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# SERVICES FOR SCHOOLS

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**SUBSIDISED TRANSPORT PROVISION\* FOR FULL TIME STUDENTS AGED 16-18, LIVING MORE THAN 3 MILES AWAY**

\*subject to eligibility, see page 10 for details

# Services for Schools Welcome



**We offer schools like yours a wide range of support that you can use to help your pupils achieve their goals and find the right career path. As a teacher, helping your pupils find their route to success can bring you a great sense of achievement.**

We'd like to introduce you to our Services for Schools. We are here to work with you and your pupils to help them make well-informed decisions about their education and career options after they leave your school.

We're looking forward to working closely with you to ensure your pupils have a successful future.

We can help you to help your pupils in many different ways including exploring their career options, providing support with their learning, or helping them find out more about what the College can offer.



**For more information, please email  
[servicesforschools@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:servicesforschools@cambria.ac.uk)**

# School Link 14-16 Programme



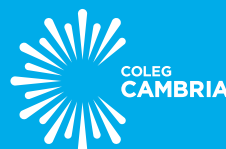
**Working in collaboration with schools and local authorities, the Coleg Cambria School Link Programme is a great opportunity for 14-16 year old learners to experience vocational training and gain an industry-recognised qualification whilst studying at school.**

Each week we welcome over 1,000 learners from schools across North East Wales to study a wide range of exciting courses. Courses are geared towards a practical, career-focused option, all designed to meet local industry needs. These range from Business to Engineering, Construction to Computing, Hair and Beauty to Public Services - all these courses give a first insight into possible career and employment routes.

Coleg Cambria offers 14-16 year old learners the same outstanding quality of practical training that we offer our 16+ learners and studying at any of our sites gives young people access to a wealth of exceptional industry standard facilities:

- **£10 million investment into an inspirational STEM Skills Centre/ Engineering Technology Centre at Bersham Road**
- **Deeside Engineering Centre of Excellence**
- **Specialist commercial Hair and Beauty Salon and professional standard training restaurant and catering facilities**

## Open Events



### MARCH 2025

**Deeside & Deeside Sixth**  
**Wednesday 5th, 5-7pm**  
**Accessible: Wednesday 13th, 5-6pm**

**Llysfas**  
**Saturday 8th, 10am-12pm**  
**Accessible: Thursday 27th, 5-6pm**

**Bersham**  
**Wednesday 12th, 5-7pm**  
**Accessible: Thursday 20th, 5-6pm**

**Yale and Yale Sixth**  
**Wednesday 12th, 5-7pm**  
**Accessible: Wednesday 19th, 5-6pm**

**Northop**  
**Saturday 15th, 10am-12pm**  
**Accessible: Wednesday 26th, 5-6pm**

# Our Services for You



We can provide your pupils with advice and guidance in the following ways:

- **Attend your parents evenings**
- **Attend your careers events**
- **Host talk and tours at any of our college sites**
- **Provide interactive demos for your pupils to give them practical experience of subjects they're interested in**
- **Give talks to your pupils about college**

Our talk and tours are a great way for your pupils to find out more about the range of options that are available to them at college. We can arrange bespoke events for your pupils, send us an email and we'll work with you on specialised events.

Please email us with details of any events you would like us to attend and if you would like any more information about bringing your pupils for a tour of the college.

**[servicesforschools@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:servicesforschools@cambria.ac.uk)**





# Events On-Site at Cambria



## College Talk & Tour

1-2 hours

Suitable for Years 10 & 11

Choose which site your learners would like to visit and we'll do the rest. During the talk and tour your group will get to have a look around the whole college site including classrooms, workshops, specialist facilities, Student Services, Learning Support, libraries, food outlets and social areas. This will give them a feel for the college with plenty of opportunities to ask questions so they can make a more informed decision about their next steps after school.

## Subject Area Talk & Tour

30 mins - 1 hour

Suitable for Years 10 & 11

This can be combined with other subject area tours.

