

Colleges mergers 1993 to date

This spreadsheet contains details of colleges that were established under the 1992 Further and Higher Education Act and subsequently merged

Sources: Learning and Skills Council, Government Education Departments, Association of Colleges

College mergers under the Further Education Funding Council (FEFC) (1993-2001)

	Colleges	Name of merged institution	Local LSC area	Type of merger	Operative date
1	St Austell Sixth Form College and Mid-Cornwall College	St Austell College	Cornwall	Double dissolution	02-Apr-93
2	Cleveland College of Further Education and Sir William Turner's Sixth Form College	Cleveland Tertiary College	Tees Valley	Double dissolution	01-Sep-93
3	The Ridge College and Margaret Danyers College, Stockport	Ridge Danyers College	Greater Manchester	Double dissolution	15-Aug-95
4	Acklam Sixth Form College and Kirby College of Further Education	Middlesbrough College	Tees Valley	Double dissolution	01-Aug-95
5	Longlands College of Further Education and Marton Sixth Form College	Teesside Tertiary College	Tees Valley	Double dissolution	01-Aug-95
6	St Philip's Roman Catholic Sixth Form College and South Birmingham College	South Birmingham College	Birmingham & Solihull	Single dissolution (St Philips)	01-Aug-95
7	Hinckley College and North Warwickshire College for Technology and Art	North Warwickshire and Hinckley College	Coventry & Warwickshire	Double dissolution	01-Mar-96
8	Mid-Warwickshire College and Warwickshire College for Agriculture, Horticulture and Equine Studies	Warwickshire College, Royal Leamington Spa and Moreton Morrell	Coventry & Warwickshire	Single dissolution (WCAHES)	01-Aug-96
9	Monkwearmouth College and Wearside College	City of Sunderland College	Tyne & Wear	Double dissolution	01-Aug-96
10	South Bristol College and Brunel College of Arts and Technology	City of Bristol College	West of England	Double dissolution	01-Sep-96
11	The National Sea Training College and North West Kent College of Technology	North West Kent College of Technology	Kent	Single dissolution (NSTC)	25-Oct-96
12	Reading College of Arts and Technology and Berkshire College of Art and Design	Reading College of Arts and Technology	Berkshire	Single dissolution (BCAD)	06-Jan-97
13	De La Salle College and Pendleton College	Pendleton College	Greater Manchester	Single dissolution (De La Salle)	07-Feb-97
14	Prior Pursglove College and South Park Sixth Form College	Prior Pursglove College	Tees Valley	Single dissolution (SPSFC)	01-Aug-97
15	Worcestershire College of Agriculture of Horticulture and Pershore College of Horticulture	Pershore and Hindlip College	Hereford & Worcester	Single dissolution (WCA)	10-May-97
16	Hyde Clarendon College and Tameside College	Tameside College	Greater Manchester	Single dissolution (HCC)	18-Feb-98
17	Airedale and Wharfedale College and Park Lane College	Park Lane College	Leeds	Single dissolution (A&WC)	01-Aug-98

