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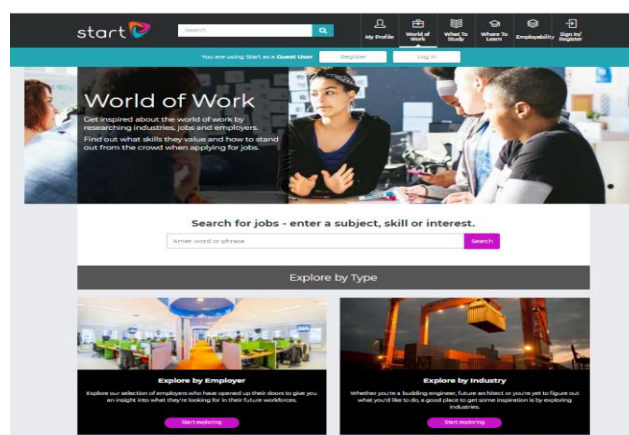
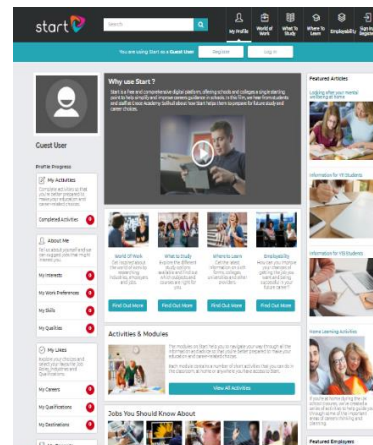
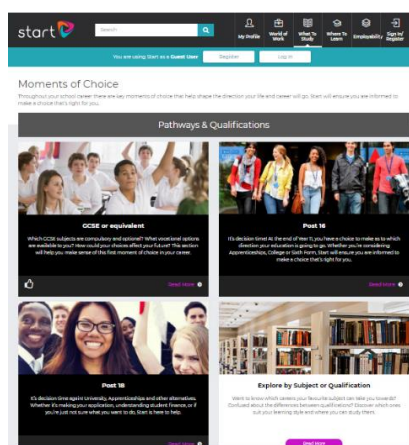
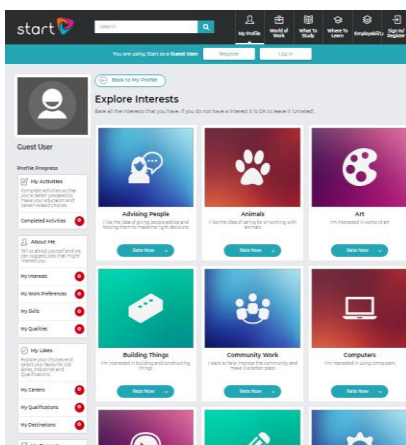
Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the June/July bulletin. The last one before the summer break which is aimed mainly at Year 10's. Hopefully by now your son / daughter has been able to access the online information on careers, colleges and apprenticeships through the Start website in P.S.H.E.

The Start online careers platform has supported the Year 10 Careers programme this year as this is usually the busiest year for accessing information, events and having career experiences to guide and support their future choices. However, due to Covid 19 this has hindered their opportunities to experience careers events.

-Careers at Testwood-

Parents can also access and register (free) to use the Start online careers website either for your own use or to see what information is available for your child. You are NOT linked to your child's information.



Helpful video link: <https://careers.startprofile.com/page/parents>

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--College information and updates--

Peter Symonds College

As the end of the academic year approaches we wanted to ensure you have all our current news ready for the start of next year.

Key Dates for Year 11 students Applications

- Applications Open for Sept 2022 entry on 13th September 2021 and the closing deadline for applications is 13th December 2021
- Boarding Applications open for Sept 2022 entry on 13th September 2021 and the closing deadline for applications is 8th November 2021

Open Evenings

- Monday 18th October 2021 - 5.30-8.30pm (planned as a live event)
- Tuesday 19th October 2021 - 5.30-8.30pm (planned as a live event)

Hampshire Specialist Music Course

- Monday 11th October at 6pm (virtual event)

Welcome Day for Year 11 students who accept an offer with Peter Symonds

- Thursday 23rd & Friday 24th June 2022

Key dates for Year 10 (current) students

Wednesday 6th July [2022 - 5.30 8.30pm](#)

Thursday 7th July 2022 - 5.30-8:30pm

Brockenhurst College

For your information, the dates of the Brock Autumn Open Events are:

Saturday 9 October – 10-2pm

Thursday 21 October – 4-8pm

Saturday 13 November – 10-2pm

The new Brock prospectuses will be available from early September.

