

OAKLANDS COLLEGE

**Taught by
industry experts**

**100,000 hours of
work experience
by students last
year**

**800 local
companies
supported by
Oaklands work
experience
students**

**Over 500
student trips &
visits each year!**

**70% of students
travel to college via
discounted buses**

A time to reflect ...

- Find the best place to study for you What
- do you want to study and where do you want to progress?
- What values are important to you?
- What matters to you?



A bit about Oaklands

50
COUNTRIES

We have students from over 50
different countries studying
at Oaklands.

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**WE
HAVE
A ZOO**

Including 3 meerkats, 12 snakes,
7 spiders 3 lemurs, and a
32-year-old tortoise
named Tank.

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100
YEARS

of transformational education
from 1921 - 2021.

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34
GB ATHLETES

have come through our Athletics
Academy, with 11 going on to achieve
senior success.

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OVER 300
STUDENT
ATHLETES

across athletics, basketball, cycling,
hockey, football, netball
and rugby.

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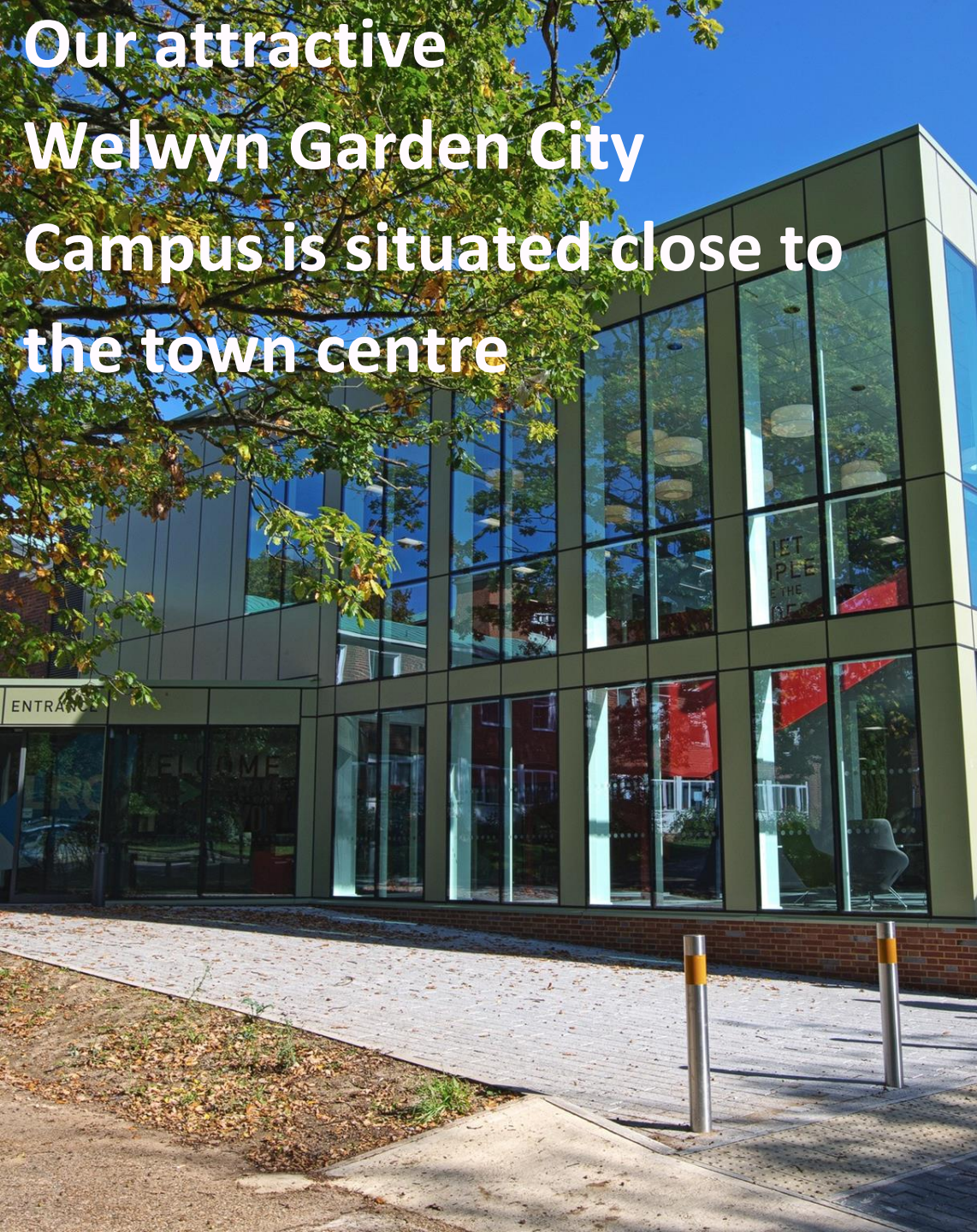
Why Oaklands?

