# Leicester College

# **Electrical and Electronic Engineering HTQ Higher National Certificate**

#### **Course Overview**

This is a one-year full-time programme, in which a Higher National Certificate (HTQ) is completed. With a career in engineering as your chosen route, this level 4 course offers students wishing to follow an Electrical/Electronic Engineering pathway, both the higher level knowledge and also the understanding of how this is applied in industry. The HNC/HND in engineering course is designed to enable students who may have come through a vocational route to progress into higher education, building on the knowledge gained at level 3.

#### What you will learn

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### How you will be assessed

You will undertake a range of both written and practical assignments, presentations and in-class controlled assessments. For the HTQ element you may need to complete further project work or an industry placement where appropriate.

## **Course Progession**

On successful completion of the HNC (HTQ) course, you may continue to the level 5 HND (HTQ). Once you have achieved the HND, you will be able to apply to study for a further year to obtain a full degree at university. This qualification is well regarded throughout the industry and the academic world. Career opportunities include managerial and technical positions in mechanical or electrical engineering.

# What Happens Next

Applications to our part time Undergraduate courses can be made directly through the college website. Applications to our full-time undergraduate courses must be made through UCAS using institution code L36 and course code 001H. If you haven't started a UCAS application yet, and only want to apply to Leicester College, you can apply directly to us using our direct application form via the College website, and we will process a UCAS application on your behalf. Due to the nature of this programme, you may also be invited to attend an interview. Where necessary, other means of interview (i.e. telephone, web-based, CD/DVD) can be arranged.

# **Course Details**

Course Code P00272

Start Date 15/09/2025

Study Hours Full Time

**Duration** 1 year

Campus Abbey Park Campus

Level 4

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