Cliff College

BA MM Admission Criteria 2014-15

Candidates must be able to satisfy the general admissions criteria of the University of Manchester, and Cliff College in the following ways:

1. Achieved 120 credits with an overall weighted mean mark at or above 40 in the Level C Programme offered at the College or in an equivalent course elsewhere.

2. Where students have not yet achieved the above criteria, candidates must have evidence of post-sixteen study and significant experience of working with children. Assessment of ability is made through references (academic and personal), through interview at the College, through written exercises at the interview or later, as deemed appropriate by the College. Normal University of Manchester APEL/APL Regulations apply.

3. Candidates will be required to provide a satisfactory Enhanced Disclosure from the Criminal Records Bureau. Guidance on application for the Disclosure will be given by the Course Team.

4. Candidates whose first language is not English shall have achieved a pass at or above Level 6.5 in IELTS, or in an equivalent recognised test. Where appropriate, candidates will be required to provide a written piece of work on a subject chosen by the College in addition to their IELTS certificate.

As a College within a long tradition of Christian faith and practice, many of the courses at the College involve students in the practical outworking of the Christian faith. This context does apply to the Diploma in Children's Evangelism and Nurture. Most modules represent an academic exploration of Christian themes and historical perspectives. Some modules involve working within Christian Churches and centre on the practice of Christian Evangelism. Therefore, while candidates who do not profess Christian faith are not excluded from this course, all applicants should be aware of the overall Christian context of the course and the College.

Further details are available in the College's Prospectus and website, www.cliffcollege.ac.uk