

Appendix 1. Overview of curriculum delivery in the new Manchester College Estate

The City Centre campus will provide a specialist industry-led and sponsored **Creative and Digital Centre of Excellence** to include a diverse range of specialist vocational curriculum areas (all targeting the Digital and Creative Industries) including:

- *Creative and Visual Arts/Photography/Music* – courses such as Creative Media and Visual Communication, Contemporary Arts and Photography Practice, Fashion and Textiles, Jewellery and Contemporary Design Crafts and Music Production - from further education through to higher education for young people and adults, with links to key partners in the city, such as Band on the Wall and Manchester City Art Gallery
- *Film and TV production* – The Manchester Film School, with its national profile and reputation for producing award winning students (with eight Royal Television Awards over the past five years) delivering in partnership with the Film Industry, from further education through to higher education for young people and adults, co-delivered with freelance industry specialists
- *Digital technology, cyber security, ethical hacking, gaming, 3D modelling, animation and motion graphics, digital media, programming* – designed and delivered with industry partners, providing young people and adults with work-ready skills in association with The Ideas Foundation and employers such as We Are Flow – courses from further education through to higher education. This includes the Click Studio, where media, computing and business students can offer services for businesses such as short promotional videos, graphic design and events management
- *Make-up Artistry and Special Effects* – again working with the Creative industries for TV, theatre and film, courses from further education to higher education provide students with advanced techniques in the art of make-up transformation – co-location with The Arden School of Theatre and The Manchester Film School enables collaboration on live briefs
- *The Arden School of Theatre*, as with The Film School, the Arden's national reputation attracts higher education student nationally and includes acting for live and recorded media, dance and performance, musical theatre and theatre and performance. Partnership working with Contact, Manchester and Pearson Casting. The Theatre and Performance BA (Hons) achieved 100% student satisfaction in the National Student Survey 2019. There are routes from further education through to higher education for young people and adults
- *The School of Hospitality* – higher level hospitality, catering and patisserie courses, delivered in partnership with The Chef's Forum that sees a celebrity/industry chef working with students one/day per week. Partners include, The Hilton Hotel, Manchester.

The Openshaw campus will provide specialist industry-led and sponsored **Automotive, Logistics and Construction Centre of Excellence** and a **Health and Wellbeing Centre of Excellence**.

At the Openshaw campus, this will include a diverse range of specialist vocational curriculum areas including:

- *Health and Social Care* – from further education through to higher education for young people and adults
- *Childcare* – from further education through to higher education for young people and adults, with mandatory work placements provided for all students in external childcare settings
- *Public Services* - from further education through to higher education for young people and adults
- *Sport* – the specialist facilities for the Sport curriculum offer from further education through to higher education for young people and adults, including Sport Science
- *Automotive* – the provision of specialist facilities for motor-vehicle maintenance and repair
- *Construction and electrical installation* – the provision of specialist facilities for plumbing, multi-skills, joinery and construction and electrical installation from further education through to higher education for young people and adults.

The existing sites of Wythenshawe and Harpurhey will provide ***routes into specialisation*** at the Centres of Excellence. Pre-employment, IAG, as well as welfare, English/maths and work placements will be delivered. Curriculum at level 1/2 will be provided in Construction, Logistics and Motor Vehicle as well as Hair/Beauty/Hospitality and Travel/Tourism at Wythenshawe. Curriculum offer at level 1/2 will be provided in Hair/Beauty/Hospitality, Travel/Tourism and ESOL at Harpurhey.

The learning hubs will deliver a complex transitioning and support service, supporting significant volumes of students at risk of becoming NEET. The learning hubs will offer an engagement curriculum for harder to reach students. Pre-employment, IAG and welfare, and vocational/academic mentoring support will be provided.

Located in part of the refurbished former Royal Eye Hospital, it is proposed that this 810m² leased facility continues to provide a Centre of Excellence for Medical Sciences