

NEWSLETTER

NEW COLLEGE SWINDON WEEKLY UPDATE FOR SCHOOLS

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Welcome to our fortnightly newsletter designed to keep you up to date with events, initiatives and application processes for September 2022 entry.

EVENTS

BOOK NOW FOR ONE OF OUR MARCH OPEN EVENINGS!

Come and visit our campuses, meet our lecturers and students, and find out more about courses and what life at College is like. We have two separate open evenings, one at each campus, so make sure that you check the courses offered at each, so you pick the right evening to attend.

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THURSDAY 17TH MARCH
5-7pm, North Star Campus

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WEDNESDAY 30TH MARCH
5-7pm, Queens Drive Campus

BOOK NOW!

www.newcollege.ac.uk/upcoming-events

SPOTLIGHT

SOCIAL SCIENCES A LEVEL PATHWAY

Our focus this week is on our Social Sciences A Level pathway – core subjects include Criminology, Politics, Psychology and Sociology. Last year we saw 55 New College students go on to study a Social Science course at University. Some of the universities included University College London (UCL), Royal Holloway London, University of Exeter, Cardiff University, University of Bristol and more.

Employability and progression routes are incredibly good, as of 2021, the public sector employs 5.67 million workers. Typical career paths after studying a social sciences course include: Criminologist, Social worker, Clinical psychologist, Civil service, Teaching Immigration, Customs and Border roles. Starting salary for a trainee clinical / educational psychologist is £30,401.

There are many opportunities to engage in events and trips within your courses. In October 2021 Criminology students had the opportunity to visit University of Gloucestershire for a tour of the campus, to attend Criminology and Policing lectures and to take part in a mock Crime Scene Investigation.

For Parliament Week, A Level Government and Politics students received a visit from MP Robert Buckland for a Q&A, which gave the students a chance to voice their opinions and find out more about Robert's views.

JOAN GICHEHA

Previously studied **A Levels in Sociology**, and **Government and Politics** as part of her study programme with us.

"I CHOSE TO STUDY AT NEW COLLEGE BECAUSE OF THE FREEDOM YOU GET, IT PREPARES YOU FOR UNIVERSITY. SOCIOLOGY IS A GREAT SUBJECT AND SOMETHING THAT WAS NOT AVAILABLE AT SIXTH FORM."



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T-LEVELS

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE T LEVEL HEALTH STUDENTS WHO COMPLETED THEIR CORPORATE INDUCTION AND HCA TRAINING.

They are now ready to start their placements at GWH and Moredon Medical Centre where they will continue their learning journey alongside healthcare professionals, completing 315 hours of placement!



Sandstorm Films very kindly donated an Arri Alexa camera to the college, which is the industry standard cinema camera, used on 70% of Hollywood films.

Thanks to Sandstorm Films, this will be an excellent piece of equipment for film/media students to have the opportunity to work with.



LEVEL 3 ANIMAL MANAGEMENT STUDENTS WERE RECENTLY PRACTISING THEIR ECOLOGY SKILLS, AFTER WOODLAND TRUST SUPPLIED THE DEPARTMENT WITH SOME TREES.

Their plan is to plant a lovely native hedgerow around the new outside enclosures, to increase biodiversity and to give shelter to the animals within.



THE FANTASTIC POLAR PREET CAME INTO NEW COLLEGE TO HOST A TALK FOR OUR STUDENTS.

Captain Preet Chandi was the first woman of colour to complete the 700 miles solo trek to Antarctica - what an inspiration.

Level 1 Health and Social Care students loved the talk and even prepared a display board for the talk!



BTEC LEVEL 3 CREATIVE PRACTICE:



Textiles & Fashion students took a trip to the Swindon Museum and Art Gallery to take part in a curation event for their new venue at The Civic Offices.



APPRENTICESHIPS CURRENT VACANCIES

If you're considering undertaking an Apprenticeship, we have a regular list of current vacancies available at <https://www.newcollege.ac.uk/apprenticeships/current-vacancies>. Year 11s will be able to gain an idea of the sort of thing likely to be available to them next year.

ACCOUNTING / FINANCE

Level 2 Accounts Assistant Vacancy
Four Season Fruiterers

EARLY YEARS

Level 3 Early Years Educator Vacancy
Annabelles Day Nursery Limited

ENGINEERING

Level 3 Engineering Technician (Mechatronics Pathway) Vacancy ^{x2}
CBRE GWS Limited

Level 3 Engineering Machinist Vacancy ^{x2}
OTE Precision Engineering UK Ltd

Level 3 Electrical Design Engineer Vacancy
Itel Electronics Limited

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Level 3 Business Administration Vacancy
Nuvias Ltd

Level 3 Business Administration Vacancy
UPS Systems Plc

Level 3 Business Administration Vacancy
Pulse Power and Measurement Limited

Level 3 Business Administration Vacancy
Point2Point IT Limited

Level 3 Early Years Educator Vacancy
Joanne Louise Paton

Level 3 Early Years Educator Vacancy
Poplars Day Care Nursery & Pre-School

Level 3 Early Years Educator Vacancy
Cricklade Manor Prep School

Level 3 Early Years Educator Vacancy
Tick Tock Playgroup

Level 2 Early Years Practitioner Vacancy
Joanne Louise Paton

HOSPITALITY / CATERING

Level 2 Commis Chef Vacancy
The Carpenters Arms

IT / DIGITAL

Level 3 Junior Content Producer Vacancy
Smarter Media Ltd

Level 3 Junior Content Producer Vacancy
Aligra Group Limited

Level 4 Data Analyst Vacancy
Corston Properties Limited

CUSTOMER SERVICE

Level 2 Customer Service Practitioner Vacancy
N D Services Ltd

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[HTTPS://WWW.NEWCOLLEGE.AC.UK/APPRENTICESHIPS/CURRENT-VACANCIES](https://www.newcollege.ac.uk/apprenticeships/current-vacancies)



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