

# STUDENTS



There will be 28 students, between 18 - 24 years old, in each Jubilee College class.

The first class will arrive in Fall 2026, and will be made of those who are attracted to creating a College together!

This is a truly bold adventure for a certain kind of young person, a seeker with...



- Intense curiosity
- Gratitude to be alive
- Trust-in-life that translates into inner confidence/ resilience
- Independence of thought, questioning assumptions/ status quo
- Spiritual depth & active practice
- Flexibility for improvisation, more than conventional leadership
- Capacity to reframe experience, to get perspective, to “see things whole”
- Humility, meekness in the midst of Source/ Great Mystery
- Generosity, a deep kindness, though it may show up in different ways
- Tolerance & forgiveness
- Self-starter instincts

We expect that most incoming students will be exceptionally strong at reading, writing, speaking and observing – but it’s likely there will be some who have taken a path that does not focus on these skills. What we value highly is the ability to read, speak or see from the inside-out, from an interior experience primarily.

We won’t succeed in our inquiries without a diverse student body.... country of origin, political party, rural/urban experience, religion, creed, introvert/extrovert... The majority of students will represent an intersectionality of race, class, gender, and culture that is today a minority within dominant power systems.



White supremacy, male supremacy, human supremacy, and all the other normative hierarchies have had disastrous consequences. They also box in our creativity and limit our consciousness for creating new futures. We have to build the capacities to both see, with clear eyes, the current state of injustice and suffering, and be able to see beyond what is here now, to the more beautiful world our hearts know is possible.

**We will need a cohort of students that can help one another to do both.**

We will need some who know what it is to have “agency” in the world, as we want this for everyone. We will need some who bring the gifts of the edge – “fugitivity” as Bayo Akomolafe describes it – to see anew. We will need people who can see the beauty of their cultures and histories and bodies. We will need people who are willing to consider that where there is injustice there is also the possibility of crucial practice toward soul evolution and becoming more compassionate with self and others to create the world we want.

