

Bridgend College



Senedd constituency: Pen-y-bont Bro Morgannwg

- + Delivers Further Education (FE), apprenticeships, and commercial training
- + Campuses in Bridgend and Pencoed, with a new Town Centre Campus opening soon
- + Includes subsidiary organisations: Bevan College (specialist post-16) and Engage Training (commercial arm)
- + Ranked 44th in the UK Top 50 Inclusive Employers (2024 - 25)

Class of 2024/25



90% of full-time FE learners achieved their main vocational qualification

Key Facts (2025/26)



7,000+
learners



700
staff



35+
apprenticeship pathways
(pre-entry to higher level)

£21m
FE funding

Key Subject Areas

- **20+ vocational areas including:**
 - Construction
 - Creative Arts
 - Health & Social Care
 - Land-based Studies
 - Sport
 - Independent Living Skills



Partnerships

- + **University of South Wales Alliance**
in collaboration with:
 - Cardiff and Vale College
 - The College Merthyr Tydfil
 - Coleg y Cymoedd
 - Coleg Gwent
- + Focus on expanding opportunities for **learning, employment, and social inclusion**

Leadership



Viv Buckley,
Principal and CEO

- Principal since 2023
- Winner, Outstanding Educator, World Federation of Colleges and Polytechnics (2022)
- Internationally recognised for contributions to post-16 education