CURRICULUM SCHOOLS OFFER

Designed to be flexible, bespoke and focused, our wide range of options that curriculum and support teams can offer your school have been created with YOU in mind. From interactive taster sessions, student-to-student networking opportunities and mobile demo sessions, there's something to suit every student's individual needs.

We truly believe that our close working partnerships with local schools is the essential step forward in creating extraordinary futures in our community. Working together raises aspirations and increases knowledge of future options, meaning students can make educated choices about their next steps.



The areas involved in this programme are:

- A Levels
- Automotive Engineering & Engineering
- Business
- Computing & IT
- Construction
- Creative Design Industries (including Digital Dentistry)
- Education & Early Years
- Hairdressing & Beauty
- Health & Social Care
- Hospitality & Catering
- Sport
- Uniformed Protective Services



SUPPORT

YC Schools Connection Partner Alice Parry can support your school in booking interactions to inspire your learners and put you in touch with our experts. This programme is designed to strengthen relationships between peer-to-peer teaching staff.

Reach out via **SchoolConnections@yeovil.ac.uk**.

INTERACTIVE / HANDS-ON EXPERIENCES

- **Tour & Taster**
  Students complete a short curriculum and/or college tour, followed by a guided task.

- **Class Shadowing**
  Working alongside current students, shadowing and experiencing a typical morning/afternoon.

- **A Day in the Life Rotation**
  Carousel across 3–4 curriculum areas in one visit (1 hour each) to help undecided learners explore options.

- **Skills Olympics / Competition**
  Fun, quick challenges (timed tasks, teamwork, creativity) with prizes; lots of fun engagement.

- **Problem-Solving Challenge**
  Subject-based with clues linked to real course content.

- **Live Demonstrations**
  Lecturers + students demonstrate high-level work (e.g. hair styling, welding, cooking).

- **Hands-on models**
  Being models for the curriculum (dependent on subject, would work well with Hair & Beauty).

- **Portfolio/Work-in-Progress Viewing**
  See real student work with tutor explanation of grading and progression.

INSIGHT & CAREER-FOCUSED

- **Career Pathway Talk & Activity**
  "How do you get into this career?" followed by a practical taster linked to that career.

- **Apprenticeship Insight Session**
  Delivered by tutors and potentially current apprentices.

STUDENT EXPERIENCE FOCUS

- **Student Takeover Tour**
  Led fully by current students.

- **Speed dating**
  Networking activity with current students studying the course they're interested in.

- **Q&A Panel with Current Students**
  Honest conversations about workload, social life, progression.

CAMPUS & FACILITIES-FOCUSED

- **Sports Session / Fitness Challenge:** Practical activity using Institute of Sport.

- **Digital/VR Experience:** Use any immersive tech (construction sims, health sims).

- **Competition Launches:** Start in-school, finish on campus e.g. Design challenge, Bake-off, Build challenge, fitness. Finals take place on campus, in our industry-standard facilities.

- **Early Years in Primary School Room**

- **Adult Nursing in Clinical Skills Suite**

SCHOOL SITE

- **Curriculum Pop-In Tasters**
  Deliver mini versions of practical sessions in classrooms e.g. Hair styling demo, Engineering problem-solving, Creative Digital Media challenges.

- **Career Carousel Sessions**
  Rotate between small groups across different subject stations, focusing on what careers each course could take you to.

- **Enrichment Days**
  Half-day / set number of hours takeover with themed sessions.

- **Mobile Demo Sessions:** Mini campus experience e.g. Hair & Beauty kits, Construction demos, Sport fitness testing, VR/tech.

STUDENT-LED OUTREACH

- **Peer Mentoring Sessions:**
  College students work with small groups of school students.

- **Student Ambassador Talks:**
  Less curriculum based, more general.

CELEBRATING SUCCESS

- Certificate of Completion
- Photo Moment / Social Content Opportunity
- Work experience for CV

