

Grove Academy Senior Phase Course Choice 2023-24



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Curriculum Partners



Colleges



Universities



Employers



Training
providers



Other
schools



...other
countries

Exit Points



UNIVERSITY



COLLEGE



APPRENTICESHIPS
& TRAINING



EMPLOYMENT

Exit Point: Employment



EMPLOYMENT

- Get a 'Global Bridge' profile
- Write a CV
- Get some work experience
- Family or friend opportunity
- See your guidance teacher for Grove partner offers
 - Street League
 - Showcase Gaming
 - Alexanders
 - Etc.

Exit Point: Future Skills



APPRENTICESHIPS
& TRAINING

- Future Skills College (FSC) is a full-time, one year, pre-apprenticeship pathway designed for students entering S5/6
- Study at College + Work Placement
- SQA and Industry qualification
- Most Exit into apprenticeship, but also employment or full-time college course.
 - Plumbing
 - Electrical
 - Joinery



Exit Point: College



COLLEGE

- Get a 'Global Bridge' profile
- Get some experience with a course or a visit
- See your Guidance Teacher to support your application
- Check for progression to employment or further study at university etc.



**COURSES FOR
SCHOOL PUPILS**

If you are in years **S4 - S6** you can spend part of your time studying at D&A College, helping to shape your future career or studies.

Find out more about studying at college as part of your senior phase:



Exit Point: University



UNIVERSITY

- Get a 'Global Bridge' profile
- Link it to your UCAS form
- Get your personal statement done early
- Get the grades (5 Highers in one sitting)
- Do some independent learning (S6)
- Attended an Open Day
- Sort out your funding and accommodation

University



University
of Dundee

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Entry requirements

for Medicine MBChB

Higher / Advanced Higher, SQA

Standard: **AAAAB**

Widening access: **AAABB**

To see if you would be considered as a widening access applicant [view our contextual admissions policy](#)

- Higher - Chemistry and another science subject (from Biology, Physics, or Mathematics).
- The other three Highers can be your own choice and this choice of subjects will not influence the assessment.
- Highers must be in one sitting.
- We also require biology at least to grade A at National 5 and mathematics and English at least to grade B at National 5, if not studied at Higher.
- Achievement at Standard Grade/National 5 will also be taken into account.
- Offers may be conditional, based on three Advanced Highers / 'crash' Highers taken in 6th year, at BBB grades.
- Candidates who have completed S6 and have not attained the 6th year entry requirements are unlikely to be considered.

Pathways through the Senior Phase...

Traditional school subjects (SQA National Qualifications)

Additional National Qualifications

'Vocational' Qualifications

Industry standard certifications

Wider Achievement options

Interdisciplinary Programs

Work based learning opportunities

Scottish Credit & Qualifications Framework

SCQF Levels	SQA Qualifications		Qualifications of Higher Education Institutions	Apprenticeships & SVQs
12			Doctoral Degree	Professional Apprenticeship
11			Masters Degree, Integrated Masters Degree, Post Graduate Diploma, Post Graduate Certificate	Graduate Apprenticeship Professional Apprenticeship SVQ
10			Honours Degree, Graduate Diploma, Graduate Certificate	Graduate Apprenticeship Professional Apprenticeship
9			Professional Development Award	Bachelors / Ordinary Degree, Graduate Diploma, Graduate Certificate
8	Higher National Diploma		Diploma Of Higher Education	Higher Apprenticeship Technical Apprenticeship SVQ
7	Advanced Higher, Awards, Scottish Baccalaureate	Higher National Certificate	Certificate Of Higher Education	Modern Apprenticeship SVQ
6	Higher, Awards, Skills for Work Higher			Modern Apprenticeship Foundation Apprenticeship SVQ
5	National 5, Awards, Skills for Work National 5			Modern Apprenticeship SVQ
4	National 4, Awards, Skills for Work National 4	National Certificate	National Progression Award	SVQ
3	National 3, Awards, Skills for Work National 3			
2	National 2, Awards			
1	National 1, Awards			

National Qualifications in the Senior Phase

- National Qualifications: 3/4/5
- Higher Qualifications: 6
- Advanced Higher Qualifications: 7
- National Progression Awards: 3/4/5/6/7
- National Certificate: 5/6
- Skills for Work: 5
- Higher National Certificate: 7
- Personal Development Award: 8

Advanced Highers

- Some fully in Grove
 - Including Science & Social Science Baccalaureates
- Some Dundee City Campus
 - Travel to other schools in Dundee
- Some Tayside Virtual Campus: All online delivery
 - Business Management
 - Computing Science
 - French
 - Modern Studies
 - Physical Education
 - Spanish,
 - Geography
 - RMPS

D&A College Courses



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Dundee & Angus College

- Access a wide choice of courses in a broad range of subjects from hair and beauty through to criminology and cybersecurity.
- Courses are available at a range of levels from National 4 all the way to SCQF level 7 .
- The range available means there is an option for all types of learners, from academic and theoretical to practical and hands-on.
- Dundee and Angus College has a focus on careers not just courses, meaning taking a college course can help you prepare for and get an insight into the world of work while still at school
- Most courses are delivered in units, meaning assessment is continuous rather than all resting on one end-of-course exam.

Dundee & Angus College

- Courses are run on our campuses in Dundee:
 - Gardyne &
 - Kingsway
- College Courses are on your course choice form.
- Most college course run on a Tuesday and Thursday afternoon with a few on Monday and Wednesday afternoons.
- Transport is provided from your school to the relevant campus on the days you are due in college.
- Please look at the individual subject information for more in depth detail about each course (Link in Sway).

