

PENWITH COLLEGE
IT ALL STARTS
HERE



SAT 08 MAR 10AM - 1PM

OPEN EVENT
GUIDE



PART OF
TRURO
& PENWITH
COLLEGE

APPLY TODAY & SECURE YOUR PLACE



WELCOME

Welcome to our Open Event. The College is proud to offer its students an unrivalled experience, with exceptional facilities, standards of teaching and support to enable students to achieve the best possible results.

Truro and Penwith College now has over 6,300 full-time and approximately 6,000 part-time students. Whether full-time or part-time, our students and staff are proud of the quality of our buildings and facilities and make full use of the opportunities they provide.

Unsurprisingly, the College is attracting a great deal of interest from prospective students of all ages and our purpose for this day is to enable visitors to view the campus and find out about the wide variety of opportunities we offer.

There is a lot to see and do at the Open Event; we recommend you choose a selection of courses that you are interested in, head over to those locations for more details and attend our helpful talks, details of which can be found on page 12.

Our friendly team of tutors and staff will be able to help you with any questions you may have.

Fantastic activities and experiences also await you around the campus, giving you an even better understanding of the outstanding facilities and courses that are available at Truro and Penwith College.

This programme contains a list of all courses currently on offer and where you can find student support information. If you need any assistance at all, please ask a member of staff or Student Ambassador. We hope you enjoy your visit to the College.

OFSTED 2025

We are Outstanding in:

- ✓ Education programmes for young people
- ✓ Apprenticeships
- ✓ Behaviour and attitudes
- ✓ Personal development

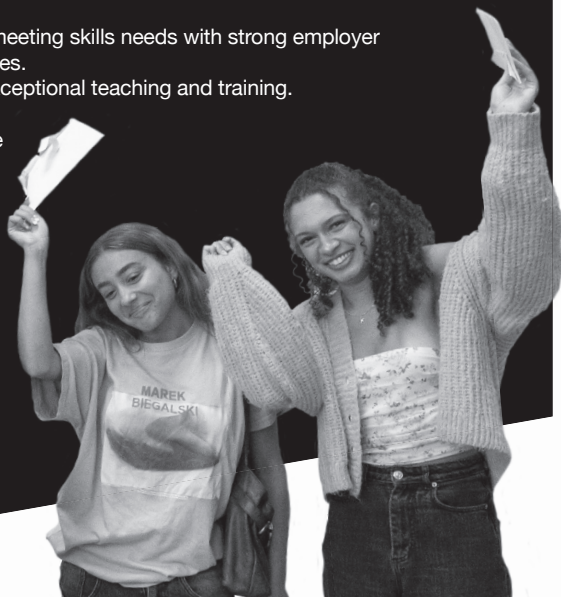
The latest Ofsted report highlights our commitment to student success, industry-aligned training, and exceptional personal development opportunities.

Highlights from the report include:

- Outstanding teaching that helps students make exceptional progress and develop knowledge, skills and confidence.
- Industry-aligned apprenticeships with hands-on experience and expert mentoring.
- Outstanding Behaviour, Attitudes and Personal Development, where students feel valued and safe.
- Highest possible 'Strong' grade for meeting skills needs with strong employer partnerships and cutting-edge facilities.
- A culture of excellence that drives exceptional teaching and training.

From top A Level results to cutting-edge apprenticeship training, we're proud to help students achieve their dreams and secure their futures.

Discover more on our website and find the link to the full report
truro-penwith.ac.uk/news



TOP GRADES TAKE YOU FURTHER

Truro & Penwith College students Go Further and achieve exceptional results.

 **A LEVEL
TOP GRADES**

**22% ABOVE NATIONAL AVERAGE
FOR FE COLLEGES**

1,000

**STUDENTS SECURED THEIR
FIRST-CHOICE UNIVERSITY PLACE**

100% PASS RATE IN 54 SUBJECTS

Including Art and Design, Business, Creative Media, Dance, Drama, Games Design, Economics, English, Further Maths, Health and Social Care, Music, Performing Arts, Spanish, Travel and Tourism...

317 **RUSSELL
GROUP
ACCEPTANCES**

OVER 500

University offers to study **Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths.**



AMAZING A LEVELS

With **881 A Level learners**, Truro and Penwith College students achieve remarkable results.