18	Cambridgeshire College of Agriculture and Horticulture and Norfolk College of Arts and Technology	College of West Anglia	Norfolk	Single dissolution (CCAH)	01-Aug-98
19	Clarendon College and Basford Hall College	New College, Nottingham	Nottinghamshire	Single dissolution (BHC)	01-Aug-98
20	East Birmingham College and Handsworth College	City College, Birmingham	Birmingham & Solihull	Single dissolution (EBC)	01-Aug-98
21	North Bolton College and South College, Bolton (both SFCs)	Bolton Sixth Form College	Greater Manchester	Double dissolution	01-Aug-98
22	York College of Further and Higher Education and York Sixth Form College	York College	North Yorkshire	Single dissolution (YSFC)	01-Apr-99
23	Durham College of Agriculture and Horticulture and East Durham Community College	East Durham and Houghall Community College	County Durham	Double dissolution	01-Jun-99
24	Charles Keene College of Further Education and Leicester South Fields College	Leicester College	Leicestershire	Double dissolution	01-Aug-99
25	New College, Nottingham and High Pavement Sixth Form College	New College, Nottingham	Nottinghamshire	Single dissolution (HPSFC)	01-Apr-99
26	Greenhill College, Harrow and Weald College	Harrow College	London North	Double dissolution	01-Jun-99
27	Holme Lacey College and Pershore and Hindlip College	The Pershore Group of Colleges	Hereford & Worcester	Single dissolution (Holme Lacey)	01-Aug-99
28	New College, Nottingham and Arnold and Carlton College	New College, Nottingham	Nottinghamshire	Single dissolution (Arnold & Carlton)	01-Sep-99
29	Bilston Community College and Wulfrun College	Wolverhampton College	Black Country	Single dissolution (Bilston)	01-Oct-99
30	Kirkley Hall College and Northumberland College	Northumberland College	Norhthumberland	Single dissolution (Kirkley Hall)	01-Jan-00
31	Phoenix College and Merton College	Merton College	London South	Single dissolution (Phoenix College)	01-Apr-00
32	The Rutland College and Tresham Institute	Tresham Institute	Northamptonshire	Single dissolution (The Rutland College)	01-Aug-00
33	Barnet College and Hendon College	Barnet College	London North	Single dissolution (Hendon College)	01-Aug-00
34	College of Care and Early Education and City of Bristol College	City of Bristol College	West of England	Single dissolution (CCEE)	01-Aug-00
35	Brooksby College and Melton Mowbray College	Brooksby Melton College	Leicestershire	Single dissolution (MMC)	01-Sep-00
36	Kingsway College and Westminster College	Westminster Kingsway College	London Central	Single dissolution (KC)	01-Sep-00
37	Trowbridge College, Chippenham College and Lackham College	Wiltshire College	Wiltshire	Triple dissolution	01-Nov-00
38	Walford College and North Shropshire College, Walford	Walford and North Shropshire College	Shropshire	Single dissolution (WC)	01-Jan-01
39	Abingdon College and West Oxfordshire College	Abingdon and Witney College	Milton Keynes, Oxon and Bucks	Single dissolution (WOC)	31-Mar-01

College mergers under the Learning and Skills Council (LSC) (2001-2010)

	Colleges	Name of merged institution	Local LSC	Type of merger	Operative date
40	St Austell College and Cornwall College	Cornwall College	Devon & Cornwall	Single dissolution (St Austell)	01-Aug-01
41	Basildon College and Thurrock College	Thurrock and Basildon College	Essex	Double dissolution	01-Aug-01
42	Dudley College of Technology and Rowley Regis College	Dudley College of Technology	Black Country	Single dissolution (RRC)	01-Aug-01
43	Shena Simon College and City College, Manchester	City College, Manchester	Greater Manchester	Single dissolution (SSC)	01-Sep-01

44	Lewes Tertiary College and Eastbourne College	Sussex Downs College	Sussex	Double dissolution	01-Sep-01
45	Broomfield College, Derby Tertiary College, Wilmorton and Mackworth College	Derby College	Derbyshire	Triple dissolution	01-Jan-02
46	Soundwell College and City of Bristol College	City of Bristol College	West of England	Single dissolution (SC)	01-Jan-02
47	Ealing Tertiary College and Hammersmith and West London College	Ealing, Hammersmith & W.London	West London	Single dissolution (ETC)	01-Jan-02
48	Coventry Technical College and Tile Hill College	City College, Coventry	Coventry & Warwickshire	Single dissolution (CTC)	01-Feb-02
49	East Yorkshire College and Beverley College	East Riding College	Humberside	Single dissolution (EYC)	01-Mar-02
50	Brinsbury College and Chichester College of Arts, Science and Technology	Chichester College	Sussex	Single dissolution (BC)	01-Aug-02
51	Teesside Tertiary College and Middlesbrough College	Middlesbrough College	Tees Valley	Single dissolution (TTC)	01-Aug-02
52	North Birmingham College and Sutton Coldfield College	Sutton Coldfield College	Birmingham	Single dissolution (TTC)	01-Apr-03
53	Warwickshire College, Royal Leamington Spa & Moreton Morrell and Rugby College of Further Education	Warwickshire College, Royal Leamington Spa & Moreton Morrell and Rugby College of Further Education.	Coventry & Warwickshire	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-03
54	Oxford College, North Oxfordshire College and Rycotewood College	Oxford & Cherwell College	Milton Keynes, Oxford & Bucks	Triple dissolution	01-Aug-03
55	Guildford College of Further and Higher Education and Merrist Wood College	Guildford College of Further and Higher Education	Surrey	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-03
56	Park College and Sussex Downs College	Sussex Downs College	Sussex	Single Dissolution	01-Nov-03
57	Daventry Tertiary College and Northampton College	Northampton College	Northamptonshire	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-04
58	Rother Valley College and Rotherham College of Arts and Technology	Rotherham College of Arts and Technology	South Yorkshire	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-04
59	Cannington College and Bridgwater College	Bridgwater College	Somerset	Single Dissolution	01-Sep-04
60	Tynemouth College and North Tyneside College	Tyne Metropolitan College	Tyne and Wear	Double dissolution	Incorporation 01-Jan-05, Dissolution 01-March-05
61	Haywards Heath College and Crawley College	Central Sussex College	Sussex	Double dissolution	Incorporation 01-Apr-05, Dissolution 01-Aug-05
62	Stockport College of Further and Higher Education and North Area College	Stockport College	Greater Manchester	Single Dissolution	01-Jan-06
63	Isle College and College of West Anglia	College of West Anglia	Cambridgeshire / Norfolk	Single Dissolution	01-Apr-06
64	The People's College, Nottingham and Broxtowe College	Castle College	Nottinghamshire	Single Dissolution	01-Jun-06
65	Josiah Mason Sixth Form College and Sutton Coldfield College	Sutton Coldfield College	Birmingham and Solihull	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-06
66	Widnes and Runcorn Sixth form College and Halton College	Riverside College Halton	Greater Merseyside	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-06
67	Lincoln College and Newark and Sherwood College	Lincoln College	Lincolnshire and Rutland / Nottingham	Single Dissolution	01-Jan-07
68	Spelthorne 6th Form College and Brooklands College	Brooklands College	Surrey	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-07
69	Keighley College and Park Lane College	Park Lane College Keighley	West Yorkshire	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-07

