to live at Ruskin during your studies and make the most of our range of accommodation options. Living at Ruskin is often subsidised or fully funded.



COME TO AN OPEN DAY

Open Days are a great way for you to find out more about Ruskin: our teaching, our courses, our campus and how we can help you take the next step on your learning journey.

Political Literacy & Activism

Ruskin is rooted in working class education, Trade Unions and activism in pursuit of social progress and this makes up a key area of our educational provision. We offer courses spanning politics, the social sciences and Trade Unions, which will equip you to help build a fairer society.

Skills to Change Your Life

We have a wide range of English, Maths, IT and employability courses that will help you make key changes to your life. Whether you are looking to get into employment, to progress in your work, or simply to generate the skills to improve your life in the UK, we have the course for you.

Sustainability

As a college with activism at our heart, environmental sustainability is a crucial and urgent issue for us. We offer a variety of courses that will help you understand more about the challenges we face and enable you to make a difference in your local and global communities.

BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT



Adult Courses

Entry Level	Employability Skills	Entry 3 Award · 10 weeks part-time Entry 3 Certificate · 12 weeks part-time
Level 1	Business, Admin & Finance	Award · 14 weeks part-time
	Employability Skills	Award · 10 weeks part-time
	Leadership Skills	Award · 2 days Certificate · 10 weeks part-time
Level 2	Business, Admin & Finance	Award · 10 weeks part-time
	Employability Skills	Award · 9 weeks part-time Certificate · 17 weeks part-time
	Leadership Skills	Award · 4 days
	Peer Mentoring	Award (Online) · 13 weeks part-time

Level 3

Business

Access to HE Diploma · 33 weeks part-time

Residential & Non-Accredited

Event Management 

3 days (subsidised residential option)

Trade Union Courses

TU Education

Various courses

Apprenticeship Programmes

Customer Service Practitioner

Level 2 Diploma · 12-18 months

Business Administrator

Level 3 Diploma · 12-18 months

Operations Manager

Level 5 Diploma · 18-36 months

COMMUNITY, YOUTH & SOCIAL WORK

Adult Courses

Level 1	Counselling	Award · 3 days (residential option)
	Health & Social Care	Certificate · 14 weeks part-time
Level 2	Counselling	Award · 14 weeks part-time
	Domestic & Sexual Abuse	Award · 13 weeks part-time
	Learning Support	Certificate · 20 weeks part-time
	Peer Mentoring	Award (online) · 13 weeks part-time
Level 3	Counselling	Certificate · 32 weeks part-time
	Information, Advice & Guidance	Award · 12 weeks part-time

University Programmes

From
2020

Level 4-5	Counselling	DipHE · 2 years full-time
Level 4-6	Community Development & Youth Work	BA (Hons) · 3 years full-time / 4½ years part-time
	Social Work	BA (Hons) · 3 years full-time / 4 years part-time
Level 7	Social Pedagogy & Community Education	MA · 1 year full-time / 2 years part-time

Apprenticeship Programme

Youth Worker

Level 6 Diploma



HEALTH & WELLBEING



Adult Courses

Level 1

Addiction	Award · 2 days
Counselling	Award · 3 days (residential option)
Health & Social Care	Certificate · 14 weeks part-time
Mental Health & Wellbeing	Award · 2 days
Personal Finance Skills	Award · 7 weeks part-time

Level 2

Counselling	Award · 14 weeks part-time
Domestic & Sexual Abuse	Award · 14 weeks part-time
Emotional Resilience	Award · 14 weeks part-time
Health & Human Sciences	Certificate · 20 weeks part-time
Mental Health & Wellbeing	Award · 2 days
Personal Finance Skills	Award · 13 weeks part-time

Level 3

Counselling	Certificate · 32 weeks part-time
Health Professions	Access to HE Diploma · 33 weeks part-time
Nursing & Midwifery	Access to HE Diploma · 33 weeks part-time

Residential & Non-Accredited

Alcohol Awareness	4 days (subsidised residential option)
Art	14 weeks part-time
Creative Writing	3 days (subsidised residential option)
Drug Awareness	4 days (subsidised residential option)
Horticulture	Part-time
Mental Health Awareness	3 days (subsidised residential option)
Mindfulness	2 hours
Yoga & Pilates	3 days (subsidised residential option)

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University Programmes

From
2020

Level 4-5

Counselling

DipHE · 2 years full-time

Level 4-6

Social Work

BA (Hons) · 3 years full-time /
4 years part-time

Apprenticeship Programmes

Adult Care Worker

Level 2 Diploma · 12-18 months

Lead Adult Care Worker

Level 3 Diploma · 12-18 months

Healthcare Support Worker

Level 2 Diploma · 12-18 months

**Senior Healthcare
Support Worker**

Level 3 Diploma · 18-24 months



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POLITICAL LITERACY & ACTIVISM

Adult Courses

Level 1	Environmental Sustainability	Award · part-time
Level 2	Environmental Sustainability	Award · part-time
	Humanities & Social Science	Certificate · 20 weeks part-time
Level 3	Social Science	Access to HE Diploma · 33 weeks part-time

Residential & Non-Accredited

Political Literacy	12 weeks part-time
Street Solidarity	Residential (Free) · 3 days

