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# **Cheshire & Warrington Area Review**

**College annex**

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<sup>1</sup> Please note that the information on the colleges included in this annex relates to the point at which the review was undertaken. No updates have been made to reflect subsequent developments or appointments since the completion of the review.

# Macclesfield College

**Type:** College of general and further education

**Location:** The college is based in Macclesfield

**Local Enterprise Partnership:** Cheshire and Warrington LEP

**Principal:** Rachel Kay

**Corporation Chair:** Mark Sharples

## **Main offer includes:**

Provision for 16 to 18 year olds and adults across a range of subject sector areas

Apprenticeships

Employer-led learning

Higher Education

[Details about the college offer](#) can be reviewed on the college website

## **Specialisms:**

The college offers technical provision from entry level to higher education

The college has a unique offering of aerospace engineering with a European centre of aerospace technology

## **Partnerships:**

The college sponsor Macclesfield Academy which is located on the same campus

## **The college receives funding from**

[Education Funding Agency.](#)

[Skills Funding Agency.](#)

[Higher Education Funding Council.](#)

For the 2014/15 academic year, the [college's total income](#) was: £8.954m.

## **Ofsted inspections**

[The college was inspected in May 2016](#) and was assessed as requires improvement

# Mid Cheshire College

**Type:** College of general and further education

**Location:** The college estate is located at Hartford and Winsford

**Local Enterprise Partnership:** Cheshire and Warrington LEP

**Principal:** Val Bailey (Interim Principal)

**Corporation Chair:** Sandra Middleton

**Main offer includes:**

Provision for 16 to 18 year olds and adults across a range of subject sector areas

Apprenticeships

Employer-led learning

Higher Education

[Details about the college offer](#) can be reviewed on the college website

**Specialisms:**

The college offers a wide range of technical provision. The college provides provision to a small number of high needs students

**The college receives funding from:**

[Education Funding Agency.](#)

[Skills Funding Agency.](#)

[Higher Education Funding Council.](#)

For the 2014/15 academic year, the [college's total income](#) was: £12.683m

**Ofsted inspections:**

[The college was inspected in January 2016](#) and was assessed as inadequate

**Notice of concern:**

[The college is subject to notices of concern](#) issued by the Skills Funding Agency

# Priestley Sixth Form College

**Type:** Sixth-Form College

**Location:** The college is based in Warrington

**Local Enterprise Partnership:** Cheshire and Warrington LEP

**Principal:** Matthew Grant

**Corporation Chair:** Reg Haslam

**Main offer includes:**

Provision for 16 to 18 year olds and adults across a range of subject sector areas

[Details about the college offer](#) can be reviewed on the college website

**Specialisms:**

The college offers a wide range of academic and technical provision from entry to level 3

The college has a small number of high needs students who are fully integrated into the main college provision

**The college receives funding from:**

[Education Funding Agency.](#)

[Skills Funding Agency.](#)

For the 2014/15 academic year, the [college's total income](#) was: £10.662m

**Ofsted inspections:**

[The college was inspected in March 2007](#) and was assessed as outstanding

# Reaseheath College

**Type:** College of general and further education

**Location:** The college is based in Nantwich, Cheshire

**Local Enterprise Partnership:** Cheshire and Warrington LEP

**Principal:** Meredydd David

**Corporation Chair:** Richard Ratcliffe

## **Main offer includes:**

Provision for 14 to 18 year olds and adults across a range of subject sector areas

Apprenticeships

Employer-led learning

Higher Education

[Details about the college offer](#) can be reviewed on the college website

## **Specialisms:**

The college specialises in land based technical provision for young people (14-18 years) and adults, which spans pre-entry to level 6 and includes apprenticeships and HE

The college provides access to work placement opportunities for high needs students on site and off site

## **The college receives funding from:**

[Education Funding Agency.](#)

[Skills Funding Agency.](#)

[Higher Education Funding Council.](#)