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Sparsholt College.

<https://www.sparsholt.ac.uk/opendays/>

College updates:

In light of the current situation there are a number of Covid cases within Hampshire, therefore in the foreseeable future I would suggest you and your child go direct to the College website on choice. In some cases, if you register with them, they will put you on their direct emailing list for future possible applicants with updates.

You can get to ALL the College websites through our school website. See the link below;

<https://www.testwoodschool.co.uk/college-links>

Totton College.



The poster is for Totton College's open events. It features a dark blue background with a large, stylized 'T' logo on the left and a circular burst of colorful dots on the right. The text is primarily white and yellow. The main headline is 'BE WHO YOU WANT TO BE' in large, bold letters. Below this, there are two columns of dates and times for open events. At the bottom, there is contact information, opening times, and logos for partner organizations like matrix, Nacro, and Ofsted.

T **T** #BeWhoYouWantToBe

OPEN EVENTS

Thursday 9 September 2021 17:30–19:30	Thursday 18 November 2021 17:30–19:30
Saturday 25 September 2021 10:00–12:00	Saturday 29 January 2022 10:00–12:00
Tuesday 12 October 2021 17:30–19:30	Tuesday 21 June 2022 17:30–19:30

Book now: totton.ac.uk/events

OPENING TIMES
Term time:
Mon, Thu & Fri 8:30–17:30
Tue & Wed 8:30–21:00
Non-term time:
Mon–Fri 8:30–16:30

Call 023 8087 4874
Email info@totton.ac.uk
Web: totton.ac.uk

Water Lane, Totton, Southampton SO40 3ZX
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WELCOME TO TOTTON COLLEGE

Our mission is simple – we want you to **be who you want to be**. We want you to gain the skills you need to progress onto higher education, training or work.

We welcome you whether you are aged 16–18, 19+ or still at school and looking to discover more about your future options. That includes giving you a wealth of employability and enrichment opportunities to ensure you have the expertise required for your CV.

We collaborate with leading industry experts and local businesses to ensure our programmes provide the teaching, skills and learning opportunities you need for your future.

For those looking to progress in your existing career, or for those who are ready to take on a new challenge, we have a fantastic range of professional and part-time courses. In addition, our apprenticeship programmes allow new and existing employees to obtain their desired qualifications while working.

Please download and explore our prospectus, in particular the success stories which showcase the achievements of our past and current learners. Go to: totton.ac.uk/prospectus2022 or scan the QR code below.




Scan QR code for our 2022 Prospectus

Our courses cover the following subjects across various levels:

VOCATIONAL COURSES (16–18)

Entry 3 – Level 3

- Art & Design
- Beauty
- Care
- Childcare
- English
- Employability
- Hairstressing
- Health & Social Care
- Maths
- Media
- Motor Vehicle
- Music
- Public Services
- Sports
- Video Games

Entry 1 – Level 1

- Child, Health & Social Care
- Hair and Beauty
- Horticulture
- Hospitality & Catering
- Music
- Video Games
- Sport

APPRENTICESHIPS

Level 2 – Level 5

- Adult Care
- Business Administration
- Care Leadership & Management
- Customer Service
- Early Years
- Hair Professional
- Learning & Development
- Team Leader/Supervisor
- Teaching Assistant
- Warehousing

PART-TIME, EVENING & ADULT

Entry 3 – Level 5

- Beauty
- Ceramics
- Functional Skills English & Maths
- GCSE English & Maths
- Hairstressing
- Reflexology
- Sports/Massage Therapy


Entry 1 – Level 1

- Everyday Living Skills
- Life, Independence and Social Skills
- Practical Work Skills
- Employment & Enterprise
- Junctions
- Supported Internships
- Vocational Studies
- Vocational Hospitality
- Vocational Horticulture
- Vocational Retail
- Progress to Work/Life
- Futures

Due to the success of virtual lessons during lockdown, we have moved to a blended approach to learning, combining face-to-face delivery with virtual lessons where appropriate.

"The tutors at Totton are really encouraging, and give you all the time and attention you need. They also helped me sort out an apprenticeship."