Choose which site and subject area your learners would like to visit and we'll do the rest. During the talk and tour your group will get to have a look around the facilities for the selected subject area including any classrooms, workshops and specialist facilities. You will also be able to visit Student Services, Learning Support, libraries, food outlets and social areas at the site. This gives learners a feel for the college with plenty of opportunities to ask questions so they can make a more informed decision about their next steps after school.

## Subject Taster

30 mins - 1 hour

Suitable for Years 10 & 11

This can be combined with other subject area tours.

Subject tasters give your learners an opportunity to take part in a subject specific session to help them find out if the subject is for them. Tasters may include practical sessions, lectures or hands-on activities depending on the subject chosen.



## Wellbeing Workshops and Guided Tour

Half Day (including 45 min Tour)

Suitable for Year 11

Choose which site and subject area your learners would like to visit and we'll do the rest. During this half day wellbeing visit you'll have the opportunity to look around your chosen site and facilities in your selected subject area. You will be able to visit our Student Services, Learning Support, Library, food outlets, and social areas at the site. The wellbeing activities will be held in our Wellness Hub which will be your chance to meet key staff, learn wellbeing techniques and your opportunity to ask questions. This is designed to help learners who are struggling with their mental health feel comfortable about starting college in September.

# Visits to Your School



## General College Talk & Virtual Reality Tour

Suitable for Years 10 & 11

Our team can attend your parents evenings and careers events to provide learners and their parents with information on the College, we can also bring along our VR headsets so learners can experience a virtual tour of the College facilities. Where space at your school allows, this can be combined with subject area talks and mini tasters so our curriculum teams can come along and do interactive activities with your learners.

## Quick Guide to Coleg Cambria

Assembly Talk

Suitable for Years 10 & 11

This talk can be tailored to the length of your school assemblies to introduce your learners to the College, the types of courses on offer and the support available.

## Subject Area Talk & Mini Taster

30 mins

Suitable for Years 10 & 11

This can be combined with other talks & mini tasters, and the general college talk and VR tour.

Our curriculum staff can visit your school and do interactive activities with your learners in their chosen subjects (activities can include virtual welding, catering activities, basic medical checks, animal handling, etc) - this could be at any time during the school day, or combined with the general college talk as part of your careers events. Subject area talks & mini tasters give your learners a chance to experience different subjects without needing to visit the College.



# Virtual Events

## What's Next? Practical Courses

Virtual Q&A session

Approx. 30 mins

Suitable for Years 9, 10 & 11

Let us know which practical courses your learners are interested in and we'll send you a link to join a virtual Q&A session at a mutually convenient time. During these sessions your learners find out more about practical courses and have the opportunity to ask any questions they've got so that they are armed with all the info they need to make their next step after school.

## What's Next? A Levels

Virtual Q&A session

Approx. 30 mins

Suitable for Years 9, 10 & 11

Let us know whether your learners are interested in studying A Levels at Deeside 6th or Yale 6th and we'll send you a link to join a virtual Q&A session at a mutually convenient time. During these sessions your learners find out more about A Levels and have the opportunity to ask any questions they've got so that they are armed with all the info they need

## What's Next? Apprenticeships



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Apprenticeships

Virtual Q&A session

Approx. 30 mins

Suitable for Years 9, 10, 11, 12 & 13

We'll send you a link to join a virtual Q&A session at a mutually convenient time for you to join this session with your learners. During these sessions your learners find out more about Apprenticeships and have the opportunity to ask any questions they've got so that they are armed with all the info they need to make their next step after school.





## What's Next? Degree Courses

Virtual Q&A session

Approx. 30 mins

Suitable for Years 12 & 13

We'll send you a link to join a virtual Q&A session at a mutually convenient time for you to join this session with your learners. During these sessions your learners find out more about studying degree level courses at Cambria University Centre, as well as the benefits of studying closer to home and finding out more about our university partners. This will help them make a decision about whether to study locally or move away from home.

## What's Next? Studying through the medium of Welsh

Virtual Q&A session

Approx. 30 mins

Suitable for Years 9, 10 & 11

We'll send you a link to join a virtual Q&A session at a mutually convenient time for you to join this session with your learners. During these sessions your learners find out more about continuing their studies through the medium of Welsh and what support is available to them at Cambria. They'll get the opportunity to ask any questions they've got so that they are armed with all the info they need to make their next step after school.

