

Our Newcastle



Realise your ambition.

We think great opportunities should be shared.
And that people can do amazing things, when you give them a chance.

- We currently have over 397,000 people educated to NVQ4, equivalent to an undergraduate, within a 30-minute drive to Newcastle. (*ONS annual population survey 2017*)
- Our skills base will be further strengthened by establishing a new Institute of Technology to be located North of Tyne.
- We have over 100,000 students learning and living across the region. (*Evolving Cities, The changing face of Newcastle, GVA*)

In the heart of the city, we have two universities and an innovation quarter, borne out of a belief that innovation always needs a home.

- We have over 53,000 students studying within the city (*Higher Education Statistics Agency, 2019*) and the highest university provision per capita with two Russell Group Universities and 3 dedicated Law Schools in the city and the wider region.
- We are the best in the UK for creating innovation within the educational sector. (*Smart Cities Index - commissioned by Huawei UK and conducted by Navigant Consulting*)



- The UK's National Innovation Centres for Data and Ageing are due to open on Newcastle Helix 2020. The site will also be home to Newcastle University's Learning and Teaching Centre which will help shape the future of how we learn and teach.

Great cities draw in talent, and those people become part of the city story as it unfolds.

- Northumbria University is in the top ten in the UK for the number of graduates entering professional employment and 9 out of 10 graduates are working or studying six months after graduation. (*Northumbria University*)
- We have the highest percentage of STEM and computer science university students in England (*The North East Strategic Economic Plan, May 2018*) and as a UK top 20 leading research-intensive institution, Newcastle University holds one of the largest EU research portfolios in the country.