70	Herefordshire College of Technology and Pershore Group of Colleges (Holme Lacey Campus) Warwickshire College and Pershore Group of Colleges (Pershore Campus)	Herefordshire College Warwickshire College	Herefordshire and Worcestershire Coventry and Warwickshire / Herefordshire and Worcestershire	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-07
71	Newcastle College and Skelmersdale & Ormskirk College	Newcastle College	Tyne and Wear / Lancashire	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-07
72	Cricklade College and Sparsholt College	Sparsholt College	Hampshire and Isle of Wight	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-07
73	Farnham College and Guildford College	Guildford College	Surrey	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-07
74	North Trafford College and South Trafford College	Trafford College	Greater Manchester	Single Dissolution	01-Sep-07
75	Wiltshire College and Salisbury College	Wiltshire College		Single Dissolution	01-Jan-08
76	Truro College and Penwith College	Truro and Penwith College	Devon & Cornwall	Single Dissolution	01-Apr-08
77	Stockton Riverside College and Bede College	Stockton Riverside College	Tees Valley	Single Dissolution	01-Apr-08
78	North Devon College and East Devon College	Petroc	Devon & Cornwall	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-08
79	Huddersfield Technical College and Dewsbury College	Kirklees College	West Yorkshire	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-08
80	Manchester College of Arts and Technology (Mancat) and City College Manchester	Manchester College	Greater Manchester	Double dissolution	01-Aug-08
81	Rodbaston College, Cannock Chase Technical College and Tamworth and Lichfield College	South Staffordshire College	Staffordshire	Triple dissolution	Incorporation 01-08-08 Dissolution 01-01-09
82	Eccles College, Pendleton College and Salford College	Salford City College	Greater Manchester	Triple dissolution	01-Jan-09
83	Leeds College of Technology, Park Lane College and Leeds Thomas Danby	Leeds City College	West Yorkshire	Triple dissolution	01-Apr-09
84	College of North East London and Enfield College	The College of Haringey, Enfield and North East London	London North	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-09
85	South Thames College and Merton College	South Thames College	London Central, London South	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-09
86	Sutton Coldfield College and Matthew Boulton College	Birmingham Metropolitan College	Birmingham and Solihull	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-09
87	Grimsby Institute and Yorkshire Coast College	Grimsby Institute of Further and Higher Education	Humberside, North Yorkshire	Single Dissolution	01-Jan-10
88	Colchester Institute and Braintree College	Colchester Institute	Essex	Single Dissolution	01-Jan-10
89	South East Essex College and Thurrock and Basildon College	South Essex College of Further and Higher Education	Essex	Single Dissolution	01-Jan-10
90	Derby College and South East Derbyshire College	Derby College	Derbyshire	Single Dissolution	15-Feb-10
91	West Kent College and South Kent College	K College (South and West Kent College)	Kent and Medway	Single Dissolution	31-Mar-10