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# Support & Guidance

**Based at all sites at Cambria, we are a welcoming and experienced team, who can offer information, advice and guidance on all aspects of your journey here at college.**

## Information, Advice and Guidance

We are your dedicated support hub for all things academic and personal. Our experienced team is here to guide you through your educational journey, connecting you to all the right areas of support, offering assistance with course selection, career planning, and personal development.

Need help with transport, financial aid, or wellbeing? We've got you covered. At Cambria, we're committed to ensuring every student thrives. Reach out to us today and let us help you make the most of your college experience!

**[studentservices@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:studentservices@cambria.ac.uk)**

## Transport

We offer a subsidised transport provision of either travel on a designated College bus or an Arriva termly public bus pass. To be eligible for subsidised transport you will need to live over 3 miles from the nearest college campus delivering your choice of course\*. If you travel by bicycle you will have access to bike racks at most sites.

**[transport@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:transport@cambria.ac.uk)**

**TAP OR CLICK HERE**



for bus routes  
and timetables

\*Subject to eligibility. Details correct at the time of printing, please visit our website for the latest information.

## Safeguarding

Cambria is committed to your safety both inside and outside of College whilst you are a student with us. We have a dedicated safeguarding team within Student Services to help and support you.

**[safeguarding@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:safeguarding@cambria.ac.uk)**



## Financial Support

Our Student Services team can help with financial support at College. If you are a full time student aged 16-18 and living in Wales, you may be eligible for Education Maintenance Allowance (EMA). If you are 19, or over, you may be eligible for a Welsh Government Adult Learning Grant. You may also be eligible for the Financial Contingency Fund (FCF) which could help pay for your uniform, kit, equipment, education trips, course books, PPE and DBS check refund (if required for your course).

**[studentservices@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:studentservices@cambria.ac.uk)**



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to view our  
Student Support  
videos

## Careers Advice and Guidance

Our professional Advisers provide help to prospective students on choosing the right course as well as advice and guidance once you are a student at Cambria. By using up to date Labour Market Information and trends, they can help you research careers in all job sectors.

Applying to university? Our Career Advisers can help you explore prospective universities and support you with your application to UCAS.

**[careers@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:careers@cambria.ac.uk)**

## Free Breakfast

Any student at any Cambria site is entitled to collect a FREE breakfast from main College canteens, Monday - Friday 8am - 9.15am. Students must present a valid College ID card and be wearing their Cambria lanyard.

## Website Accessibility



Visitors to our website may listen to the content by using Recite Me.

Recite Me reads website content out loud in a high quality, human-sounding voice. Each word is highlighted as it is read aloud and the sentence is highlighted in a contrasting colour. This allows users to easily identify what text is being read aloud and navigate within and between web pages. For more information please visit:

**[www.cambria.ac.uk/accessibility](http://www.cambria.ac.uk/accessibility)**

# Support & Guidance

## Swap Don't Drop

Feel like you have chosen the wrong course or career pathway? Don't worry, Student Services are on hand to give you some extra information, advice and support to get you on the right course for your future plans. Either speak to your Progress Coach or call into Student Services for more information.

**[studentservices@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:studentservices@cambria.ac.uk)**



## Progress Coaches (PC)

Supporting you is one of our top priorities. That's why, from the moment you join Cambria, you'll receive tailored support from your Progress Coach on a regular basis. Through weekly sessions, the MADE programme (Maximising Achievement and Developing Everyone) will develop your skills and knowledge beyond your qualification at Cambria.

Your PC will coach and support you in a variety of ways, developing your independence, so you can achieve the best outcomes for your future ambitions. Progress Coaches form part of the support you'll receive at Cambria and can signpost and refer you to specialist support if needed.

You will also have the opportunity to meet with your PC one-to-one to review your progress and set goals and targets. Linked to your subject area, your PC will help you throughout your time at Cambria by guiding, supporting and celebrating your progress.