Trade Union Courses

TU Education	Various courses
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Apprenticeship Programme

TU Leadership & Management	Level 4 Diploma · 18-36 months
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SKILLS TO CHANGE YOUR LIFE

Adult Courses

Entry Level

Employability Skills	Entry 3 Award · 10 weeks part-time
	Entry 3 Certificate · 12 weeks part-time
English	Entry 2 & 3 Award · 34 weeks part-time
English Functional Skills	Entry 2 & 3 · 20 weeks part-time
ESOL	Entry 1-3 Certificates · 32 weeks part-time
Maths	Entry 2 & 3 Award · 8 weeks part-time
Maths Functional Skills	Entry 2 & 3 · 21 weeks part-time

Level 1

Computer Skills	Award · 6 weeks part-time
Spreadsheets	Award · 3 days (Residential option)
Internet & Email	Award · 3 days (Residential option)
Presentation Software	Award · 3 days (Residential option)
Word Processing	Award · 3 days (Residential option)

Level 1 (cont'd)

Employability Skills	Award · 10 weeks part-time
English	Award · 34 weeks part-time
	Functional Skills · 20 weeks part-time
ESOL	Certificate · 32 weeks part-time
IT User Skills	Award · 14 weeks part-time
	Certificate · 21 weeks part-time
Leadership Skills	Award · 2 days
Maths	Award · 8 weeks part-time
	Functional Skills · 21 weeks part-time
Personal Finance Skills	Award · 7 weeks part-time

MORE COURSES TO CHANGE YOUR LIFE →

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Adult Courses (cont'd)

Level 2

Emotional Resilience	Award · 14 weeks part-time
Employability Skills	Award · 9 weeks part-time
	Certificate · 17 weeks part-time
English	GCSE · 30 weeks part-time
	Functional Skills · 20 weeks part-time
IT User Skills	Award · 14 weeks part-time
	Certificate · 21 weeks part-time
Leadership Skills	Award · 8 days
Maths	Functional Skills · 21 weeks part-time
Personal Finance Skills	Award · 13 weeks part-time

Residential & Non-Accredited

Creative Writing	3 days (subsidised residential option)
Speak-Up ESOL	14 weeks part-time
ESOL for Refugees & Migrants	Part-time

Trade Union Courses

TU Education

Various courses



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SUSTAINABILITY

Adult Courses

Entry Level	Energy Efficiency	Entry 3 Award · part-time
Level 1	Energy Efficiency	Award · part-time
	Environmental Sustainability	Award · part-time
	Practical Conservation Skills	Certificate · part-time

Level 2

Environmental Sustainability	Award · part-time
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Non-Accredited Courses

ESOL for Refugees & Migrants	Part-time
Get Set: Sustainability, Future	Part-time
Horticulture	Part-time



Come to a **COMMUNITY DAY** to find out more about sustainable community initiatives and courses
 Check our website for details of upcoming events

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FIND OUT MORE

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- Access Programmes
- Education and Training Courses
- English, Math and IT Courses
- Leadership and Employability Courses
- Residential Courses
- Self-Development and Wellbeing Courses
- Trade Union Courses

Courses for Adults

FIND OUT MORE

Start your learning journey

COURSE APPENDIX

Addiction	10	Humanities & Social Science	14
Adult Care Worker Apprenticeship	13	Information, Advice & Guidance	8
Alcohol Awareness	11	Internet & Email	16
Art	11	IT User Skills	17, 18
Business - Level 3	7	Lead Adult Care Worker Apprenticeship	13
Business, Admin & Finance - Level 1 & 2	6	Leadership Skills	6, 17, 18
Business Administrator Apprenticeship	7	Learning Support	8
Community Development & Youth Work	9	Maths	16, 17, 18
Counselling - Level 1, 2 & 3	8, 10, 11	Mental Health & Wellbeing	10
Counselling - Level 4	9, 12	Mental Health Awareness	11
Creative Writing	11, 18	Mindfulness	11
Computer Skills	16	Nursing & Midwifery	11
Customer Service Practitioner Apprenticeship	7	Operations Manager Apprenticeship	7
Domestic & Sexual Abuse	8, 10	Peer Mentoring	6, 8
Drug Awareness	11	Personal Finance Skills	10, 17, 18
Emotional Resilience	10	Political Literacy	15
Employability Skills	6, 16, 17	Practical Conservation Skills	20
Energy Efficiency	20	Presentation Software	16
Environmental Sustainability	14, 21	Sen. Healthcare Support Worker Apprenticeship	13
English	16, 17, 18	Social Pedagogy & Community Education	9
ESOL	16, 17, 18	Social Science	14
ESOL for Refugees & Migrants	18, 21	Social Work	9, 12
Event Management	7	Spreadsheets	16
Get Set: Sustainability, Future	21	Street Solidarity	15
Health & Human Sciences	10	TU Education	7, 15
Health & Social Care	8, 10	TU Leadership & Management Apprenticeship	15
Health Professions	11	Word Processing	16
Healthcare Support Worker Apprenticeship	13	Yoga & Pilates	11
Horticulture	11, 21	Youth Worker Apprenticeship	9

PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL LISTED COURSES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

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