School & College A Level performance 2024 in Cornwall (Gov.uk)

School or College	Number of students with an A Level exam entry	Progress Score	Average grade and points
Launceston College	37	0.62 - Well above average	B (39.17)
Truro School	80	0.57 - Well above average	B+ (42.65)
Truro High School	30	0.45 - Well above average	B (39.23)
Camborne Science & International Academy	81	0.25 - Above average	B (41.05)
Truro & Penwith College	881	0.11 - Above average	B- (36.47)
Torpoint Community College	20	0.21 - Average	C- (26.67)
Callington Community College	37	0.2 - Average	C (31.64)
Falmouth School	27	0.14 - Average	C (31.63)
Budehaven Community School	46	0 - Average	C+ (32.78)
Bodmin College	72	-0.02 - Average	C (30.17)
Treviglas Academy	13	-0.34 - Average	C+ (33.03)
Callywith College	398	-0.1 - Below average	C+ (32.24)
Helston Community College	57	-0.22 - Below average	C (30.46)
Newquay Tretherras	78	-0.28 - Below average	C+ (32.06)

EXPLORE OUR COURSES

FIND YOUR FUTURE

Visit the teaching spaces around
the College and find out more
from our lecturers.

Courses are listed here
by subject area

Subject	Room	Building	Floor
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Access to Higher Education

Access to Creative Arts	N201	Nanjizal	Second
Access to Health & Social Care	La207	Lamorna	First
Access to Higher Education - Humanities	S107	Sennen	First

Apprenticeships

Apprenticeships - All subjects	Foyer	Sennen	Ground
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Art & Design

Fine Art	N106	Nanjizal	First
Graphic Illustration	N102	Nanjizal	First
Art & Design	N201	Nanjizal	Second

Automotive

Automotive Engineering	Reception	Gwenvor	Ground
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Business & Law

Business	S011	Sennen	Ground
Economics	S011	Sennen	Ground
Law	S206	Sennen	Second

Construction

Construction

Reception

Gwenvor

Ground

Computing & IT

IT
Computer ScienceZ305
PC109Zennor
PorthcurnnoSecond
First

Education & Teacher Training

Childcare & Education

Z311

Zennor

Second

English & Languages

English
French
SpanishS107
S202
S202Sennen
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SennenFirst
Second
Second

Hair & Beauty

Beauty Therapy
HairdressingZ212
Z206Zennor
ZennorFirst
First

Health & Social Care

Health & Social Care

La207

Lamorna

First

Humanities & Social Sciences

Criminology
Geography
History
Philosophy, Ethics & Religion
Politics
Psychology
SociologyS108
S201
S205
S102
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S010
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Subject	Room	Building	Floor
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Mathematics

Mathematics	PC201	Porthcurno	Second
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Media & Photography

Computer Games Design	Z305	Zennor	Second
Film Studies	S102	Sennen	First
Media	Z315	Zennor	Second
Photography	N202	Nanjizal	Second

Music & Performing Arts

Drama & Theatre Studies	S107	Sennen	First
Music	Z025	Zennor	Lower Ground

Personal & Professional Development

Personal & Professional Development	PC002	Porthcurno	Ground
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Professional Cookery & Hospitality

Professional Cookery	Senara	Zennor	Lower Ground
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Progression Pathways

Preparation for Adulthood, Independence & Employment	PC004	Porthcurno	Ground
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Science

Applied Science	PC206	Porthcurno	Second
Biology	PC206	Porthcurno	Second
Chemistry	PC205	Porthcurno	Second
Environmental Studies	PC206	Porthcurno	Second
Physics	PC207	Porthcurno	Second

Sport & Public Services

Sport	Refectory	Porthcurno	Ground
Public Services	Refectory	Porthcurno	Ground

Subject	Room	Building	Floor
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Academies & Enrichment

Academic Academy	S107	Sennen	First
Accelerate programme	PC205	Porthcurno	Second
Art Academy	N201	Nanjizal	Second
Board Games Academy	Z305	Zennor	Second
Business & Enterprise Academy	S011	Sennen	Ground
Creative Academy	S107	Sennen	First
Duke of Edinburgh Award	Refectory	Porthcurno	Ground
Esports Academy	Z305	Zennor	Second
Extended Project Qualification (EPQ)	S102	Sennen	First
Fairer Futures	PC206	Porthcurno	Second
Hair & Beauty Academy	Z206	Zennor	First
HWS	Foyer	Sennen	Ground
International Film Club	S102	Sennen	First
Marine Enrichment	La207	Lamorna	First
Medics' & Allied Health Academy	PC206	Porthcurno	Second
Music	Z025	Zennor	Lower Ground
Sports Academies - Rugby, Netball, Hockey, High Performance, Basketball, Football, Badminton	Refectory	Porthcurno	Ground

Other Opportunities

Enrichment General	Foyer	Sennen	Ground
Apprenticeships	Foyer	Sennen	Ground
GCSE resits - Maths, English & Functional Skills	Foyer	Lamorna	Ground
Higher Education	Foyer	Sennen	Ground
Part-time Courses	Foyer	Sennen	Ground