**[progress@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:progress@cambria.ac.uk)**

## Resilience Sessions and Counselling

Our Resilience Coaches help learners identify and overcome barriers to learning. Offering either bespoke one-to-one sessions, or group sessions, they will assist you to explore strategies and techniques which should help you. Developing your resilience and wellbeing will enable you to have a more positive and fulfilling college experience. They can also refer you to other support services, including counsellors and external agencies.

## Carers, Young Carers and Care Experienced Learners

The College is fully aware of the challenges faced by carers and young carers and is committed to improving your experience and opportunities as a Cambria student. We have achieved the Quality Standard in Carer Support. For more information, please contact:

**[studentservices@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:studentservices@cambria.ac.uk)**  
**[youngcarers@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:youngcarers@cambria.ac.uk)**



# How to Apply

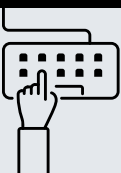


Applying to study at Cambria is really easy, just follow these simple steps and you'll be on the journey to success in no time at all.

## Find your course and apply online

When you've found the perfect course you want to study, you can apply directly online from the course page at [www.cambria.ac.uk](http://www.cambria.ac.uk)

If you need help with any part of the application process, our Admissions team will be more than happy to help you with queries or questions. [admissions@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:admissions@cambria.ac.uk)



## Stage 2

Once we have received your application, you will receive an email with a form to complete and send back to us.



## Decision of offer

Once we have received your Stage 2 form, your application will be passed to the curriculum teams.

If your application is successful you will receive an offer via email. This means that you've got a place on a course with us if you meet the entry requirements.



## Taster Event

Attend your taster event to get a taster of the College and your course.



## Confirm Your Place

You will receive an email to confirm your place online on GCSE Results Day in August.



## Start Date Info

You will receive an email with your start date and other useful information.





# Support & Guidance

**Cambria is committed to inclusion for all learners.**

## Mental Health & Wellbeing Support

We know that mental health and wellbeing can have a significant impact on your college experience. The Mental Health & Wellbeing Team are passionate about providing the best support and resources that promote your wellbeing and good mental health.

We provide:

- Wellbeing Hubs and pop up hubs - safe, quiet locations for you to relax and take part in mindful activities.
- Mental health and wellbeing activities throughout the year.
- Support from dedicated trauma-informed wellbeing staff across all college sites.
- One-to-one mental health and wellbeing sessions and support, tailored to meet your needs.
- Support with overcoming anxiety related to socialising, accessing college or travel to college.
- Inclusive support plans and strategies to help you succeed.
- Referrals, social signposting and multi agency working.
- Bespoke transition support and summer workshops.

**[wellbeing@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:wellbeing@cambria.ac.uk)**

## Specialist Tutor Support

Our approach is tailored to you and your individual needs. Our specialist tutors can support your independent learning if you have a learning need.

Our specialist tutors are also able to offer the following:

- One-to-one screening to develop your understanding of your own strengths and potential challenges
- Specialist strategies in effective learning
- Internal referrals to further support teams to support your needs, such as resilience coaching and wellbeing advisors
- Assessments for Exam Access Arrangements (EAA) and Disabled Student Allowance (DSA)
- Assistive technology including software and hardware
- Small group sessions.

**[learning.support@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:learning.support@cambria.ac.uk)**





## Learning Support and Accessibility

The Learning Support Team is here to ensure that you have the support you need to succeed on your course. We can adapt this to meet your individual needs and requirements. We have learning support available across all sites and can provide assistance from your application throughout your journey.

We will work with you to ensure that you have full access on-site whilst on your course. This may include us providing additional equipment, personal care plans or collaborating with health and safety for emergency evacuation plans. Please contact our support coordinators to discuss your requirements to ensure you have the best transition and planning.

**[learning.support@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:learning.support@cambria.ac.uk)**

We provide:

- Class-based Learning Support at Entry 3 and Level 1
- Transition support
- Access to quiet and inclusive spaces, including the Inclusion Area and Wellbeing Hubs.

