

ESOL, Maths, English & Communication Skills

Entry 3 Functional Skills English

Campus: Rotherham College

Code: R28AC10

About This Course

Functional Skills are practical qualifications in English, Maths, and ICT designed for everyday life and work.

Core Highlights:

Real-World Focus: Instead of just theory, you use your skills to solve everyday problems and workplace challenges.

All Ability Levels: Courses range from beginner (Entry Level 1) to intermediate (Level 2, equivalent to a GCSE pass).

Workplace Readiness: Helps build key job skills like timekeeping, communication, listening, and independent working.

Flexible Testing: Assessments are flexible to fit different learning styles.

What Will I Study?

Functional Skills English builds key English skills for work, apprenticeships, or further study.

How it works:

Skill Placement: An initial assessment places students on the right level, from Entry Level 1 (E1) up to Level 2 (L2).

Clear Progression: Students move up levels step-by-step to prepare for further study or job opportunities.

Elements: The course covers Speaking & Listening, Reading and Writing.

Assessment: Students take a formal exam for each element and must pass all 3 to earn the qualification.

How To Apply

You can apply using our online application form and clicking the **Apply Now** button at the top of this page.

For more information support with your enquiry or application please contact Student Services by emailing info@rotherham.ac.uk or by calling **01709 362111**.

Tuition Fees

Those aged 19 or over may not need to pay fees depending on their circumstances. Find out if you qualify for help with your fees [<https://www.rotherham.ac.uk/course-fees/>] .

If you need further advice or guidance please contact the Enquiries Team on **01709 362111**.

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