College mergers under the Education and Skills Funding Agency (ESFA) (and predecessor organisations: SFA/YPLA/EFA) (2010-)

	Colleges	Name of merged institution	Local LSC	Type of merger	Operative date
92	Gloucestershire College of Arts and Technology and Royal Forest of Dean College	Gloucestershire College		Single Dissolution	01-Feb-11
93	South Nottingham College and Castle College	South Nottingham College		Single Dissolution	01-Jul-11
94	Bromley College and Orpington College	Bromley College of Further and Higher Education		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-11
95	Leeds City College and Joseph Priestley College	Leeds City College		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-11
96	Barnet College and Southgate College	Barnet and Southgate College		Single Dissolution	01-Nov-11
97	Stroud College and Filton College	South Gloucestershire and Stroud College		Double Dissolution	Incorporation 04-01-12 Dissolution 01-02-12
98	Easton College and Otley College	Easton and Otley College		Double Dissolution	31-Jul-12
99	Lewisham College and Southwark College	LeSoCo		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-12
100	South Birmingham College and City College Birmingham	South and City College Birmingham		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-12
101	Birmingham Metropolitan College and Stourbridge College	Birmingham Metropolitan College			31-May-13
102	Herefordshire College of Technology and Ludlow College	Herefordshire and Ludlow College			31-Jul-13
103	Kidderminster College (WM region) and Newcastle College Group (NCG)	NCG			01-Aug-14
104	North East Worcestershire College & Worcester College of Technology	Heart of Worcestershire College			31-Jul-14
105	K College has been dissolved: Hadlow College will run the Tonbridge, Tunbridge Wells and Ashford campuses – these will be individually branded (West Kent College and Ashford College) but be part of the new Hadlow College Group East Kent College will take over the Dover and Folkestone sites	West Kent and Ashford College (but part of the Hadlow College Group) East Kent College			01-Aug-14
106	Cornwall College Group and Bicton College	Cornwall College Group		Single Dissolution	31-Mar-15
107	City of Bath College and Norton Radstock College	Bath College			01-Apr-15
108	Rotherham College of Arts and Technology and North Nottinghamshire College	RNN Group	YH and EM regions respectively	Single Dissolution	01-Feb-16
109	Prior Pursglove College and Stockton Sixth Form College	Prior Pursglove and Stockton Sixth Form College		Double Dissolution	01-Apr-16
110	Bridgwater College and Somerset College	Bridgwater and Taunton College		Single Dissolution	15-Jun-16
111	Westminster Kingsway College and City and Islington College	WKIC Group		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-16
112	Tower Hamlets College and Hackney Community College	Name TBC		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-16
113	Bromley College of Further and Higher Education, Greenwich Community College and Bexley College	London South East Colleges (LSEC)		Single Dissolution x2	01-Aug-16
114	Warwickshire College Group and South Worcestershire College	Warwickshire College Group		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-16

115	North Warwickshire and Hinckley College and South Leicestershire College	North Warwickshire and South Leicestershire College	WM and EM regions	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-16
116	Furness College and Barrow Sixth Form College	Furness College		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-16
117	Shrewsbury Sixth Form College and Shrewsbury College of Arts and Technology (remain designated as Sixth Form College)	Shrewsbury Colleges Group		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-16
118	Newcastle-under-Lyme College and Stafford College	Newcastle and Stafford Colleges Group		Single Dissolution	01-Nov-16
119	RNN Group and Dearne Valley College	RNN Group		Single Dissolution	01-Feb-17
120	South Cheshire and West Cheshire College	South and West Cheshire College initially As of 1 Jan 2018, known as Cheshire College South and West		Single Dissolution	31-Mar-17
121	NCG and Carlisle College	NCG		Single Dissolution	31-Mar-17
122	Northbrook College and City College Brighton	Greater Brighton Metropolitan College		Single Dissolution	31-Mar-17
123	'Tower Hamlets College and Hackney Community College' and Redbridge College	New City College		Single Dissolution	01-Apr-17
124	East Berkshire College and Strode's College Egham (SFC)	The Windsor Forest Colleges Group		Single Dissolution	09-May-17
125	New College Nottingham and Central College Nottingham	Nottingham College		Single Dissolution	08-Jun-17
126	Bedford College and Tresham College of Further and Higher Education	The Bedford College Group		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
127	Cambridge Regional College and Huntingdonshire Regional College	Cambridge Regional College		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
128	Chichester College and Central Sussex College	Chichester College Group		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
129	City of Westminster College and The College of North West London	United Colleges Group		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
130	Henley College and City College Coventry	Coventry College		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
131	Kingston College, Carshalton College and South Thames College	The South Thames Colleges Group		Single Dissolution x2	01-Aug-17
132	Lowestoft College and Great Yarmouth College	East Coast College		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
133	NCG and Lewisham and Southwark College	NCG		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
134	Seevic College and Palmer's Sixth Form College	Seevic and Palmer's Colleges Group		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
135	South and City College Birmingham and Bournville College	South and City College Birmingham		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
136	South Downs College and Havant College	Havant and South Downs College		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
137	South Tyneside College and Tyne Metropolitan College	Tyne Coast College		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
138	Sunderland College and Hartlepool Sixth Form College	Sunderland College Group		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
139	Uxbridge College and Harrow College	HCUC		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
140	Warrington Collegiate and Mid Cheshire College	Warrington and Vale Royal College		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-17
141	Hillcroft College and Richmond Adult and Community College	Richmond and Hillcroft Adult and Community College		Single Dissolution	01-Oct-17
142	Aylesbury College and Amersham and Wycombe College	Buckinghamshire College Group		Single Dissolution	03-Oct-17

