

Holy Cross College, Bury Virtual Open Event

Please see our website for details

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Dear Student

To support the application process, we will be hosting a virtual open event. Please check our website (www.holycross.ac.uk) for further details. We hope that you will be able to take part.

Holy Cross caters for students who wish to continue their fulltime education in a caring and supportive environment once they leave High School at the age of 16.

The aim of the event is to provide you with the opportunity to view the College facilities, and to gather information you require about Holy Cross and the subjects we offer. There will be further opportunities to ask questions by completing a form for any subject you are interested in and these can be found on the individual subject pages of the website <u>www.</u> holycross.ac.uk.

We do hope you will be able to join us to see what we have to offer.

Yours faithfully

C VITTI Principal







Applications Open 4th October, 2021

Closing Date 3rd December, 2021

Apply On-line www.holycross.ac.uk Some interesting facts ...

99%	Holy Cross pass rate for A Levels in 2021.
100%	Holy Cross pass rate for L3 BTECs in 2021.
6	Holy Cross students who left in 2021 are now studying at Oxford and Cambridge Universities.
11	Holy Cross students who left in 2021 are now studying Medicine, Dentistry or Veterinary Science at University.
60%	A*-B grades achieved in A Levels in 2021.
49	Students achieved at least 3 Distinction*- Merit grades at L3 BTEC in 2021.









Applying to Holy Cross

We hope that you will find our Open Event of interest.

Below are a few frequently asked questions to help you with your application. If you would like any further information please email our Admissions Team at <u>admissions@holycross.ac.uk</u>

What are the entry requirements?

To study 3 A Levels/L3 BTECs - 5 GCSEs at grade 4 or above including either Maths or an English GCSE. The entry requirements to start 4 are significantly higher than for 3 (please see the college website for further details <u>www.holycross.ac.uk</u>).

What is Holy Cross looking for from an application?

The 'Personal Statement' section is seen by the College to be very important and students are encouraged to take time completing this. This will be read before an interview is held and staff will want to explore the ideas in the application with the student.

How many subjects can I apply for?

The vast majority of students now take 3 subjects at advanced level. You can add a 4th subject as a 'reserve' subject if you wish.

Can I change my choices?

It is important to stress that subject choices made on completion of the application are not set in stone. Indeed, we often see changes made at various stages of the application process as students become more informed about their choices and we welcome discussions about such requests.