- Nationally recognised Wolves Sports Academies
- Leading-edge Robotics and Engineering facilities in our STEM Centre
- Award-winning Creative Industries - Art, Fashion and Design
- Industry-standard media studios



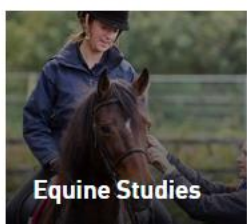
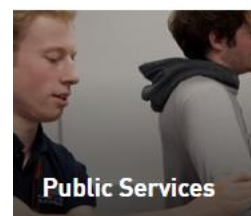
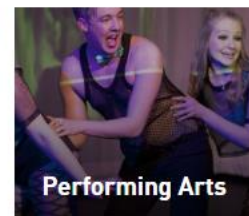
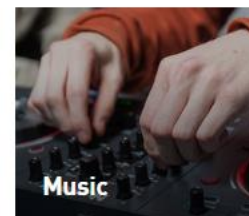
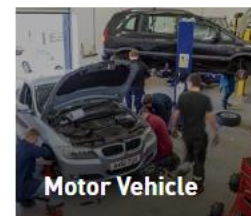
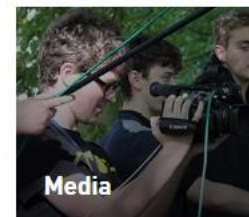
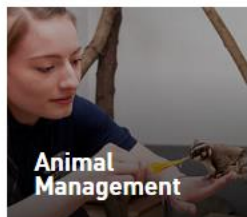


- Award winning restaurant
- Multi-sports hall and gym
- Art, Fashion & Design studios
- Floodlit 3G pitches
- Habitat animal centre and zoo
- Equestrian Centre and farm
- Motor vehicle workshops
- Construction trade workshops
- Brand-new teaching centre
- £60m investment and future development to come