For the 2014/15 academic year, the [college's total income](#) was: £29.441m

## **Ofsted inspections:**

[The college was inspected in June 2013](#) and was assessed as good

# Sir John Deane's College

**Type:** Sixth-Form College

**Location:** The college is based in Northwich

**Local Enterprise Partnership:** Cheshire and Warrington LEP

**Principal:** Kerry Kirkwood

**Corporation Chair:** Trevor Rawling

**Main offer includes:**

Provision for 16 to 18 years across a range of subject sector areas

[Details about the college offer](#) can be reviewed on the college website

**Specialisms:**

The college offers a wide range of academic and technical provision at level 3

**The college receives funding from:**

[Education Funding Agency.](#)

[Skills Funding Agency.](#)

For the 2014/15 academic year, the [college's total income](#) was: £7.830m

**Ofsted inspections:**

[The college was inspected in February 2008](#) and was assessed as outstanding

# South Cheshire College

**Type:** College of general and further education

**Location:** The college is based in Crewe

**Local Enterprise Partnership:** Cheshire and Warrington

**Principal:** Jasbir Dhesi

**Corporation Chair:** Dame Patricia Bacon

**Main offer includes:**

Provision for 16 to 18 year olds and adults across a range of subject sector areas

Apprenticeships

Employer-led learning

Higher Education

[Details about college offer](#) can be reviewed on the college website

**Specialisms:**

The college offers a wide range of academic and technical provision, from entry level to level 6. The college provides high needs provision from entry to level 3 for a small number of students

**The college receives funding from:**

[Education Funding Agency.](#)

[Skills Funding Agency.](#)

[Higher Education Funding Council.](#)

For the 2014/15 academic year, the [college's total income](#) was: £20.352m

**Ofsted inspections:**

[The college was inspected in February 2016](#) and was assessed as good



# Warrington Collegiate

**Type:** College of general and further education

**Location:** The college is based in Warrington

**Local Enterprise Partnership:** Cheshire and Warrington

**Principal:** Nichola Newton

**Corporation Chair:** Mervyn Ward

**Main offer includes:**

Provision for 16 to 18 year olds and adults across a range of subject sector areas

Apprenticeships

Employer-led learning

Higher Education

[Details about the college offer](#) can be reviewed on the college website

**Specialisms:**

The college delivers a wide range of qualifications from entry to higher education level across all 15 sector subject areas

**Partnerships:**

The college is a sponsor of Beaumont Collegiate Academy

**The college receives funding from:**

[Education Funding Agency.](#)

[Skills Funding Agency.](#)

[Higher Education Funding Council.](#)

For the 2014/15 academic year, the [college's total income](#) was: £17.853m

**Ofsted inspections:**

[The college was inspected in January 2016](#) and was assessed as requires improvement

**Notice of concern:**

[The college is subject to notices of concern](#) issued by the Skills Funding Agency

# West Cheshire College

**Type:** College of general and further education

**Location:** The college is based in Handbridge, Chester and Ellesmere Port

**Local Enterprise Partnership:** Cheshire and Warrington

**Principal:** Helen Nellist

**Corporation Chair:** Christine Russell

**Main offer includes:**

Provision for 14 to 18 year olds and adults across a range of subject sector areas

Apprenticeships

Employer-led learning

Higher Education

[Details about the college offer](#) can be reviewed on the college website

**Specialisms:**

The college offers a wide range of technical provision to adults, from entry level to level 4 and above. The college delivers apprenticeships at intermediate, advanced and higher levels

**The college receives funding from:**

[Education Funding Agency.](#)

[Skills Funding Agency.](#)

[Higher Education Funding Council.](#)

For the 2014/15 academic year, the [college's total income](#) was: £21.508m

**Ofsted inspections:**

[The college was inspected in September 2015](#) and was assessed as inadequate

**Notice of concern:**

[The college is subject to notices of concern](#) issued by the Skills Funding Agency



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