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Cheshire & Warrington Area Review

College annex

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¹ 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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