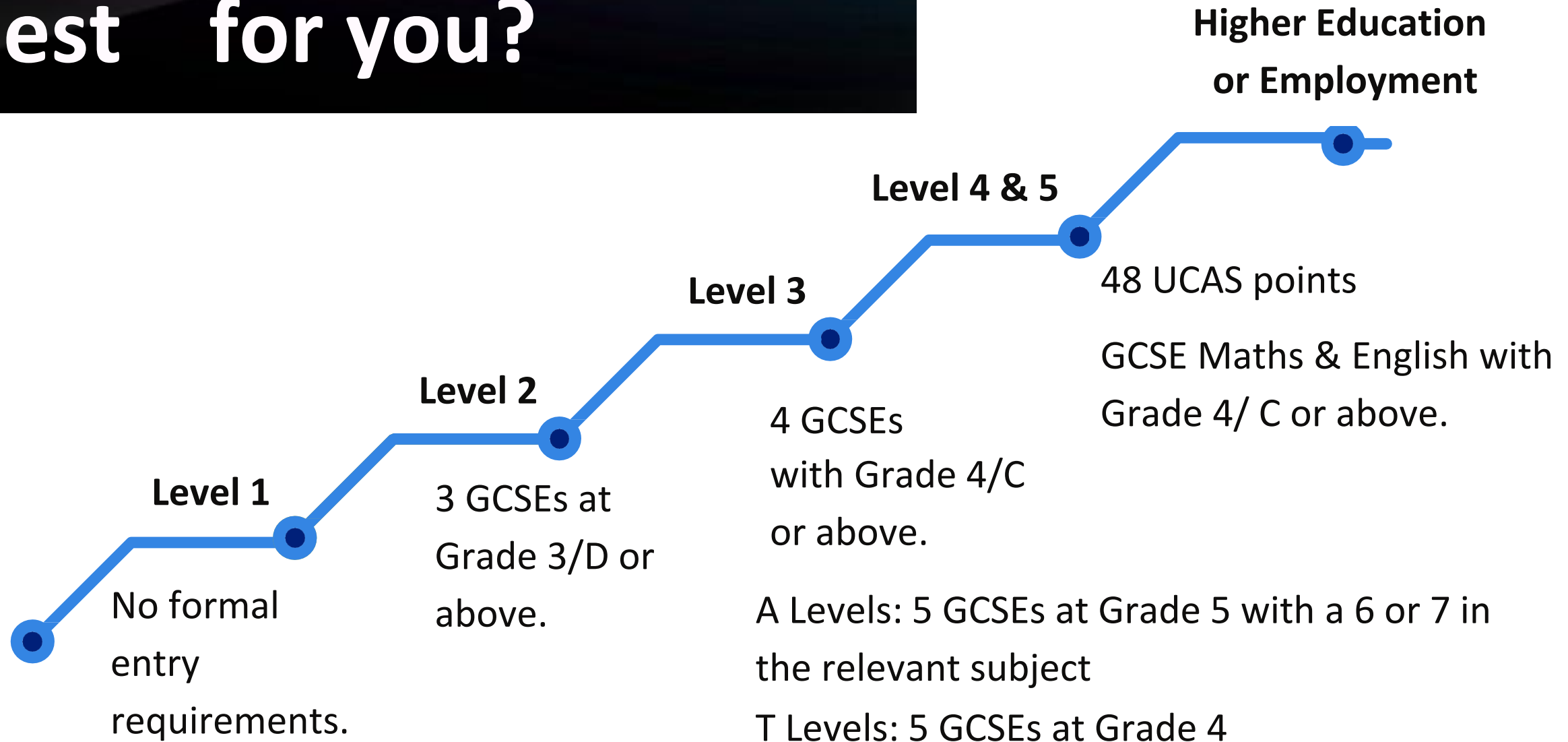


Our attractive
Welwyn Garden City
Campus is situated close to
the town centre

- Engineering Resource Centre CAD
- Workshops and 3D Printers STEM
- Centre (Science, Technology, Engineering, maths)
- Music recording and dance studios
- Wellbeing Centre
- Drama theatre
- Professional Hair & Beauty Salon
- Media recording studio



What qualification is best for you?



What are T-Levels?

- 2 Year technical education courses for 16-19 year olds
- Entry requirement - 5 GCSEs grade 4 and above including English, maths and any other GCSE subject relevant to the T-Level pathway.
- Developed in collaboration with employers and businesses - content meets the needs of industry and prepares students for work.
- 80% in classroom, 20% in industry placement (minimum of 45 days).
- Equivalent to 3 A Levels - progression to Higher Education, skilled employment or a higher apprenticeship



T-Levels at Oaklands – Sept 2024

- Business and Administration
- Legal, Finance and Accounting
- Education and Childcare
- Engineering and Manufacturing
- Construction and The Built Environment
- Design, Surveying and Planning for Construction
- Health and Science
- Agriculture, Environmental & Animal Care
- Digital



A Levels

A Levels we offer

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Maths
- P.E.
- Psychology
- Business
- Sociology
- English Literature
- Law

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What is a study programme?

A nationally recognised qualification in your chosen subject

Maths and English skills

- Highly regarded by employers
- Grade 3: Resit exam
- Grade 2 or below: Functional Skills

Employability skills and work experience

- Students complete 20-40 hours of work experience
- We have excellent links with local companies

Personal development skills

- Healthy lifestyles
- Staying safe online
- Careers & Guidance
- Mental health workshops

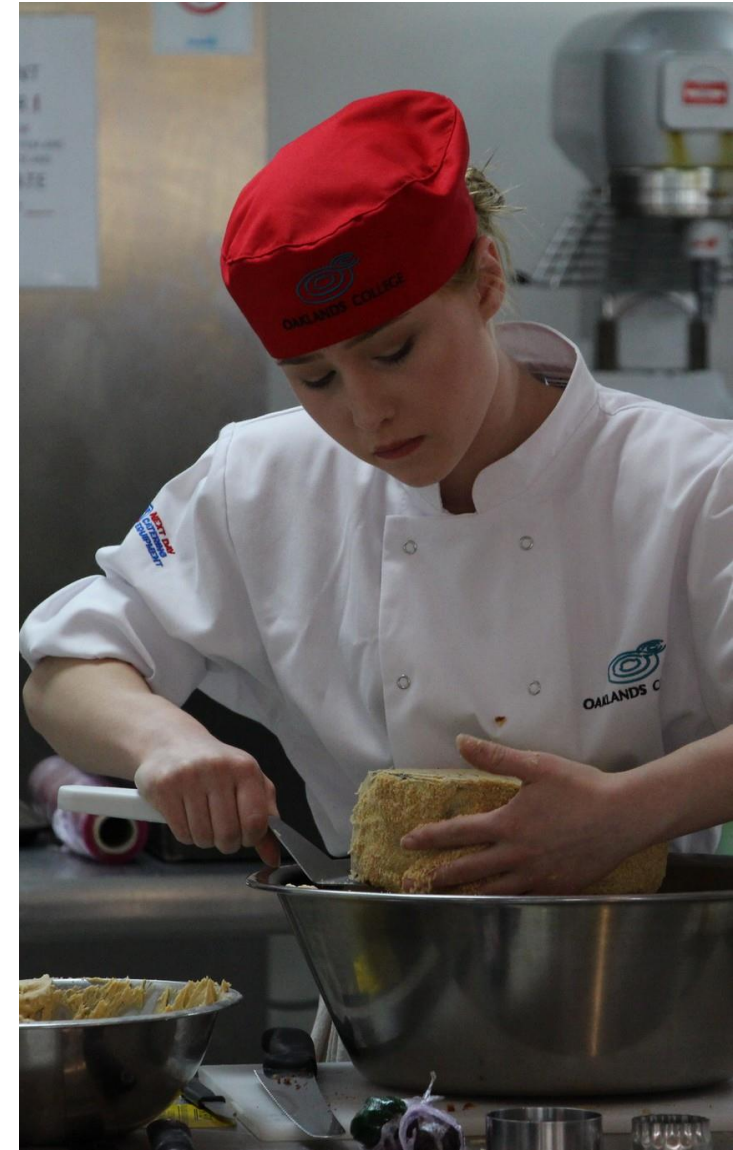
College enrichment and social activities

