

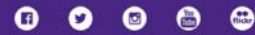
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The NHC Main Campus development project.

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North Highland College UHI in numbers.....

Established 59 years ago

4th largest of 13 UHI academic partners

Employing 267 staff

Working across 8 campuses

With over 4500 student enrolments each year.

On over 170 courses

Covering all 12 levels of the SCQF

Working in partnership with 10 High schools

With an annual turnover of £13 million

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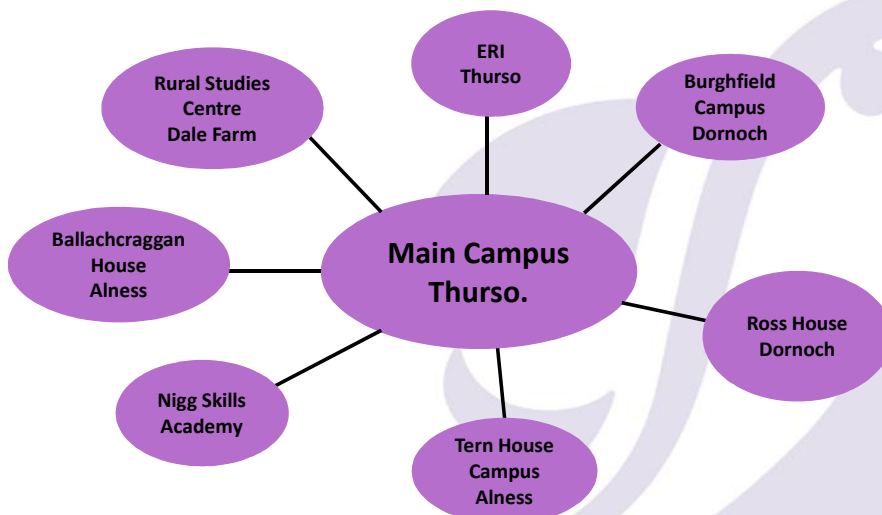
The Vision for the College.....

- We will be recognised for the quality of our students' experience and for their achievement.
- Our reputation will be built upon an innovative approach to tertiary learning teaching and our distinctive research and curriculum, enriched by the people, natural environment, culture and heritage of the north Highlands.
- Whilst our primary focus will be on meeting the needs of our local area, we will also extend our reach regionally, nationally and internationally in areas of key strength and specialism.



NHC Strategic Plan 2018-20

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Disaggregated/dispersed. Restrictive/constraining.

Very variable quality.



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The Campus vision.....

The new INTEGRATED Caithness campus will be the hub for education/research/business partnerships in the north Highland area.

It will create an environment to enable UHI/NHC staff and students to work collaboratively with key local employers and development agencies to;

- Carry out research, share knowledge and expertise and develop new ways of working in areas ranging from Environmental Science to Vertical Satellite Launching technology
- Jointly provide the highest quality modern Tertiary curriculum to our local students and to those based regionally, nationally and internationally. This will be achieved through optimal use of new versatile learning spaces, state-of-the-art digital communication services and enhanced broadband connectivity.



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A collaborative and integrated Caithness campus will.....

- Utilise digital technologies to provide partnership-based solutions to needs and opportunities in specific niche areas such as the Nuclear Sector Deal Industrial Strategy and UK Vertical Satellite Launching technology;
- Help address the outcome of NHS Highland's strategic review of services in Caithness;
- Further NHC UHI's ambitions on Research in areas of Rural Health and eHealth;
- Establish a research Innovation Centre based on rural water quality and treatment;
- Transform the learning experience of students in established areas of our curriculum.

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UK Government’s strategy for building *the Northern Powerhouse*

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