

TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT

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Motor Vehicle

Welcome to the Motor Vehicle Department!

We appreciate leaving school and starting college can feel a bit overwhelming so it's really important that you choose the right career path in order for you to enjoy your time at college. Being motivated to achieve is a really positive way to start the career of your choice. As it is likely that you have not studied Motor Vehicle at school it is worth looking into what the course involves and what progression routes will be open to you once you have completed your qualifications.

At East Surrey College, we offer a range of Entry 3, Level 1, 2 and 3 Motor Vehicle courses.

If you want to train to work in a garage you will need to start at Level 1 (or Entry 3) and you will need to complete a combination of practical and theory activities. You will need to demonstrate knowledge in the subject as well as the practical skills required by the industry. You will be required to achieve externally set exams, a range of practical tasks and written assessments. Successful completion can lead to the next level, Apprenticeships or career opportunities.

Our BTEC Level 3 Motor Sport qualification involves both theory and practical learning at a challenging level. At least one track day is involved with this course and we would encourage students to volunteer with local race teams for further experience. This course provides a progression route for entry to university (Foundation Degree or Higher National Diploma) or into employment in the motor industry. The work attached is to help you prepare to study at this level.

Please find below some Motor Vehicle YouTube clips that you may find interesting and that will provide you with a taster of your course:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JD--BZCQmDo> East Surrey College car build from a few years ago

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DbdpaqZloT4> Motor Vehicle at East Surrey College

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6lj5CTFpaEo> Career Advice on becoming a Motor Vehicle Technician

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zA_19bHxEYg How an Engine works

Work Submission

Once you have completed your project, please forward the document (or if you have been working on a project offline eg a sketchbook portfolio please forward a photo of what you have completed) to the following email address along with your full name: submissions@esc.ac.uk. We'll then forward this on to our curriculum teams who will be in touch shortly.

May I take this opportunity to wish you every success on your learning journey and hope that we will see you at East Surrey College soon.