- Badminton
 - Basketball
 - Boxing
 - Football
 - Mindfulness
 - Table tennis
 - Yoga
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- Social and lunchtime clubs
 - LGBTQ+ group
 - Students' Union-led clubs and events, including film club, open mic, arts and crafts



Work Experience

- Work experience for all students on a full time course
- Increases employability and builds confidence and self-esteem
- Support from Employability Mentors - CV writing, Personal Statements and employability workshops



Beyond the classroom

Student support:

- Build skills and knowledge portfolio
- Personal Tutor
- Learning Mentor - pastoral and wellbeing
- 1-1 careers advice
- Learning support
- Regular parent/carers contact
- LRC at both campuses Student
- Union - Student Reps



Financial Support

- Financial support for those who need it - meals/books/equipment
- Discounted travel scheme available on the UNO Bus network

**Discounted
Travel Scheme
from £1.20 a day**



Your Journey to Oaklands

**Apply online
today**

**Course experience
evenings**

**Enrol in
August**



**Open
event visit**

**We'll make
you an offer**

**Accept your
offer**

Open Events

November 2023

ST ALBANS
CAMPUS

St Albans Campus



Saturday
4th November



10am-3pm

WELWYN
GARDEN CITY
CAMPUS

Welwyn Garden City Campus



Saturday
11th November



10am-3pm

Progression

**Oaklands have an outstanding
progression rate for students
achieving a positive destination**

Higher Education

Employment

Apprenticeships

Celebrating Success



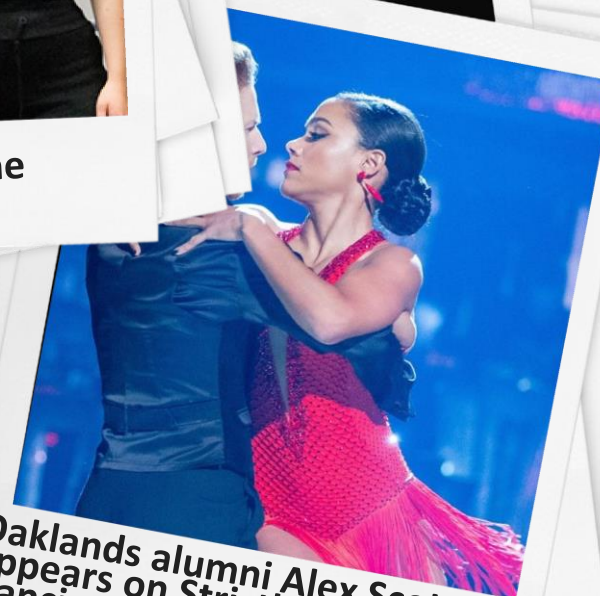
Former Performing Arts student-turned-singer tours with Billie Eilish!



Ex-student Daryll Neita won bronze at the Tokyo Olympics



Student question time welcomes local politicians



Oaklands alumni Alex Scott appears on Strictly Come Dancing.



Former Engineering student wins National Apprenticeship Award!



Rugby Academy alumni makes World Cup Final with England!

Thank you for listening!

Are there any further questions?



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