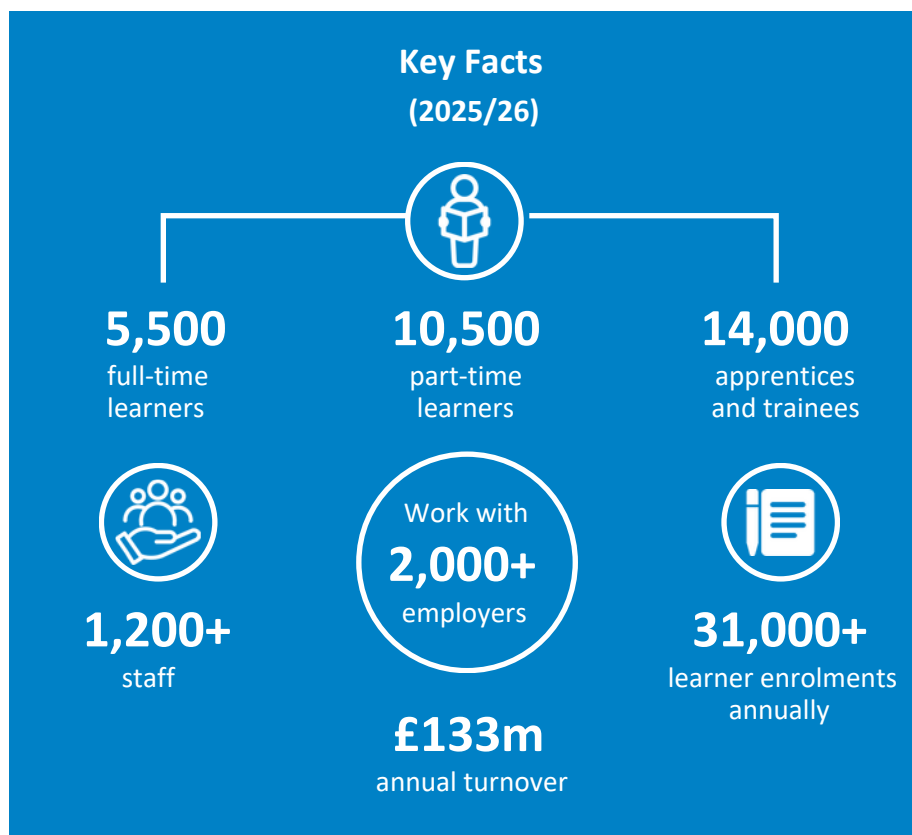


Cardiff and Vale College



Senedd constituencies: Caerdydd Penarth | Pen-y-Bont Morgannwg | Caerdydd Ffynnon Taf

- + Largest college group in Wales (3rd largest in the UK)
- + Group includes **Cardiff and Vale College, ACT Training, and ALS Training**
- + Wales' largest apprenticeship and training provider
- + Significant investment in campuses across Cardiff and the Vale



Investment and Facilities

- + **£200m+** invested in estates development
- + City Centre Campus (Cardiff)
- + Barry Waterfront Campus and Advanced Technology Centre
- + Focus on **future industries and net zero skills**

Impact and Recognition

- + *Leaders in Diversity* accredited
- + Ranked **3rd in UK Top 100 Inclusive Employers**
- + Economic impact:
 - **£0.5bn+** to Cardiff Capital Region economy
 - **£1bn+** annual social impact
- + Supports regional skills and workforce development

Class of 2025

- ✓ Highly diverse learner cohort
- ✓ **40%+** from ethnic minority backgrounds
- ✓ **45%** from the most deprived Welsh communities
- ✓ Pioneers of Wales' Junior Apprenticeship programme (14–16)

Leadership



Mike James,
Chief Executive Officer

- CEO since 2011
- 22+ years in education
- Awarded MBE (King's New Year's Honours 2026) for services to education and future skills