Southport College and King George V Sixth Form (KGV) College merged in January 2018 to ensure that there is a locally delivered comprehensive academic and vocational/technical sixth form offer for the locality.

Southport College and KGV College were both graded good in their previous Ofsted Inspections in 2016 and 2017 respectively.

The merged College achieved the Matrix Award for Information Advice and Guidance in April 2018.

The College continually invests in first class facilities for students and has over the past 10 years invested over £20 million into the estate. The summer of 2018 saw the refurbishment of a new reception area and the creation of a new Multi-Use Games Area (MUGA) at KGV and the development of an expanded University Centre at Southport.

Each year over 400 college students progress to a degree programme at a University.

The College works with over 300 employers to provide Apprenticeships and training to improve the skills of their workforce and support their recruitment needs.

The College offers a wide ranging adult programme to over 1,500 adults wishing to re-enter education, improve their qualifications, enhance their employment/career prospects, or progress to higher education.

The College, working closely with its University partners, provides a range of Higher Education programmes with the opportunity to take full degrees in a number of subject areas.

The College, with over 420 employees, is one of the largest employers in Southport.
Our Mission
To provide excellent, sustainable, education and training.

Our Vision
Supporting individual dreams and ambitions.

Strategic objectives
1. To develop and strengthen the College’s distinct brands and its reputation as a provider of choice for school leavers, adults and employers.
2. To offer a range of professional, technical, and academic programmes that meets the needs of individuals and contributes to the development of the local and national economy.
3. To significantly grow the number of students achieving advanced and higher level qualifications.
4. To achieve excellence in teaching, learning and support.
5. To achieve the highest possible outcomes for students.
6. To ensure sustainable financial health, value for money and continued investment in resources.
7. To develop and maintain high quality, modern, safe learning environments.
8. To promote a high performing staff culture that fosters accountability, engagement, recognition and development.