

# New College Durham

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**A great place  
to discover...**

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# 1. Beautiful place to live and study

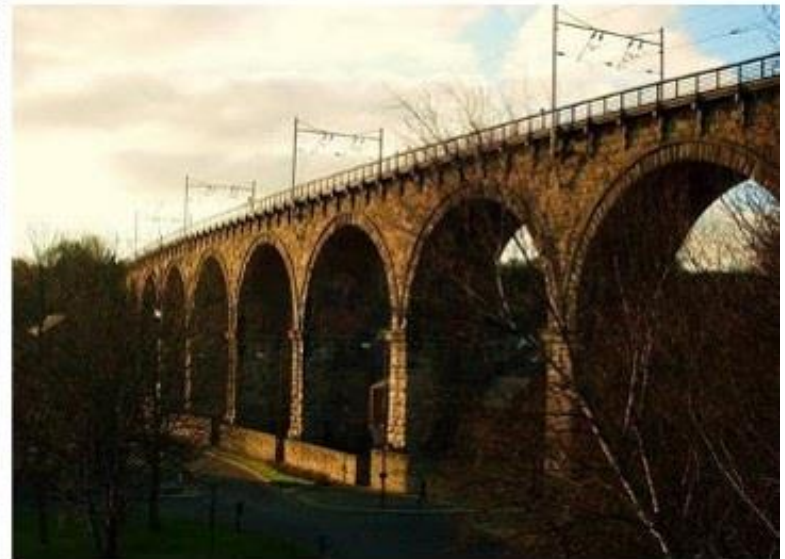




# Where is Durham?

- Durham is located in the North East of England
- 15 minutes by train to Newcastle upon Tyne
- Less than 3 hours by train to London and less than two hours to Edinburgh







# FLAT WHITE KITCHEN

fast · Lunch · Dinner

BREAKFAST  
LUNCH  
& DINNER

Cake and Confectionery

10:00 AM - 10:00 PM

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Open for  
Monday  
Tuesday  
Wednesday  
Thursday  
Friday  
Saturday  
Sunday



















# 2. Excellent Academic reputation

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# A-Levels

Join our Sixth Form Centre to get ready for university



- Art & Design
  - Biology
  - Business Studies
  - Chemistry
  - Classical civilisation
  - English Language
  - English Literature
  - Film Studies
  - French
  - Further Mathematics
  - Geography
  - History
  - Law
  - Mathematics
  - Physics
  - Politics
  - Psychology
  - Religious Studies
  - Sociology
- Other programmes:
- Applied Science (BTEC)
  - Criminology (QCF)
  - Extended Project Qualification





# What qualifications will I achieve?

	Age	Qualification	Structure
20 subjects to choose from	16-17	<i>AS levels – this is the year group you will be in</i>	Final assessment is by exams after one year. Graded A-E (A is the highest)
	17-18	A levels	More substantial exams after 2 years. Graded A*-E. This is what you need to go to university



# What does a week look like?

The college day is 9am-4pm Monday-Friday

Subject	Hours per subject per week	Total hours in the week	Exams
AS levels	5	15	May/June 2020
Cambridge English	1.5	1.5	December for some; March for remainder
Languages	2	2	None
Tutorial	1	1	None
Additional Maths	1.5	1.5	Arranged with the student
	Total:	<b>19.5</b> if choosing AS Maths. There will be extra hours if you are doing Additional Maths.	

In addition to lessons, students are recommended to spend **4 additional hours per subject per week (i.e. 12 hours)** on independent study.



# AS subjects – choose 3 (or 4) of the following:

Science and Maths	Humanities	English, Arts & Languages
Maths (similar to R1 maths)	Geography	English Language
Further Maths (must be taken <b>with</b> Maths)	History	English Literature
Physics	Law	Art and Design
Chemistry	Politics	Classical Civilisations
Biology	Sociology	Film Studies
Psychology	Religious Studies	French
	Business	
	Criminology	



# 3. Impressive college facilities





# Main Building







Campus Gym



# Campus Gym





# Fantastic facilities

You will find everything you need in our spacious, **state-of-the-art** college buildings!



- ⇒ Free Wi-Fi
- ⇒ Catch up with friends in Starbucks or Costa
- ⇒ Our Library has over 60,000 books and 200 journals
- ⇒ Fully equipped gym

We also have

- ⇒ Hair and beauty salon, dance studio, shops and a restaurant.

**We've just made things even better! A new £5 million redevelopment opened this year**



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# 4. Friendly and welcoming community





# Where can students access support?



- **Academic tutor: Karen Donohoe**
- **Personal Learning Coach: Marie Stephenson** - to help with planning their time, organising their work, or any other issues that are preventing them from achieving their potential.
- **Accommodation Officers: Sarah Elliott and Sarah Routledge**, for any host family questions or issues outside of College. Sarah and Sarah will meet all students in May
- **International Support Officer: Robbie Pick**. Students can see Robbie for advice about bus passes, cultural visits and transition support.
- **Counsellor:** there is a free College counselling service.





## Host family accommodation

- **Government approved**
- **Host Family matching process**
- **Location – 1 hour maximum commute from college**



# Host Family Package

## Included:

- Your own room and space to study
- Breakfast each day
- Home cooked evening meal
- Daily snacks
- Laundry facilities
- Wi-Fi Internet-this is provided for the use of study and making contact with family, for example Skype.
- Moral support, local knowledge and the chance to experience life with a family from another culture.

## What is NOT provided in a Host Family Package:

- Lunches
- Personal items such as toiletries and clothes
- Travel expenses – college will organise a bus pass for every student at an additional cost





# 5. Fantastic social and cultural programme





# York & Whitby



# Beamish Museum



# Edinburgh



# Manchester







**Learning to drive,  
leisure activities**



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Thank you for your attention!