

COLLEGE LIFE & INFORMATION SESSIONS

All students attending the Taster Day will spend the full day with us. Some students may not want to try the maximum number of subject sessions, or we may not be able to allocate you all of your choices (if there is a timetable clash or a subject is already full). In these cases you will have information sessions added to your timetable. You can select your order of preference for these on the booking form and we will try to allocate your choices as best we can. You can choose from:

- Apprenticeships & T Level Industry Placements
- Brilliant Futures
- English GCSE Boost: Build Your Confidence
- Maths GCSE Boost: Build Your Confidence
- Support for Success at York College
- Why the Next Six Months Matter
- Basketball Development Centre
- Netball Development Centre
- Men's Football Development Centre
- Women's Football Development Centre
- Men's Rugby Development Centre
- Women's Rugby Development Centre
- Esports Development Centre - Welcome to Esports

You can find out more information about these sessions on our website.

TASTER DAY FAQs

It's good to know what to expect when you come and join us for the day, so we've got all the information you need on the Event page on our website, as well as detailed instructions on submitting your booking and when you'll hear back from us.

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TASTER DAYS

TUESDAY 12TH JANUARY 2027
THURSDAY 14TH JANUARY 2027

8.45AM - 4.15PM

To help you make a decision about your next steps, join us on one of our Taster Days to experience some of the exciting subjects we offer.

Take a look at the subject list overleaf, then to book your place head to our website **www.yorkcollege.ac.uk** or scan the QR code. As well as trying subjects, you can also learn more about apprenticeships, support and studying at York College.

Bookings close
Sunday 22nd November 2026.

Places are allocated on a
first-come, first-served basis.

BOOK YOUR PLACE HERE!



For further information contact the Schools Liaison Team at
info4schools@yorkcollege.ac.uk or **01904 770239**.

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You can choose up to 6 sessions from the subjects listed - either from A Levels & Mix, Vocational and T Level subjects or a combination of these, as well as some information sessions. Detailed information is on the website to explain how to select your sessions, so make sure you read this before starting your booking.

Guideline minimum entry requirements for course levels:
Entry Level - no formal entry requirements
Level 1 - 3 GCSE subjects at grade 2
Level 2 - 4 GCSE subjects at grade 3
Level 3 - 5 GCSE subjects at grade 4 incl English and/or Maths
A Level/T Level - 4 GCSE subjects at grade 5 incl English Language and Maths
A LEVEL & MIX SUBJECTS (Level 3)
ART & DESIGN
Art & Design (Fine Art)
Art & Design (Photography)
Art & Design (Textiles)
BUSINESS
Business
Economics
Enterprise Mix
Finance & Accounting Mix
Marketing Mix
DIGITAL & MEDIA
Computer Science
Film Studies
Media Studies
EARLY YEARS & EDUCATION
Early Childhood Development Mix
ENGINEERING
Design & Technology: Engineering Route
Design & Technology: Product Design Route
Engineering Mix
ENGLISH
English Language
English Language & Literature
English Literature
HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE
Health Mix

HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

Criminology Mix
History (Ancient)
History (Late Medieval & Early Modern)
History (Modern)
Law
Philosophy, Ethics & Religion
Politics
Psychology
Sociology

LANGUAGES

French (you must be taking this at GCSE)
German (you must be taking this at GCSE)
Spanish (you must be taking this at GCSE)

MATHS

Core Maths Certificate
Maths
Maths & Further Maths

PERFORMANCE & PRODUCTION

Drama & Theatre Studies
Music*
Music Technology*

SCIENCE

Applied Science Mix
Biology
Chemistry
Environmental Science
Geography
Medical Science Mix
Physics

SPORT

Physical Education
Sport & Exercise Mix

*You must be taking Music GCSE or have instrumental/singing and musical knowledge.

ON THE TASTER DAY YOU CAN ASK OUR TUTORS ABOUT APPRENTICESHIPS AVAILABLE IN THIS AREA.

VOCATIONAL & T LEVEL COURSES
ART & DESIGN
Art & Design Level 1/Level 2
Creative Practice Art & Design Level 3
Creative Practice 3D Design Level 3
Creative Practice Fashion Design Level 3
Creative Practice Graphic & Visual Communication Level 3
Creative Practice Photography Level 3
BUSINESS
Skills for Business Level 2
Leadership & Management T Level (Level 3)
Marketing T Level (Level 3)
CONSTRUCTION
Bricklaying
Carpentry & Joinery
Electrical Installation Level 2 & T Level (Level 3)
Painting & Decorating
Plumbing Level 2
Construction Design, Surveying & Planning T Level (Level 3)
DIGITAL & MEDIA
Creative Computing, Media & Games Level 1
Computing & Games Development Level 2
Computer Games Development Level 3
Digital Software Development/Digital Support & Security T Level (Level 3)
Creative Media Production & Technology Level 2
Creative Media Production & Technology Level 3
Media, Broadcast & Production (Content Creation & Production) T Level (Level 3)
EARLY YEARS & EDUCATION
Childcare & Early Years Level 1/Level 2
Education & Early Years T Level (Level 3)
ENGINEERING
Performing Engineering Operations AND Foundation Engineering & Manufacturing Level 2
Engineering & Manufacturing T Level AND Advanced Manufacturing Engineering Level 3

ESOL
ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) Entry Level
ESPORTS
Esports - Business & Digital Innovation Level 2/Level 3
HAIR, BEAUTY & MEDIA MAKE-UP
Hairdressing/Barbering
Beauty Therapy
Hair & Media Make-up
HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE
Health & Social Care Level 1/Level 2
Social Care Level 3
Health T Level (Level 3)
HOSPITALITY
Hospitality Services
HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES
Legal Services T Level (Level 3)
MOTOR VEHICLE
Motor Vehicle
PERFORMANCE & PRODUCTION
Music Performance & Production Level 2/Level 3*
Performance & Production Level 1
Acting Level 2/Level 3
Dance & Musical Theatre Level 3
Events & Venues Technician T Level (Level 3)
SCIENCE
Science T Level (Level 3)
SKILLS & INCLUSION
Pathways to Work & Independent Living (Entry Level - only for students with an EHCP)
SPORT & UNIFORMED SERVICES
Gym Instructor & Personal Training
Sports Coaching incl York RLFC Performance Programme
Sport & Exercise Science
Uniformed Services
TRAVEL & TOURISM
Travel & Tourism Level 2/Level 3

If no Level is specified after the Vocational subject, the tutors will cover all levels available in this area.