

The College Charter for Higher Education Students 2017-18

Before your course we will provide:

- 1. Details and information about each HE course
- 2. Entry requirements needed for each HE course
- 3. Information regarding student achievement and student satisfaction in previous years (unless the course is new)
- 4. Honest, open and impartial advice and guidance to help you make the right decisions about the course
- 5. Information about fees and any financial support that might be available, including additional financial support
- 6. Extra help if you need additional support

At the start of your course, we will:

- Give you an induction onto the course and College and explain clearly your rights and responsibilities as a member of the College community, and signpost you to the HE Student Handbook
- 2. Show you round the College and familiarise you with the buildings and facilities
- 3. Give you a Programme Handbook and module handbooks
- 4. Discuss with you any additional support you may need

During your course, you can expect:

- 1. A high quality learning programme delivered by well qualified and experienced staff
- 2. Regular meetings with your tutor to discuss your progress
- 3. Opportunities to express your views about your course and College
- 4. Your written work and assignments to be returned promptly, with written feedback that can help you in your studies
- 5. Opportunities to take part in enrichment activities
- 6. Help with careers information advice and guidance
- 7. Access to confidential counselling and welfare services e.g. housing, finance, health issues

We expect you to:

- 1. Work hard, achieve your goals and fulfil your potential
- 2. Attend regularly and punctually and to notify College of any absence immediately
- Wear your Student ID Card at all times and understand that to ensure the safety of yourself and others, staff may approach you to confirm your identity as a member of our College community
- 4. Be prepared for your classes and bring the required equipment to College
- 5. Show respect to others (staff, students and visitors) at all times, regardless of their ethnic background, gender, sexuality, age, religion or other personal circumstance
- 6. Use respectful language in and around College
- 7. Show respect for the College buildings, facilities and property as well as the property of others and to participate in ensuring the College environment remains in the best possible condition
- 8. Uphold the College's No Smoking Policy. Smoking is prohibited in all College Centres and for a distance of up to 20 metres from all College buildings. Only designated shelters can be used as smoking areas.
- 9. Respect the College's "Gum Free" status
- 10. Comply with the requirement to eat and drink only in designated areas
- 11. Comply with the College's positive approach to sustainability e.g. by ensuring that you dispose of litter responsibly and recycle resources wherever possible
- 12. Be fully compliant with the College's zero tolerance approach to drugs and alcohol

Area	HE
Prepared By	HE Co-ordinator / HE Student Forum
Approved By	HE Student Forum
Last Updated	November 2016
Next Review Date	November 2017