143	Capital City College Group (CCCG) and College of Haringey Enfield & North East London (CONEL)	Capital City College Group (CCCG)		Single Dissolution	01-Nov-17
144	Doncaster College and North Lindsey College	DN Colleges Group		Single Dissolution	01-Nov-17
145	City College Norwich and Paston Sixth Form College	City College Norwich		Single Dissolution	01-Dec-17
146	St Helens College and Knowsley College	SK Group		Single Dissolution	12-Dec-17
147	Telford College of Arts and Technology and New College Telford (SFC)	Telford College		Single Dissolution	20-Dec-17
148	Solihull College & University Centre and Stratford-upon-Avon College	Solihull College & University Centre		Single Dissolution	01-Feb-18
149	East Kent College and Canterbury College	East Kent Colleges (EKC) Group		Single Dissolution	01-Feb-18
150	Southport College and King George V College	Southport College		Single Dissolution	01-Feb-18
151	Wyggeston and Queen Elizabeth 1 College and Regent College	WQE and Regent Colleges Group		Single Dissolution	29-Mar-18
152	Sussex Coast College Hastings and Sussex Downs College	East Sussex College Group		Single Dissolution	29-Mar-18
153	Trafford College and Stockport College	The Trafford College Group		Single Dissolution	05-Apr-18
154	Stockton Riverside College and Redcar & Cleveland College	Stockton Riverside College		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-18
155	New City College and Epping Forest College	New City College		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-18
156	East Coast College and Lowestoft Sixth Form College	East Coast College		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-18
157	Herefordshire & Ludlow College and North Shropshire College	Herefordshire, Ludlow and North Shropshire College		Single Dissolution	01-Nov-18
158	Sandwell College and Cadbury College	Sandwell College		Single Dissolution	01-Nov-18
159	Nelson and Colne College and Accrington and Rossendale	Nelson and Colne College		Single Dissolution	20-Nov-18
160	Activate Learning and Bracknell & Wokingham College	Activate Learning		Single Dissolution	10-Jan-19
161	South Essex College of Further and Higher Education and Prospects College of Advanced Technology	South Essex College		Single Dissolution	01-Feb-19
162	West Herts College and Barnfield College	The West Herts College Group		Single Dissolution	01-Feb-19
163	East Surrey College (incorporating Reigate School of Art) and John Ruskin College	Orbital South Colleges	SE / GL regions	Single Dissolution	01-Feb-19
164	Croydon College and Coulsdon College	Croydon College		Single Dissolution	12-Feb-19
165	Havant & South Downs College and Alton College	Havant & South Downs College		Single Dissolution	01-Mar-19
166	Sunderland College and Northumberland College	Sunderland College Group / Education Partnership North East		Single Dissolution	22-Mar-19
167	Activate Learning and Guildford College	Activate Learning		Single Dissolution	29-Mar-19
168	Chichester College Group and Worthing College	Chichester College Group		Single Dissolution	01-Apr-19
169	New City College, Havering College of FE & HE and Havering Sixth Form College	New City College		Single Dissolution x2	01-Aug-19
170	Easton & Otley College was de-merged. The Easton campus is now part of City College Norwich Otley campus (renamed Suffolk Rural) has become part of Suffolk New College	City College Norwich Suffolk New College		Single Dissolution	01-Jan-20
171	Brooksby Melton College and Stephenson College	SMB Group		Single Dissolution	31-Jan-20

