

CAREERS Newsletter

October 2024



Strode College Trip

In November we are taking the Year 11 students interested in studying at Strode College, for taster sessions.

Students need to make sure their name is on the list to go with Mrs Gray and complete a Google Form stating which sessions they would like to sign up for. This link has been emailed to all Year 11 tutors.

Careers Fairs

Year 10 recently visited Westlands for the Somerset Skills & Careers Fair, they got the opportunity to meet various employers and colleges.

On Wednesday 23rd October we are hosting our own Careers Fair with colleges and employers in the Lower School Hall. All year groups will get an opportunity to attend. Parents will also get a chance to come and look around after school between 3:30 and 4:00pm.

UPCOMING OPEN EVENTS

Yeovil College

Open Event - Wednesday 23rd October 5-8pm

<https://www.yeovil.ac.uk/events/october-open-event>

Strode College

Open Evening - Thursday 24th October 5.30-8pm

The Gryphon Sixth Form

Thursday 24th October

Kingston Maurwood College

Sunday 9th November

Sunday 8th December

Students have received an overview of all Post 16+ provisions and their events this term via their Tutors, the Careers Google Classroom and on the school Facebook page, so get them to pop these dates in their diaries.

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BATH & WEST



Scholarship - Teamwork - Resilience

Integrity - Versatility - Empathy

Year 10 Work Experience

All Year 10 students need to find a Work Experience placement for the 16th-20th June 2025. We strongly encourage students to try and find a placement that directly links to their interests or possible future career. We appreciate that not all students know what this may be yet but this is a good opportunity to see if they like certain career ideas. Students need to approach employers to ask if they would be interested in taking them on the placement and we find that this is best done by phone or in person. Once students have found a placement they need to complete the Google Form (link in on the Year 10 Careers Google Classroom) for the placement to be booked.

Students who are interested in THALES, Leonardo or RNAS Yeovilton can get specific application forms from Mrs Gray. Any student applying for these placements also need to find a placement for 16th-20th June as the dates are different, so they will attend two placements across the year.

Year 11 Careers Interviews

All of Year 11 will meet with Mrs Gray by Christmas to discuss their post-16 options. All providers have open evenings and we will keep you updated with these dates. Please try and visit the colleges and sixth forms to help inform your decisions. Consider the cost and time of travel as well as the courses they offer.

Many providers have also been in for assemblies and will be back in school at various other times. Students interested in Strode College are able to come on the school trip in November, they need to make sure that their name is down to go with Mrs Gray

Applications are now open to complete, most can be done online and are very straightforward but see Mrs Gray if you need help.



Previous Work Experience Placements

A Barber&Co, Yeovil
Abbey Pre-School, Yeovil
ADM Protexin Limited, South Petherton
All Saints Church Primary School
Oxfords Bakery
AM Scaffolding, Yeovil
Apex Dental Practice, Somerton
Appletree Nursery, Yeovil
Ashlands Primary School
Aspire Competitions LTD
Atomic Comics & Games
Axesclose Farm, Chilthorne Domer
Bamfords Plumbing, Heating & Electrics Limited
Barwick & Stoford Primary School, Stoford, Yeovil
Battens Solicitors, Yeovil
Beechwood Care Home
Birchfield Primary School, Yeovil
Boon Brown Architects, Yeovil
Boots, The Peel Centre, Yeovil
Bouncy Bear Childcare
Brimsmore Garden Centre, Yeovil
Brotherwood Accessible Vehicles, Sherborne
Cafe No. 50, Yeovil
Cafe Vie, Yeovil
Cake Box, Yeovil
Castle Gardens, Sherborne
CETSAT Agile Technology, Yeovil
Chilthorne Domer Primary School, Yeovil
Chop & Change Hairdressers, Yeovil
Children and Young People's Therapy Service
Countess Gytha Primary School, Queen Camel
Cow & Apple Burger Restaurant, Yeovil
Cutting Edge Hairdressers, Yeovil
D R Jones/Jones Building Group, Yeovil
Delaware Vets, Yeovil
DL Crease LTD
DNA Scaffolding, Yeovil
Dog Luv Boarding Kennels, Stoford, Yeovil
Dorset Wildlife Trust, Kingcombe Visitor Centre

