

Local Post-16 Open Events

College	Open Events/Description
<p>Andover College www.andover.ac.uk</p>	<p>Wednesday, 2 October 2024 Tuesday, 12 November 2024 Thursday, 13 February 2025 Wednesday, 7th May 2025 Booking on website required. Further dates/timings/booking arrangements to be confirmed on website You can apply from 7 October 2024</p>
<p>Peter Symonds College www.psc.ac.uk</p>	<p>Tuesday, 1 October 2024 - 5.30 - 8.30 p.m. Wednesday, 2 October 2024 – 5.30 – 8.30 p.m. Booking on website required You can apply from 16 September 2024; application deadline is 9 December 2024</p>
<p>Queen Mary's College www.qmc.ac.uk</p>	<p>Wednesday, 2 October 2024 - 5.00 - 8.00 p.m. Thursday, 3 October 2024 - 5.00 - 8.00 p.m. Booking on website required You can apply from 4 October 2024; application deadline is 9 December 2024.</p>
<p>Basingstoke College of Technology www.bcot.ac.uk</p>	<p>Monday, 7 October 2024 - 4.30 - 7.00 p.m. Saturday, 23 November 2024 - 10.00 a.m. - 12.30 p.m. Monday, 28 April 2024 - 4.30 - 7.00 p.m. Apprenticeship Fairs:- Monday, 3 February 2024 - 4.30 - 7.00 p.m. Monday, 16 June 2025 - 4.30 - 7.00 p.m. Further dates/timings/booking arrangements to be confirmed on website You can apply from early October 2024.; application deadline is 31 December 2024.</p>
<p>Sparsholt College www.sparsholt.ac.uk</p>	<p>Saturday, 5 October 2024 Saturday, 9 November 2024 Saturday, 1 February 2025 Saturday, 1 March 2025 Wednesday, 30 April 2025 Thursday, 12 June 2025 Booking on website required You can apply from 2 October 2024.</p>
<p>Newbury College www.newbury-college.ac.uk</p>	<p>Tuesday, 29 October 2024 - 10.00 a.m. - 2.00 p.m. - Football Open Event Thursday, 7 November 2024 - 4.00 - 7.00 p.m. - College Open Evening Friday, 24 January 2025 - 5.00 - 7.00 p.m. - Performing Arts Open Event (Kingsclere Performing Arts College) Booking on website required.</p>
<p>Wiltshire College www.wiltshire.ac.uk</p>	<p>Salisbury Campus Dates/timings/booking arrangements to be confirmed on website</p>
<p>Salisbury 6th Form College https://www.salisbury6c.ac.uk/study-with-us/open-evenings/</p>	<p>Wednesday, 16 October 2024 - 4.30 - 7.30 p.m. (provisional) Thursday, 21 November 2024 - 4.30 - 7.30 p.m. (provisional) Further dates/timings/booking arrangements to be confirmed on website</p>

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<p>Bishop Wordsworth's School https://www.bishopwordsworths.org.uk/sixth-form/</p>	<p>Friday 20th September 2024 - 2.30 p.m. Thursday 26th September 2024 - 9.30 a.m. Monday 7th October 2024 - 2.30 p.m. Thursday 21st November 2024 - 2.30 p.m. Wednesday 15th January 2025 2.30 p.m. Booking required. Please use following link:- https://www.bishopwordsworths.org.uk/sixth-form/how-to-apply/ Virtual open evening available using the following link:- https://www.bishopwordsworths.org.uk/sixth-form/how-to-apply/virtual-open-evening/</p>
<p>Wellington Academy 6th Form www.thewellingtonacademy.org.uk</p>	<p>Further dates/timings/booking arrangements to be confirmed on website</p>
<p>Farnborough College of Technology https://www.farn-ct.ac.uk/</p>	<p>Tuesday, 15th October 2024 - 4.00 - 7.30 p.m. Wednesday, 16th October 2024 - 4.00 - 7.30 p.m. Wednesday, 20th November 2024 - 4.00 - 7.30 p.m. Wednesday, 5th February 2025 - 4.00 - 7.30 p.m. Booking required. Please use the following link:- https://www.farn-ct.ac.uk/events-in-person/</p>
<p>Winchester College https://www.winchestercollege.org/sixth-form</p>	<p>Saturday, 14 September 2024 Booking arrangements confirmed on website You can apply now; application deadline is 22 September 2024.</p>
<p>Rookwood School 6th Form https://rookwoodschool.org/sixth-form/</p>	<p>Personalised tours can be booked using the following link:- https://rookwoodschool.org/sixth-form/</p>

Please check individual websites for any changes/booking requirements

A Levels: like GCSEs, they take two years to complete. They are academic, mainly classroom based, and typically are assessed through a large exam. You may also be assessed on practical work as well.

Vocational Courses/BTECs/Cambridge Techs.: They are practical courses that give you a broad base of skills suited for industry. Subject areas include sport, business, health and social care, art, animal management, game development etc. Students are primarily assessed on coursework, possibly some exams and work experience. There are different amounts of BTECs that students can take – from single (subsidiary) to an extended diploma which is equivalent to three A Levels.

T Levels: T Levels were introduced in September 2020, and are technical qualifications, equivalent to 3 A levels. These 2-year courses have been developed in collaboration with employers and businesses so that the content meets the needs of industry and prepares students for work.

Occupational/Job based courses: such as plumbing, hairdressing, motor vehicle mechanics and bricklaying. These tend to build skills for specific careers. These are usually full time courses which cannot be taken alongside A Levels or BTECs.