172	National College Creative and Cultural Industries was dissolved on 31 January 2020, with provision transferring to South Essex College of Further and Higher Education and Access Creative College (an Independent Training Provider)	Transfer to South Essex College of Further and Higher Education and Access Creative College (an Independent Training Provider)		Single Dissolution	31-Jan-20
173	Morley College and Kensington & Chelsea College	Morley College London		Single Dissolution	03-Feb-20
174	Grimsby Institute and East Riding College merged on 1 August 2020 to become	TEC Partnership (formerly known as the Grimsby Institute Group)		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-20
175	Peterborough Regional College and New College Stamford	Inspire Education Group	E / EM regions	Single Dissolution	01-Aug-20
176	New College Swindon and Swindon College merged	New College Swindon		Single Dissolution	17-Aug-20
177	<p>The Hadlow College Group transaction - Hadlow College and West Kent & Ashford College (which were two separate legal entities), both fully broken up by 17 August 2020 (college initials in brackets below are for information only – ie. to show the split of campuses)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hadlow College and West Kent & Ashford College formed a federation in 2015 (though they remained two separate legal entities) - An education administrator was appointed to run Hadlow College in May 2020 and West Kent College in August 2020 - The administrator's role is to protect the student interest as well as creditors and has arranged the following transfers - The Mottingham Campus (HC) was transferred to Capel Manor College on 1 January 2020 - Ashford College (WK&AC) and Canterbury Spring Lane (HC) were transferred to EKC Group on 31 March 2020 - Hadlow (HC), Tonbridge (WK&AC) and Greenwich (HC) campuses transferred to North Kent College on 17 August 2020 	Transfers to Capel Manor College, EKC Group and North Kent College			17/08/2020 (all transfers completed by this date)
178	Trafford College Group and Cheadle & Marple College	Trafford College Group		Single Dissolution	04-May-21
179	Highbury College and Portsmouth College	City of Portsmouth College		Single Dissolution	01-Aug-21

Sixth Form College conversions to Academy status (2017 onwards)

	College	Details	Region	Local authority	Operative date
1	Hereford Sixth Form College		WM	Herefordshire, County of	01-Mar-17
2	Rochdale Sixth Form College	joined Altus Education Partnership which it set up	NW	Rochdale	01-Apr-17
3	Priestly College	joined The Challenge Academy Trust which it set up	NW	Warrington	01-May-17
4	New College Pontefract		YH	Wakefield	01-Jun-17
5	Birkenhead Sixth Form College	joined Wirral Academy Trust which it set up	NW	Wirral	01-Aug-17
6	Longley Park Sixth Form College	joined Brigantia Learning Trust	YH	Sheffield	01-Aug-17
7	Sixth Form College, Solihull (The)	joined Ninestiles Academy Trust	WM	Solihull	01-Aug-17

8	City of Stoke-on-Trent Sixth Form College	joined Potteries Educational Trust	WM	Stoke-on-Trent	01-Sep-17
9	Oldham Sixth Form College	joined Pinnacle Academy Trust which it is set up	NW	Oldham	01-Sep-17
10	Reigate College	joined Reigate Learning Alliance - a new multi academy trust	SE	Surrey	01-Sep-17
11	Sixth Form College, Farnborough (The)	formed The Prospect Trust - a new multi academy trust	SE	Hampshire	01-Sep-17
12	Woking College	formed a single academy trust known as Woking College	SE	Surrey	01-Sep-17
13	Queen Mary's College	formed North Hampshire Learning Trust - a multi-academy	SE	Hampshire	01-Oct-17
14	Prior Pursglove and Stockton Sixth Form College	joined Tees Valley Collaborative Trust - a Multi Academy Trust which it is setting up	NE	Redcar & Cleveland / Stockton-on-Tees	01-Nov-17
15	Richard Taunton Sixth Form College	joined Lighthouse Learning Trust - a multi-academy trust established by both Richard Taunton Sixth Form College and St Vincent College	SE	Southampton	01-Nov-17
16	St Vincent College	joined Lighthouse Learning Trust - a multi-academy trust established by both Richard Taunton Sixth Form College and St Vincent College	SE	Hampshire	01-Nov-17
17	Thomas Rotherham College	joined Inspire Trust	YH	Rotherham	01-Nov-17
18	Godalming College	formed a single academy trust known as Godalming College	SE	Surrey	01-Jan-18
19	Sir John Deane's College	formed a new multi academy trust Sir John Brunner Foundation	NW	Cheshire West and Chester	01-Apr-18
20	East Norfolk Sixth Form College	formed the East Norfolk Multi Academy Trust - ENMAT	E	Norfolk	01-Aug-18
21	King Edward VI College Nuneaton	joined Better Futures Multi Academy Trust, formed by Coventry University	WM	Warwickshire	01-Jan-19
22	Ashton-under-Lyne Sixth Form College	joined the Stamford Park Trust which it set up	NW	Tameside	01-Feb-19
23	Worcester Sixth Form College	formed the Worcestershire Learning Trust - a new multi academy trust	WM	Worcestershire	01-Apr-19
24	Esher College	formed the Esher Sixth Form College Academy Trust	SE	Surrey	01-Sep-19