Depending on your individual, person-centred needs, we have all the above plus:

- Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) Specialist Support Workers
- Bespoke and targeted support
- Lunch and break supervision
- Communication Support
- Support to and from transport
- Bespoke transition
- Bespoke, personal care/mobility support
- British Sign Language (BSL) Signer/Communication Support Worker
- Interpreter (BSL)
- Orientation training
- Sighted guide (for a blind student).

# Support & Guidance



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## Equality and Diversity

At Cambria we are committed to promoting equality, celebrating diversity and creating a fully inclusive learning experience. We are here to support you with any issues related to you and your identity. Cambria is an inclusive place for everyone regardless of your gender, sexuality, race, religion, disability, social class or anything else that makes you, you.

Cambria has a dedicated Equality and Diversity Coordinator who is there to support you in all issues related to equality including:

- Advice, guidance and support
- Supporting your transition into college
- One-to-one ongoing support
- Student engagement on equality issues
- Equality focused clubs and societies e.g. LGBTQ+ Club
- Equality in your education.

All members of the College will:

- Respect and celebrate the different backgrounds and cultures of all learners, staff and visitors
- Reflect the diverse communities we serve
- Have zero tolerance of bullying and harassment
- Treat all learners and staff equally and fairly
- Ensure learning and college services are accessible to all
- Challenge prejudice.

**[equalityanddiversity@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:equalityanddiversity@cambria.ac.uk)**



## Additional Learning Needs

Our Universal/Additional Learning Provision document provides further information about what support is available in college.

### TAP OR CLICK HERE



to access the Universal  
/Additional Learning



Please let us know if you have an Individual Development Plan, Education Health and Care Plan or NHS Health Care Plan.

You can let us know on application or through our email:

**[IDP@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:IDP@cambria.ac.uk)**

# Libraries & Academic Skills Support



**The Library is a great place to come and be part of student life at Cambria, lots of college activities take place in the libraries and we can't wait to meet you. We are here to support you and help make the best of your time in college - have a chat with the team about what you need.**

We provide a fantastic range of print and digital resources to help you with your coursework and take into account your individual preferences and learning styles.

We have one of the largest and most well used ebook collections in Wales, these are easy to access in college and at home but if you need some help to find the right ones for you, our team can support you. If you prefer printed books we have a wide range of titles for all subject areas. Our digital collection offers excellent online platforms to help with research and assignment planning. These platforms include access to video content and subject specific, industry ready information.

Your Library is also a great place to come and study as we provide inclusive and accessible areas for group work or independent study.

We can offer:

- Friendly support staff who are ready to answer any questions
- Hands on support with research and information skills
- Great IT resources - PCs, Chromebooks, copiers, Wi-Fi access for your own devices and places to recharge them
- A relaxed and safe environment for you to take time out
- An excellent range of books and ebooks to support with your course work
- Fantastic online content - discover our digital collection on the Student Hub
- Chromebooks to loan so you can complete work out of college
- Course books and stationery for sale, if you forget to bring yours.



## Academic Skills Support

We have a team of Academic Skills Facilitators and Advisors, who can offer helpful hints and tips on how to plan your studies and stay in control.

Here are just some of the topics we can help you with:

- Planning and organising your time
- Exam and revision techniques
- Creating a good assignment
- Research and finding information sources
- Presentation skills
- Digital skills
- Critical thinking.

If you have any questions about using our resources or getting academic skills support email:

**[library@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:library@cambria.ac.uk)**

**TAP OR CLICK HERE**



to find out more



# Learner Experience

**There are so many ways to embrace student life and maximise your time at Cambria. You will be offered opportunities to make new friends, try new activities, develop your skills and add value to your course. Not only will they help you with your health, wellbeing and CV, but will boost your self confidence and your employability skills.**

## Enrichment Experiences

Enrichment activities offer the perfect opportunity to discover, understand and develop your potential, increase your skills and interests, build your confidence and make friends! Moreover they will allow you to apply and accelerate your learning which will enhance your chosen course.

You can get involved in cross-college clubs and societies, take part in community activities and volunteering, develop leadership, problem-solving, teamwork and communication skills.