Downclose Stables, Crewkerne
East Coker Pre-School, East Coker, Yeovil
Eleanor Florence Bridal, Yeovil
Eminence Dance Academy, Yeovil
Fairmead School, Yeovil
First Steps Day Nursery, Yeovil
Fiveways School
Fleet Air Arm Museum, Ilchester
Freedom Leisure, Yeovil
Forget Me Not Pre School, Yeovil
Future Roots, Rylands Farm
Garador Limited
Greenleaves Landscaping
Hair & Beauty Bar, Yeovil
Halfords, Yeovil
Halfway House Pub, Yeovil
Hamish Farm Shop, Closworth, Yeovil
Harmony Fire, Milborne Port
Hays Travel, Sherborne
Hazelgrove Construction Ltd, Yeovil
Helyar Arms, East Coker
HMV Music Store, Yeovil
Hobbycraft, Yeovil
Holm Heating & Plumbing Ltd
Holy Trinity Primary School, Yeovil
Honeywell Aerospace, Yeovil
Hossack & Gray, Somerton
Huish Primary School, Yeovil
Jones Building
King Electrical, West Coker
Kingfisher Primary School, Yeovil
Kingfisher Vet
Ladybirds Pre-School, Barwick
Lamp Medical Limited, Yeovil
Land Warfare Centre/The Army, Warminster
Lanes Hotel, West Coker
Little Discoveries Nursery, Yeovil
Lolly Limited, Sherborne
LPM Services
Luke Travers Landscaping/Groundworks, Yeovil
M & G Harding Developments Limited, Martock
M T Roofing Specialists, Yeovil
Marks & Spencer, Yeovil
Marsh Lane Day Nursery, Yeovil
Martock Primary School, Martock
Masters Recycling, East Coker, Yeovil
Matthew J Weallans Electrical Services,
Ilchester
Mayor's Office, Yeovil
Metaltech Precision Limited, Chard
Milford Infants Primary School, Yeovil
Milford Juniors Primary School, Yeovil
Milford Pre-School, Yeovil
Morley's Electrical Limited, Yeovil
National Grid
Oaklands Day Nursery, Yeovil
Oddments Theatre Company, Yeovil
Old Mill Chartered Accountants, Yeovil
Orchard Gymnastics, Yeovil
Orchard Street Post Office, Yeovil
Original Collection Limited
Oxley Sports Centre, Sherborne
Parker Hannifin Manufacturing LTD
Paws N Klaw's Pet Services, Yeovil
PDQ Precision Engineering, Yeovil
Peachy Beauty Studio
Pets Haven Cattery & Kennels, Sherborne
Piper Trimmers, Sparkford
Premier Window Cleaning
Premier Education
Preston Primary School, Yeovil
Primrose Lane Primary School, Yeovil
Pure Hair & Beauty, Chard
Purple Hire Solutions Limited, Yeovil
Reckleford Infants School, Yeovil
RJ and CA Down
Robert Frith Optometrists
Rodericks Ltd / Yeovil Dental Practice
Royal Mail
S M V Commercials Ltd, Yeovil
SES Fire + Security, Yeovil
Shane Aherne Hair Studio, Yeovil
Shiny Stoves Oven Cleaning
Smartees Day Care Nursery, Yeovil
Somerset Reindeer Ranch
South West Building Solutions Limited,
Yeovil
South West Coaches, Yeovil
South West Steels Limited
Southern Aquatics Limited
Southville Day Nursery, Yeovil
SSPS - South Somerset Partnership School

St. Gildas Primary School, Yeovil
St. Margaret's Primary School, Tintinhull, Yeovil
St. Michaels Academy, Yeovil
Superdrug
Take No Wrap Eco Store, Yeovil
TCT Groundworks
Teapot Creative, Hambridge
The Carpet Room, Yeovil
The Clockspire
The Emporium Cafe, Yeovil
The Green Room Restaurant, Yeovil
The Lounge Hair & Beauty, Yeovil
The Old Dairy Cafe, Martock
The Shire at Crockermoor, Corscombe
The SPACE Performing Arts Centre, Taunton
The Trough, Yeovil
The Young Ones Playgroup/Pre-School, Yeovil
T.L.E Sports Coaching
Toni & Guy Hairdressers, Yeovil
Tops Day Nursery
Toybox Nursery, Yeovil
Trinity House Dental Practice
Union street Brasserie
Waterstones Book Store
W E Turner & Son / Manor Farm, Hardington, Yeovil
West Abbey Care Centre, Yeovil
Wincanton Motorsports Ltd, Wincanton
World Horse Welfare, Somerton
Yeatman Hospital/Sherborne + Summerlands, Yeovil
Yeovil Art Space
Yeovil Audi, Yeovil
Yeovil College Engineering Department
Yeovil College Hair & Beauty Department/Nexus Salon
Yeovil College Lab Room Technicians Department
Yeovil College Nursery, Yeovil
Yeovil College Sports Department
Yeovil Community Church, Yeovil
Yeovil Day Centre Society
Yeovil District Hospital - Non Clinical Programme
Yeovil Ford, Yeovil
Yeovil Library, Yeovil Town Centre
Yeovil opportunity group
Yeovil Town Football Club
Yew Tree Nursery, Yeovil
Zoe's Hair & Beauty, Yeovil

Please note that students still need to contact employers, they may not be able to take students just because they have previously.