

SKILLS FOR LIFE



Newsletter and Information

Contact Info

For any questions or queries you may have please contact the manager:

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Welcome to Skills for Life

All the staff would like to wish you a very warm welcome.

You may be concerned about your place at Hopwood during the Covid-19 pandemic but please don't worry. All the staff at the college are working hard and your place is secure. You will receive information on when and how to enrol in August through the post.



Your Questions Answered

Bursary

New learners have the option to apply for a bursary payment depending on the household income. If you think you might be eligible please apply. Details will be given to you at enrollment.

Start of Term Date

Tuesday 1 September 2020 will be the start date for new learners. You will receive a timetable at enrolment letting you know what days you are in college.

Free Buses

Free buses cover most areas, timetables will be given to you when you enrol also available at college reception.

Aiden started his journey at Hopwood last year and has made great progress. His mum said

“He always has a few turbulent and unsettling months when starting a new education placement but he has been so settled and contented since being at college.”

-Raffaella Bonaldi



Your Courses

You will learn how to be more independent and employable by completing interesting and purposeful units in a friendly and fun environment.

You will continue studying English and Maths and will also have Digital Skills lessons.

Residential Trips

Learners have the opportunity to attend trips to Waddow Hall and Calvert Trust for a 3 day residential. These are extremely popular every year and great fun.



2019 Calvert Trust—Cumbria with Mandy & Joan

Other Activities

Christmas Parties, Bake Off competition, Sports Day, Canal Projects, Prom Night, Bowling, Christmas Markets—There is always something going on in Skills 4 Life.