## Student Voice

Get involved with Student Voice and truly make a difference to your college! Student Voice is how you get to have your say and change what happens at the College. Become a Class Rep and attend Student Voice meetings or lead/join one of our student clubs and societies to gain valuable skills that could potentially enhance your future career opportunities.

## Skills Competitions

Cambria is a WorldSkills UK Centre of Excellence, participates and leads in competitions in Wales and the UK. You are encouraged to take part in skills competitions, allowing you to compete against others and to demonstrate your talent in your chosen skill. This is a proven way to enhance your learning, development of employability, technical skills and your self confidence.

## Active Cambria

The Active Cambria team provides an extensive, inclusive wellbeing programme to students and staff. Consisting of action packed fun multi sport and fitness activities such as yoga, spin, football, dodgeball, badminton and fun team games. We offer a Young Ambassador programme called the Trusted Leader programme, which offers coaching experience, qualifications, trips away and mentoring. The team can also offer sleep, nutrition, strength, fitness and lifestyle advice to students. Active Cambria gives all students an holistic care package to support their academic and employment skills.

[activecambria@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:activecambria@cambria.ac.uk)



## Duke Of Edinburgh (DofE)

Cambria is proud to be one of the largest providers of DofE in the Further Education sector in Wales. We offer gold, silver and bronze awards to all students aged 14-24, offering the chance to develop invaluable skills for life and work to fulfil your potential.



**TAP OR CLICK HERE**to view our  
Enrichment videos

## Chaplaincy

Chaplaincy may be a word that not everyone may be familiar with, but it's very simple; chaplaincy exists to help all staff and students feel connected and valued within our College community. We work alongside support teams to create an inclusive environment. We're always looking for ideas and suggestions but current activity includes workshops on spirituality and identity, bushcraft activities, multi-faith awareness workshops, and faith support services, including prayer rooms and crisis of faith support.

**[chaplaincy@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:chaplaincy@cambria.ac.uk)**

## Enterprise and Starting Your Own Business

Whether you want to be your own boss in the future, explore a business idea or want to test trade right now, Cambria and Big Ideas Wales are here to support you! There are enterprise clubs and activities driven by a student-led Enterprise Committee and a range of challenges to develop your entrepreneurial skills to take part in.

**[enterprise@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:enterprise@cambria.ac.uk)**

## Job Shop

Cambria Job Shop supports the employability skills of all Cambria students and is available across all sites. The employability service is vital in our students progressing into careers after studying.

Through drop-in sessions the Job Shop supports students by offering advice on CVs, cover letters, job search, apprenticeships, application forms, and interview tips. There are also workshops available for those who prefer to work in group settings.

For more details please email:  
**[jobshop@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:jobshop@cambria.ac.uk)**

## Work Experience

At Cambria we understand the importance of work experience and how it can help prepare you for the world of work. Our dedicated team supports curriculum areas that require a mandatory element of work experience. Our team has links to a wide range of local businesses and can sign post learners to apply for work placements with companies that fit your working aspirations and maybe even future employment opportunities.

For more details please contact  
**[workexperience@cambria.ac.uk](mailto:workexperience@cambria.ac.uk)**

# A Levels

**We are proud of our sector leading success and outstanding reputation for inspiring students to succeed.**

## Deeside Sixth

Deeside Sixth is our sixth form centre with modern state-of-the-art facilities situated at Coleg Cambria Deeside. A level students learn in specialist, well-equipped teaching facilities. Our centre is a friendly and vibrant place which offers excellent library and cutting edge IT facilities which support study and independent research.



## Progress to University & Other Routes

We have an extensive programme of support and very good links with many prestigious universities. Both sixth forms have a programme of talks and visits involving many universities, students are encouraged to attend open days and challenges and are fully supported throughout the university application process.

## Yale Sixth

Yale Sixth is our sixth form centre with a long-standing excellent reputation at Coleg Cambria Yale. There are well-equipped science laboratories, a professionally equipped theatre, computer suites and art studios. Students are encouraged to use the university style library which has space over three floors to undertake private study and group tutorials and to access support for their skill development.

## Seren Network

Both Deeside Sixth and Yale Sixth are active partners in the prestigious Seren Network which supports high achievers to reach their progression goals through a regular programme of super-curricular activities.

