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Press Release

## **SHOPPERS ENJOY FREE TREATMENTS AS CRC VISITS GRAFTON CENTRE**

**Grafton centre shoppers were treated to free manicures and hand massages when Cambridge Regional College came to visit.**

The College set up a stall to give shoppers the chance to try their hand at different activities, discover more about the courses run at CRC and enjoy a bit of pampering.

Over two days, the stand attracted hundreds of visitors keen to try out woodcarving, furniture making and art projects – ‘have a go’ activities supported by the EU’s European Social Fund – and enjoy treatments carried out by Beauty Therapy students.



Getting ready for business – CRC's stand at the Grafton shopping centre

Experts on Apprenticeship programmes were also on hand with information for businesses and visitors, while experienced tutors provided details of the adult courses on offer at the College.

For more information on Cambridge Regional College, see [www.camre.ac.uk](http://www.camre.ac.uk).

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### **MEDIA ENQUIRIES**

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### **NOTES TO EDITORS**

Cambridge Regional College is one of the largest providers of full-time further education for 16 to 19 year-olds in the eastern region. The College has more than 4,000 full-time and 6,000 part-time students, coming from a 40-mile radius, covering Cambridge and its surrounding villages, eastern Bedfordshire, northern Essex and western Suffolk.

Over 80 per cent of full-time students are aged 16 to 18 years old and come to the College after secondary school; the rest are mature students, studying on a range of Access to Higher Education and vocational programmes. The College offers the largest and most comprehensive range of vocational courses in Cambridgeshire, and has one of the largest work-based learning contracts in the Eastern Region.