Support & Services for Students

Application Station	Foyer	Sennen	Ground
Careers Advice	Foyer	Lamorna	Ground
Learning Services & Additional Support Needs	The Bay	Zennor	Ground
Student Services	Foyer	Lamorna	Ground
Transport	Foyer	Lamorna	Ground



APPLICATION STATION

Complete your application
online in Sennen

PORHCURNO

GWENVOR

Automotive Engineering
Construction

LAMORNA

Career Zone
Health & Social Care
Student Services
Transport

NANJIZAL

Art & Design
Photography

PORHCURNO

Computer Science
Mathematics
Personal & Professional
Development
Progression Pathways
Science
Sport & Protective Services

SENNEN

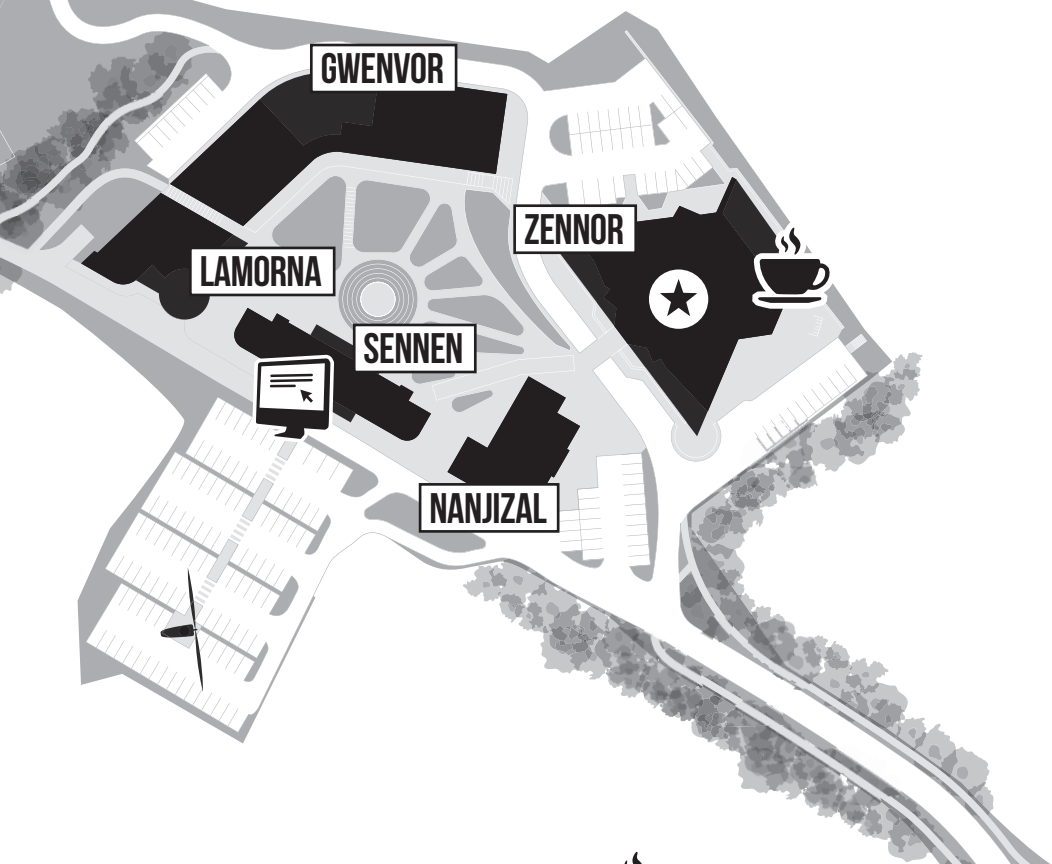
Admissions
Apprenticeships
Business & Law
Drama
English & Languages
Humanities & Social Sciences
Film Studies
Part-time Adult Learning
University Courses

ZENNOR

Childcare & Education
Computer Games Design
Hair & Beauty
IT
Learning Support
Media
Music
Professional Cookery
★ Open Event Talks
(see page 12 for details)

CAMPUS MAP

& SUBJECT AREA LOCATIONS



UNIVERSITY COURSES

Have you ever wanted to do a degree but think you have left it too late? Would you like to study locally? Visit us in Sennen at any time during the day to chat to us about how we can help you to unlock your potential.



Refreshments are available in Senna.

TODAY'S TALKS

ZENNOR LECTURE THEATRE

APPRENTICESHIP TALK - 10.30 AM

Explore Apprenticeships as our expert team talk you through the quality careers available with some of Cornwall's top employers in over 30 Apprenticeship programmes.

PRINCIPAL'S TALK - 11.30 AM

Hear from Truro and Penwith College Principal Martin Tucker. Find out all about our award winning College and the wide range of options available for you.

WE'RE OPEN

With so much to see and do at Penwith College why just visit on one day? Join us for a sumptuous lunch or be pampered in the hair and beauty salons. Alternatively, why not do a course yourself? We have plenty of daytime and evening Part-time Courses to inspire you.