Students not opting to progress directly to university are supported with applications to higher employment and higher apprenticeships.

## Higher Potential Programme

At Cambria we believe in you and in your brilliant potential. We're here to inspire you and to help you identify, explore and develop further. So whether your talents, interests and skills lie in the arts, IT, languages, sports, leadership, SEREN or vocational skills, we're on hand to help you recognise your higher potential and achieve excellence and success. Our Higher Potential Coordinator works with staff and students to support and stretch your talents and abilities during your time at Cambria.

# What A Levels Can I Study?

## A LEVELS

COURSE	DEESIDE SIXTH	YALE SIXTH
Art & Design (Art, Craft and Design)	✓	
Art, Craft & Design (Art, Craft and Design, Fine Art, Textile Design, 3D Design and Graphic Design)		✓
Art & Design (Photography: Interactive Media and Digital Communication)		✓
Biology	✓	✓
Business Studies	✓	✓
Chemistry	✓	✓
Classical Civilisation		✓
Computer Science	✓	✓
Criminology (Level 3 Applied Diploma)	✓	
Digital Technologies	✓	✓
Drama & Theatre Studies	✓	✓
Economics	✓	✓
English Combined Language & Literature		✓
English Language	✓	✓
English Literature	✓	✓
Environmental Science		✓
Film Studies	✓	✓
Further Maths	✓	✓
Geography	✓	✓
Government & Politics	✓	✓
History	✓	✓
Law	✓	✓
Mathematics	✓	✓
Media Studies	✓	✓
Music	✓	✓*
Physical Education	✓	✓
Physics	✓	✓
Psychology	✓	✓
Religious Studies (Philosophy, Ethics and Religion)	✓	✓
Sociology	✓	✓
Welsh (First Language)	✓	✓
Welsh (Second Language)	✓	✓

\*Taught at Deeside Sixth

# Practical Courses

**We offer full time Practical/Vocational courses from Foundation Skills to Level 3 across our sites in Deeside, Yale, Northop, Bersham Road and Llysfas.**

These are mainly two year Vocational qualifications, equivalent to studying three A Levels. These courses blend practical, career focused skills and academic study to prepare you for direct entry into employment, university or apprenticeships. Most of these courses have a work experience element attached to them.

Vocational/Practical courses are typically assessed through coursework and observation of competency in practical skills. Many students taking a two year Level 3 Vocational qualification will study the Advanced Skills Baccalaureate, although staff will clarify whether this applies to you during the application process.



# What Practical Courses Can I Study?

PRACTICAL COURSES					
SUBJECT	DEESIDE	YALE	BERSHAM	LLYSFASI	NORTHOP
Access to Higher Education (HE)	✓	✓			
Beauty, Spa & Complementary Therapies	✓	✓			
Business, Management & Leadership		✓			
Childcare, Childhood Studies & Playwork	✓	✓			
Construction & Building Services	✓		✓		
Construction - Technical			✓		
Construction - Trades	✓		✓		
Creative Industries - Art & Design		✓			
Creative Industries - Creative Media Production	✓	✓			
Creative Industries - Music Performance & Production	✓	✓			
Creative Industries - Performing Arts & Backstage Theatre Production		✓			
Digital Technologies, Computing & IT	✓	✓			
Engineering - Fabrication & Welding	✓		✓		
Engineering - Manufacturing & Maintenance	✓		✓		
Engineering - Motor Vehicle	✓		✓		
Esports	✓				
Fashion Business & Retail	✓				
Floristry		✓			
Hairdressing & Barbering	✓	✓			
Health & Social Care	✓	✓			
Hospitality & Catering		✓			
Independent Living Skills					✓
Learn English	✓	✓			
Neurodiverse-centred Courses	✓	✓			✓
Science - Forensic & Criminal Investigation		✓			
Sport & Fitness	✓	✓			
Step into Cambria		✓			✓
Travel & The Visitor Economy		✓			
Uniformed Public Services	✓	✓			



# Land-based Courses

We offer a range of full time Practical Land-based courses at our Northop and Llysfasí sites.

