

Welcome to the Aspiring Travel and Tourism Professional programme at Wirral Met. This programme has been designed to give you the skills and knowledge to start your journey towards your dream career in the exciting Travel and Tourism industry. Alongside developing your technical abilities, the programme will help you to get work ready by building on your confidence and interpersonal skills.

You will have the opportunity to try out a range of subject areas related to the Travel and Tourism industry, allowing you to explore different career paths and discover your strengths before progressing onto a Level 2 qualification.

# **COURSE DETAILS**

The programme will help you to improve your Maths and English, develop technical skills, gain work experience and get involved in extra-curricular activities and tutorials. It has been designed to help you develop professionally and supports your progression.

Alongside subject specific knowledge you'll have the opportunity to improve your Maths, English and Digital skills — essential for helping you get a job in the future.

You will benefit from the guidance of passionate and experienced teachers who are invested in your success. They will provide personalised support, constructive feedback, and a listening ear every step of the way.

These programmes are all about supporting your journey. You'll develop your study and communication skills, learn to manage your time effectively and conquer every challenge with confidence.

Get a taste of the professional world with industry insights, guest speakers and work experience opportunities. We'll help you craft the perfect CV and prepare you for job interviews.

- The subject specific knowledge you will cover includes:
- Customer service
- Communication
- Products and services in Travel and Tourism
- Attractions and destinations
- Promotional materials
- Careers in Travel and Tourism

## **ENTRY GUIDELINES**

This is a Study Programme for students aged 16-18 years.

If you are yet to gain any formal qualifications (e.g. GCSE's) you will be enrolled onto our Aspiring Professionals Programme which is perfect for progression to further study at level 2 or alternatively an apprenticeship route into employment.

Basic levels of literacy and numeracy are required for you to study at this level (grade 2 or below in English/Maths)

If English is not your first language, you may need an assessment before enrolling on this course. To discuss further, please contact the ESOL department on 0151 551 7144.

# **EQUIPMENT REQUIRED**

To learn effectively on your course, you may need to use certain items of equipment and undertake particular activities, such as trips, as part of your studies. These can incur additional costs.

You may be eligible for support with these costs. Find out more at <a href="https://www.wmc.ac.uk/student-support/financial-support/bursaries-loans">https://www.wmc.ac.uk/student-support/financial-support/bursaries-loans</a>

# **ASSESSMENT METHOD**

The course is assessed through practical work, assignments and work experience.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

This is a study programme for those aged between 16-18. If you have not achieved a grade 4/C or higher in English and Maths, you will work alongside your course to complete this.

## WHERE CAN I PROGRESS TO?

This course offers direct pathways to Level 2 Travel Professional and Level 2 Cabin Crew Professional courses. It will also provide you with skills which can be used in full-time employment.

## WHEN DOES THIS COURSE RUN?

CAMPUS	STARTS	ATTENDANCE	COURSE CODE	PLANNED TIME TABLE
	09th Sep 2024	Full Time	L108Q001	

#### If you are aged 16-18:

This study programme will be FREE for most students who are aged 16-18 on 31 August, or students aged 19-24 with an Education, Health & Care Plan.

If you are aged 19 or over:

For advice and guidance, please contact Student Services via our online enquiry form

This information was current on 06th July, 2024 and may be subject to change.