25	Bilborough Sixth Form College	joined Better Futures Multi Academy Trust, formed by Coventry University	EM	Nottingham	01-Nov-19
26	Gateway Sixth Form College	joined Better Futures Multi Academy Trust, formed by Coventry University	EM	Leicester	01-Apr-20
27	Woodhouse College	joined the Frontier Learning Multi Academy Trust	GL	Barnet	01-Jan-21
28	King Edward VI College Stourbridge	(joined the Heart of Mercia Multi Academy Trust)	WM	Dudley	01-Feb-21
29	Richard Huish College	formed the Richard Huish Trust Multi Academy Trust	SW	Somerset	01-Oct-21

FE/HE mergers/partnerships in the SFA/YPLA/EFA/ESFA period (2010-)

	College	Details	Region / Local LSC	Operative date
1	Bolton College	Merged with the University of Bolton. The Bolton College corporation was dissolved and is now a company limited by guarantee with the university as its sole member, which will give the HE institute ultimate control. The new company is being designated as an FE institution under the FE and HE Act 1992 (so remains in FE sector)	NW	01-Aug-18
2	Lambeth College	Merged with London South Bank University. The Lambeth College Corporation was dissolved and its assets transferred to South Bank Colleges, which is a company limited by guarantee, and a wholly owned subsidiary of the University. It is being designated as an FE institution under the FE and HE Act 1992 (so remains in the FE sector)	GL	01-Feb-19

3	National College for Advanced Transport and Infrastructure	Merged with University of Birmingham on 30 April 2021 (NCATI was dissolved and the institution is now a company limited by guarantee that is a wholly owned subsidiary of the University of Birmingham). It is being designated as an FE institution under the FE and HE Act 1992 (so remains in the FE sector)	WM	30-Apr-21
4	Ruskin College	Joined University of West London on 1 August 2021. It is a charitable company limited by guarantee, of which University of West London is the sole member. Ruskin College's status as an institution designated under s28 of the FHEA 1992 has not changed, which means that it remains in the statutory FE sector	SE	01-Aug-21

HE/FE mergers in the LSC period (2001-2010)

	College	Assets transferred to	Region / Local LSC	Operative date
1	Harrogate College (part of Leeds Met - number 5 in FE/HE mergers in the FEFC period 1993-2001)	Hull College	YH / Humberside	01-Aug-08

HE/FE partnerships/mergers in the SFA/YPLA/EFA/ESFA period (2010-)

	College	Details	Region / Local LSC	Operative date
1	Reading College (previously HEI - no. 10 in FE/HE mergers in the LSC period 2001-2010)	new partnership between Oxford & Cherwell Valley College and LSN (Learning and Skills Network)	SE	01-Aug-10
2	Leeds College of Music (previously HEI - no. 7 in FE colleges transferred to the HE sector in the LSC period 2001-2010) is now Leeds College of Music Limited	wholly owned subsidiary of Leeds City College	YH	01-Aug-11

FE/HE mergers in the FEFC period (1993-2001)

	College	Assets transferred to	Region	Operative date
1	Lincolnshire College of Art and Design and Lincolnshire College of Agriculture and Horticulture	De Montfort University, Leicester	EM	01-Aug-94
2	Epsom School of Art and Design	West Surrey College of Art and Design	SE	01-Aug-94
3	Portsmouth College of Art and Design and Further Education	Portsmouth University	SE	01-Aug-94
4	Bedford College of Higher Education	De Montfort University, Leicester	EM	01-Aug-94
5	Harrogate College	Leeds Metropolitan University	YH	01-Aug-98
6	High Peak College	University of Derby	EM	01-Aug-98
7	Newton Rigg College	University of Central Lancashire	NW	01-Aug-98
8	Brackenhurst College	Nottingham Trent University	EM	01-Apr-99
9	Cordwainers College (SDI)	The London Institute	GL	01-Aug-00