Senara Restaurant offers top quality, locally-sourced, seasonal food for lunches on Thursday and Friday, dinner on Friday evenings and for private functions. It has received a TripAdvisor Certificate of Excellence, Platinum Chefs Award and regularly has guest chefs from Nathan Outlaw's restaurants and The Rick Stein Group working with the students. It has been named the top college restaurant in the UK.

The restaurant overlooks St Michael's Mount and is very popular, so booking is essential.

For those in need of pampering, the College's Inspiration salons are open during term time for all hairdressing and beauty services: from pedicures and massages to cutting and colour, all with an amazing view of Mount's Bay.

If you're inspired by what you've seen at the College, why not take a look at our Part-time Courses brochure on our website to see the range of courses on offer? Daytime and evening courses are available in subjects ranging from yoga to childcare and teaching qualifications.

The facilities at Penwith College are second to none in the area. Rooms are available to book for private functions - weddings, parties, corporate events and meetings at very reasonable prices and catering can be provided through the Senara Restaurant team.

Penwith College is open in many more ways than you think.

For full details of all the services on offer and open to the public please visit our website at truro-penwith.ac.uk

TRURO & PENWITH COLLEGE

PART-TIME LEISURE COURSES

One-day workshops,
day and evening
classes designed to
inspire

**Enrol now for
adult learning
courses starting
in April 2025**

Visit us in the Sennen building,
call us on 01872 308000
or email the team at
ptinfo@truro-penwith.ac.uk



Studio Pottery
Painting in Oils
Beginners/Intermediate Jewellery
Woodcarving/Wood Sculpturing
Zumba
Adult Ballet
Beginners Watercolour Painting
Recreational Photography
Keep Fit Dance



CAREER & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COURSES

Courses start throughout the year.
View all our adult learning CPD courses
online or contact the team for more
information:

t: 01208 224454

e: futureskills@truro-penwith.ac.uk

w: truro-penwith.ac.uk/cpd

Courses starting April 2025

Professional Masterclass - Developing
Confidence & Resilience

Professional Workshop - Customer Service

Professional Masterclass - The Coaching
Leader

Professional Workshop - Introduction to
Coaching & Mentoring

ILM Level 5 Award in Leadership &
Management

NCFE Level 1 Award in Mental Health
Awareness

NCFE Level 3 Award in Education &
Training





UNIVERSITY CENTRE TRURO & PENWITH STUDY WITH US

Call into the Sennen building and find out more about our wide range of award winning university courses.

**COMMERCIAL HUB
EDUCATION HUB
HEALTH HUB**

**PATHWAY COURSES
APPRENTICESHIPS**

View all our courses online at
truro-penwith.ac.uk/ini





LEARN WHAT YOU LOVE, WHERE YOU LOVE

University Centre Truro & Penwith offers over 30 University level courses, ranging from BA and BSc Honours Degrees to Foundation Degrees, Higher National Diplomas, Higher National Certificates and Higher Apprenticeships.

The University Centre Truro & Penwith received 92% for overall student satisfaction in the most recent satisfaction ratings gathered in the National Student Survey. As a leading educational establishment, the University Centre is dedicated to raising the standard of teaching and learning within Cornwall. The Centre has received recent multi-million-pound investment in the South West Institute of Technology building at the Truro Campus and the brand-new STEM & Health Skills Centre, Bodmin, dedicated

to Engineering, Healthcare, Digital & IT and working with some of Cornwall's top employers to meet emerging skills needs in areas such as renewable technology, space technology and engineering.

With smaller class sizes, more one-to-one personal support and the chance to fit life around lectures, why not stay and study for your degree in stunning Cornwall?

FIND OUT MORE

t: 01872 305750

w: truro-penwith.ac.uk/uni

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UNIVERSITY OF
PLYMOUTH



UNIVERSITY of
GREENWICH

APPLY TODAY & SECURE YOUR PLACE



VISIT OUR APPLICATION STATION



SENNEN BUILDING

Drop in and complete your application online. Staff will be on hand for advice and to guide you through the process. Please refer to the map in this guide for location or ask a member of staff.

Following your application you will be invited to attend a short interview. This will be a chance for you to discuss your options and confirm your course choices. You will then be offered a conditional place at the College. Full details of the application process can be found in the prospectus which is available at receptions.



Don't worry if you are unable to apply today, you can also apply from home at truro-penwith.ac.uk

YOUR NOTES

FUTURE EVENTS

TRURO COLLEGE

Thu 01 May 2025 **Open Evening** 5pm - 8pm

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PENWITH COLLEGE

Thu 08 May 2025 **Open Evening** 5pm - 8pm

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