Dundee & Angus College

- NPA (2-6)
 - A more mature approach to study that will help sustain success in Modern Apprenticeships and in HNC/HND study and beyond. Unit based with continuous assessment.
- SVQ (1-5)
 - SVQs are work-based, some delivered in the College and others through a mix of College attendance and work-based training.
- Foundation Apprenticeships (4-6)
 - Foundation Apprenticeships are a work-based learning opportunity for secondary school pupils in S5 and S6 developed to give valuable, real-world work experience while still at school. Pupils spend time at college and with a local employer, working towards an industry-recognised qualification as part of their school timetable.

Dundee & Angus College Foundation Apprenticeships

Available subjects at level 6

Find out about the types of Foundation Apprenticeships and watch some of our case studies



Accountancy



Business Skills



Civil Engineering



**Creative and
Digital Media**



Engineering



**Financial
Services**



**Food and Drink
Technologies**



**Hardware and
System Support**



**Scientific
Technologies**



**Social Services
Children and
Young People**



**Social Services
and Healthcare**



**Software
Development**

Dundee & Angus College Foundation Apprenticeships

Available subjects at level 4/5

Find out about the types of Foundation Apprenticeships and watch some of our case studies



Automotive



Construction



Hospitality

Al-Maktoum College

- Mon/Wed afternoon.
- Courses available:
 - HNC/D Business
 - Arabic Language
 - Islamic Studies
- Check Sway for details, entry requirements, progression etc.

Curriculum Pathway:

S3 - 8

- English
 - Maths
 - Modern Language
 - Social Subject
 - Science
 - Creative & Expressive
 - Technology
 - 1 free choice
- + RME, PE & PSE

S4 - 7

- English
 - Maths
 - Choice 1 (Grove or College)
 - Choice 2 (Grove or College)
 - Choice 3
 - Choice 4
 - Choice 5
- + RME, PE & PSE

S5 - 5

- Choice 1 (Grove or College)
 - Choice 2 (Grove or College)
 - Choice 3
 - Choice 4
 - Choice 5
- + Wellbeing Option

S6 - 5

- Choice 1 (Grove or College)
 - Choice 2 (Grove or College)
 - Choice 3
 - Choice 4
 - Choice 5 (Or Private Study)
- + Wellbeing Option

S5/6 Wellbeing Options

- Choice of Sports
- Work Experience
- Barista Training
- Duke of Edinburgh Award
- Jewellery & Stained Glass Design
- Advertising Photography
- Commonwealth War Graves Project
- Religious & Moral Education Award
- Mandarin
- Citizenship
- Peer support
- Young Enterprise
- Mental Health Qualification
- Yoga
- Volunteering
- Employability Skills
- Cyber Security
- Sports Ambassadors

Curriculum Pathway: Medicine

S3

- English
- Maths
- Modern Studies
- Chemistry
- Art & Design
- Computing
- Biology
- German

S4

- English N5
- Maths N5
- Modern Studies N5
- Chemistry N5
- Art & Design N5
- Biology N5
- German MLLW 5

S5

- English H
- Maths H
- Modern Studies H
- Chemistry H
- Biology H

S6

- English AH
- Chemistry AH
- Biology AH
- Science Bacc.

Curriculum Pathway: Law

S3

- English
- Maths
- Modern Studies
- Chemistry
- Drama
- Computing
- Mandarin
- French

S4

- English N5
- App. Maths N5
- Modern Studies N5
- Chemistry N5
- Drama N5
- French N5
- Mandarin N4

S5

- English H
- App. Maths H
- Modern Studies H
- Mandarin N5
- Criminology NPA5

S6

- English AH
- Modern Studies AH
- French H
- History H
- Criminology NPA6

Curriculum Pathway: Physiotherapy

S3

- English
- Maths
- Modern Studies
- Biology
- PE
- Admin & IT
- Coaching Acc.
- French

S4

- English N5
- App. Maths N5
- Sport & Fitness NCFE 4 (College Option)
- Biology N5
- PE N5
- Admin & IT N5
- Sports & Coaching

S5

- English H
- App. Maths H
- Sport & Fitness NCFE 5 (College Option)
- Biology H
- PE H

S6

- Management PDA 7
- FITA
- Admin Higher
- PE Advanced Higher

Curriculum Pathway: Engineering

S3

- English
- Maths
- History
- Physics
- Art & Design
- Engineering Science
- Graphic Comm.
- German

S4

- English N5
- Maths N5
- History N4
- Physics N5
- Art & Design N4
- Engineering Science N5
- Graphic Comm. N5

S5

- English H
- Maths H
- Physics
- Engineering Science H
- Civil Engineering Foundation Apprenticeship year 1

S6

- Maths Advanced Higher
- Advanced Engineering Program
- Civil Engineering FA year 2
- Jewellery NPA5

New Options: S4

- S4

- **HE/A&D:** Kindred Clothing level 5
- **ML:** MLLW 5&6 French or German
- **PE:** N5 PE Football
- **A&D:** NPA 5 Photography
- **Mus/Drama:** Creative Industries NPA 4&5
- **D&T:** NPA 5 Jewellery
- **Film & Screen Education Award (5)**

New Options: S5/6

- S5/6

- **SS:** National Certificate in Social Science 5&6
- **ML:** MLLW 5&6 French or German
- **BST:** Business & IT NPA5&6
- **A&D:** NPA 5 Photography
- **CS:** Digital Literacy NPA4-6
- **D&T:** NPA5 Jewellery
- **Film & Screen Education Award (5&6)**
- **Creative Thinking Award (5&6)**

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Determination

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