Dan, Motor Vehicle learner



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RESOURCES FOR PARENTS

Our resources have been carefully selected to help you help your child make an informed choice about their next steps, whether they want to choose university or an apprenticeship.

Filter by category

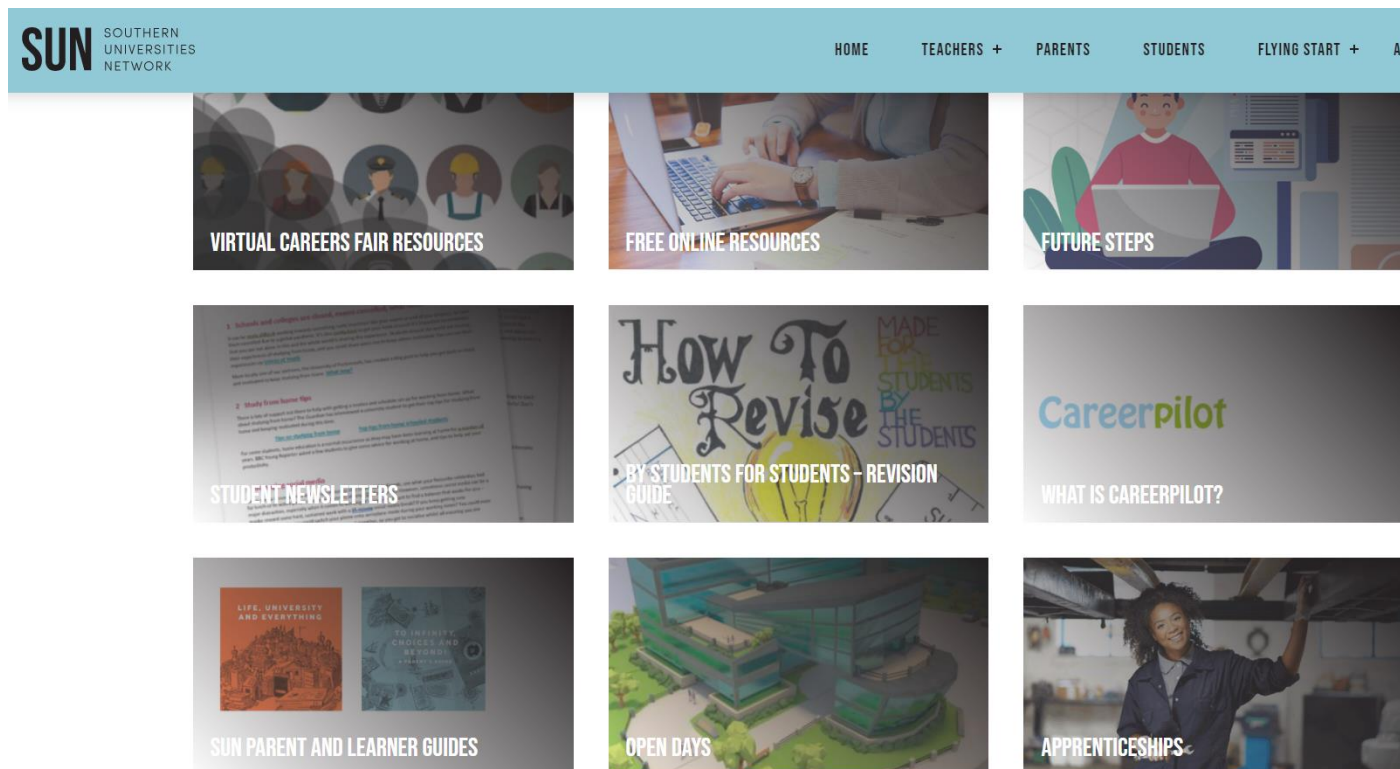


Resources for parents to help inform and give guidance.

<https://www.sunoutreach.org/parents/resources/>

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Student resources to support and guide them.

<https://www.sunoutreach.org/students/resources/>

All pupils were issued in June with a copy of the SUN parent and learner guide.

A reminder for Year 11's current Year 10 (2021-22): All college applications are usually submitted from pupils online by December to their colleges of choice.

If you have any concerns or questions, then please email me. If in the future, any parents would like to get involved with any of our careers events to help support our careers provision then please don't hesitate to contact me.

I hope that you all have an enjoyable and productive summer.

Take care and thank you for your ongoing support.

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