

Your Community College.

Opportunities for Adults in the New Year

The partnership between the College Confederation and the Adult Learning Service has seen Whitby people benefiting from financial support with essential qualifications. In 2009, the College offered local people the rare chance to take the European Computer Driving Licence and GCSE Maths free. Deputy Adult Area Manager Philippa Thomas said "These are some of the most important qualifications that any adult can achieve in terms of progression in work and learning." "They give people the confidence to explore other career opportunities; most adults can achieve a pass if they are willing to stay with the course."

Courses run at Eskdale and Airy Hill School. Look out for more learning opportunities through the College in 2010.

Made a new year's resolution to improve your skills? Choose from a variety of part time courses run by Whitby Community College and the Adult Learning Service in local venues. We have computer courses from beginners to advanced plus one day workshops on Saturdays for Internet, Word Processing and Spreadsheets skills. Our City and Guilds first qualification in Book Keeping is ideal for people who are self employed or running small family businesses.

If the house wants sorting but you don't trust your DIY skills, the College offers excellent facilities for short courses in Joinery and Painting and Decorating techniques. Watch out for Bricklaying in the summer! Craft classes may be your choice for the New Year and these will also be running in the College Art Department. You can browse through the excellent art section in the Resource Centre while having a coffee.

Courses can cost from as little as £5.00 if you're looking for a job. We can even help out with our short 'get that interview' courses running in January and February.

If you've never been to the College, why not come and see what we have to offer ... Pick up a brochure at the College or call all us on 601901 and ask for more information about courses in the New Year.

New Year... New Skills?

- Level 1 Book keeping
 - joinery for beginners
 - Improve your English
 - Painting & Decorating skills
 - Gardening Courses
 - Get that Job: interview skills
 - Beginners Computers
 - Maths Skills for All
 - Word, Spreadsheets & Internet in a day
 - Craft courses including rag rugs, memory boxes and collage
- and more....**

Whitby Community College and the Adult Learning Service
Helping with your New Year resolutions