These are mainly two year Vocational qualifications, equivalent to studying three A Levels. These courses blend practical, career focused skills and academic study to prepare you for direct entry into employment, university or apprenticeships. Most of these courses have a work experience element attached to them.

Vocational/Practical courses are typically assessed through coursework and observation of competency in practical skills. Many students taking a two year Level 3 Vocational qualification will study the Advanced Skills Baccalaureate, although staff will clarify whether this applies to you during the application process.



## What Land-based Courses Can I Study?

LAND-BASED COURSES		
SUBJECT	LLYSFASI	NORTHOP
Agricultural Engineering	✓	
AGCO Diploma Training Scheme	✓	
Kubota Diploma Training Scheme	✓	
Agriculture & Precision Agriculture	✓	
Animal Care & Management		✓
Forestry & The Countryside	✓	

**Apprenticeships are a great way for young people to start their career paths.**

We can advise your pupils on apprenticeships to help them decide whether that's the best route for them; we can even help them find a vacancy.

We work closely with employers who offer apprenticeships in a whole range of areas from Engineering and Floristry to Marketing and IT.

We offer apprenticeships at 5 levels; Level 2 through to Level 6.



## Jobs Growth Wales+

**Our Jobs Growth Wales+ programme will help you to develop your personal skills and overcome barriers that are preventing you from entering the world of work or securing employment.**

We will help you to improve your confidence, gain qualifications, focus on finding a career that's right for you and improve your literacy and numeracy skills.

You will be supported throughout your time on programme by a dedicated and supportive team to help you secure further learning, employment or an apprenticeship.

You will attend a work placement in an area you are interested in, which will help you identify your career pathway.

## How Can We Help?

We can visit your school to discuss apprenticeship and Jobs Growth Wales + opportunities and help them to find vacancies. Our team are happy to advise your school's pupils on all aspects of apprenticeships and Jobs Growth Wales +.

Our online Job Shop lists all apprenticeship vacancies:  
**[www.cambria.ac.uk/job-shop](http://www.cambria.ac.uk/job-shop)**

# Degree Level Courses

## Did you know we offer degrees at Cambria?

**Students can now continue their study with us right through to degree level.**

At Cambria University Centre, our courses are all designed with employment in mind to maximise your career potential.

Employer input ensures you develop the skills needed to succeed in your chosen career.

We've partnered with some of the best universities and learning companies in the UK to deliver the very best Higher Education in North Wales.



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## OUR COURSES

Access to Higher Education	ESports
Agriculture	Health*
Animal Care & Management	Psychology & Counselling*
Business Management & Leadership	Social Sciences & Criminology
Childcare, Childhood Studies & Playwork	Sport & Fitness*
Construction & Building Services	Teaching, Assessing & Education
Digital Technologies, Computing & IT	Tourism & The Visitor Economy
Engineering, Manufacturing & Maintenance	

\*subject to validation

## HIGHER & DEGREE APPRENTICESHIPS

Accounting	CIPD	Food Manufacturing
Advice & Guidance	Construction	Health and Social Care
Aeronautical Engineering	Data Science	Horticulture
Catering and Hospitality	Engineering/Manufacturing	IT & Cyber Security
Childcare	Equine	Leadership and Management

# Learn in Welsh



**If you have studied through the medium of Welsh or bilingually at school you can continue to do so at Cambria.**

## **You can do the following in Welsh:**

- Submit written work and receive bilingual notes
- Follow specific courses or modules
- Complete work experience in a range of Welsh speaking environments
- Assessments, entry interviews, tutorials, mentoring and meetings

If you have no Welsh language skills or would like to develop existing skills, there are also a great deal of opportunities for you to improve and gain confidence in using Welsh within your chosen subject area.

**TAP OR CLICK HERE**



to find out more





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Deeside  
Flintshire  
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### 2 Llysfas

Ruthin Road  
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Denbighshire  
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### 3 Northop

Holywell Road  
Northop  
Flintshire  
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### 4 Bersham Road

Bersham Road  
Wrexham  
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### 5 Yale and Yale Sixth

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