FE/HE mergers in the LSC period (2001-2010)

	College	Assets transferred to	Region / Local LSC	Operative date
10	Reading College and School of Art and Design	Thames Valley University	SE / Berkshire	31-Dec-03
11	Harrogate College (part of Leeds Met - number 5 above)	Hull College	YH / Humberside	01-Aug-08

FE/HE mergers in the SFA/YPLA/EFA/ESFA period (2010-)

	College	Assets transferred to	Region / Local LSC	Operative date
12	Leek College	University of Derby	WM	01-Aug-12

FE colleges transferred to the HE sector in the FEFC period (1993-2001)

	College	Local LSC area	Operative date
1	Writtle College	Essex	01-Aug-94
2	Norfolk Institute of Art and Design (now Norfolk School of Art and Design)	Norfolk	01-Oct-94
3	Northern School of Contemporary Dance	West Yorkshire	01-Oct-94
4	Cumbria College of Art and Design	Cumbria	01-Aug-97

FE colleges transferred to the HE sector in the LSC period (2001-2010)

	College	Local LSC	Operative date
5	Arts Institute at Bournemouth	Bournemouth Dorset and Poole	01-Aug-01
6	Birmingham College of Food, Tourism and Creative Studies	Birmingham and Solihull	01-Aug-02
7	Leeds College of Music	West Yorkshire	01-Aug-05

FE colleges transferred to the HE sector in the SFA/YPLA/EFA/ESFA period (2010-)

	College	Local LSC	Operative date
8	Leeds College of Art		01-Aug-11
9	Plymouth College of Art		01-Aug-14

FE colleges transferred to the School sector in the SFA/YPLA/EFA/ESFA period (2010-)

	College	Local LSC	Operative date
1	St Mary's College, Middlesbrough merged into Trinity Catholic College, Middlesbrough		31-Jul-11

Colleges incorporated into the FE Sector in the FEFC period (1993-2001)

	College	Local LSC area	Date of incorporation
1	The Ridge College, Stockport	Greater Manchester	01-Sep-93
2	Margaret Danyers College, Stockport	Greater Manchester	01-Aug-95
3	Richmond Adult and Community College	London South	01-Aug-96

Colleges incorporated into the FE Sector in the LSC period (2001-2010)

	College	Local LSC	Date of incorporation
4	Brooke House Sixth Form College	East London	01-Oct-01
5	Longley Park Sixth Form College	South Yorkshire	01-Nov-02
6	Rochdale Sixth Form College		01/08/2008 opened Sept 2010
7	Lowestoft Sixth Form College		23/03/2010 due to open Sept 2011

Colleges incorporated into the FE Sector in the SFA/YPLA/EFA/ESFA period (2010-)

	College	Local LSC	Date of incorporation
8	Prospects College of Advanced Technology		01-Sep-14
9	Ada, National College for Digital Skills	Greater London	08-Aug-16
10	National College for Creative and Cultural Industries	Eastern region	01-Sep-16
11	National College for High Speed Rail	West Midlands and Yorkshire and the Humber	incorporated 1 August 2015 due to open in September 2017 (not included in college list yet)

Dissolution of Further Education Colleges in the LSC period (2001-2010)

	College	Local LSC	Assets transferred to	Dissolution date
1	North Derbyshire Tertiary College	Derbyshire	Derbyshire County Council, the further education corporations of Chesterfield College and North Nottinghamshire College.	31-Dec-02

Dissolution of Further Education Colleges in the SFA/YPLA/EFA/ESFA period (2010-)

	College	Local LSC	Assets transferred to	Dissolution date
2	Totton College		Education Funding Agency (EFA) or to the charitable organisation Nacro.	09-Nov-15

Other changes in the LSC period (2001-2010)

	College	Type	Local LSC	Notes
1	The Co-operative College	Specialist Designated College	Greater Manchester	Stopped receiving LSC funding as of 2003-04
2	Plater College	Specialist Designated College	Milton Keynes, Oxford & Bucks	Closed on 31-Jul-05
3	Hilderstone College	General Further Education College	Kent and Medway	Stopped receiving LSC funding as of 2006-07