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OPEN EVENING

WED 12TH NOV 5:30-7:30PM

UNIQUE, AFFORDABLE DEGREE-LEVEL COURSES THAT
WILL PUSH YOU TOWARDS YOUR DREAM CAREER.

NEW COLLEGE SWINDON UNIVERSITY CENTRE OPEN EVENING

It's never too late to get your degree, to learn more about your passions, or increase your earning power. Our inclusive, affordable centre offers a range of courses for anyone ages 18+.

Come to our Open Evening, Wednesday 12th November 5.30-7.30pm to find out more about what's on your doorstep.

Book here:

<https://eu1.hubs.ly/H0nvw4r0>



BOOK NOW AT:
switch@newcollege.ac.uk



SWITCH
SWINDON AND WILTSHIRE INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY CARE HUB

**MEN'S MENTAL HEALTH
AWARENESS COURSE**

MON 3RD NOV / 09:30 - 12:30 / £45 PER PERSON

SWITCH COURSES THIS MONTH

This November, New College Swindon is offering two engaging Switch courses focused on health and wellbeing. Running throughout the month, the College is supporting Movember with a Men's Mental Health Awareness Course on Monday 3rd November, from 9:30am to 12:30pm, priced at £45 per person.

Later in the month, to mark World Diabetes Day on Friday 14th November, the College will host a Diabetes Awareness Training session from 9:30am to 12:30pm, also £45 per person. Both sessions aim to raise awareness, promote understanding, and encourage positive wellbeing across the College community.

Book here:

www.newcollege.ac.uk/switch

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THE NCS GREEN TECHNOLOGY HUB IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS!

New College Swindon is proud to announce the official opening of its Green Technology Hub, a cutting-edge facility designed to drive innovation, sustainability, and skills development in the growing field of green industries.

The Hub will provide students, apprentices, and local employers with access to cutting-edge technology, including renewable energy systems, electric vehicle training equipment, and sustainable construction resources. This exciting new space, at the NCS North Star campus, represents a major investment in the future of Swindon's workforce, supporting the transition towards a low-carbon economy while offering hands-on learning experiences that prepare learners for modern, environmentally focused careers. The Green Technology Hub stands as a testament to the College's ongoing commitment to sustainability, education, and community growth.



NORTH STAR OPEN DAY

SAT 22 NOV 2025 10AM - 2PM

DON'T MISS OUT ON OUR BIGGEST OPEN EVENT OF THE YEAR!

NORTH STAR OPEN DAY

The North Star Campus Open Day is taking place on 22ND November.

It's a great opportunity to explore the facilities, meet tutors, and discover the wide range of courses and apprenticeships available. Whether you're planning your next steps or just curious about what we offer, come along, and see how New College Swindon can help shape your future.

Book here:

www.newcollege.ac.uk/event/north-star-open-day/

ATTEND OUR UPCOMING COLLEGE TASTER SESSIONS – DISCOVER YOUR FUTURE AT NEW COLLEGE SWINDON!

This November, we're opening our doors to all Year 9, 10, and 11 students for an exciting series of College Taster Sessions! It's the perfect opportunity to experience what college life is really like and get a true taste of the subjects you love. From hands-on activities to inspiring lessons led by our passionate lecturers, you'll see exactly what's taught at New College Swindon and why our students thrive. Come explore your future with us!

SIXTH

4/11/2025 17:30 - 19:30 (QUEENS DRIVE CAMPUS)

Are you mad about Maths, a budding Biologist, or an amazing Artist? Come and explore your passions at our upcoming Taster Evening! You'll be welcomed by our enthusiastic lecturers and invited to take part in interactive trial lessons that give you a real taste of what life is like as a Sixth Form student. This is your chance to experience our fantastic A Level programme, explore our cutting-edge facilities, and see how New College Swindon Sixth can help shape your future all right on your doorstep. We can't wait to meet you and help you take the first exciting step toward your next chapter!

AUTOMOTIVE AND ENGINEERING

6/11/2025 17:00 - 19:00 (NORTH STAR CAMPUS)

Ever wondered what goes on behind the scenes in a garage? Now's your chance to find out! Our hands-on automotive taster sessions are packed with practical activities that put you in the driver's seat of vehicle maintenance. Learn how to check oil levels, coolant, tyre pressure, and lights on a real demo car, then take on the Tool Identification Challenge, can you match each tool to its use under pressure? Watch a live tyre change demonstration and try your hand at using a jack and wheel brace safely. After this, you will be able to step into the world of modern engineering with our hands-on Computer-Aided Design (CAD) taster session! After a quick introduction to CAD and its role in real-world design, you'll follow a guided tutorial to create your own simple part think gears, brackets, or wheel rims. Then it's your turn to get creative: personalize your design and see how it could be brought to life with 3D printing!

BUSINESS, FINANCE, DIGITAL & ESPORTS

13/11/2025 17:00 - 19:30 (NORTH STAR CAMPUS)

If you're serious about building a career in business or finance, don't miss this opportunity to get ahead! Think you know your business logos? Put your brand knowledge to the test in our fast-paced Logo Quiz! From global giants to clever start-ups, can you spot the brand from just a symbol or a snippet? This fun, interactive challenge will get you thinking about the power of branding and give you a taste of what T Level Business is all about. In the Finance T Level taster, you'll dive into the fast-paced world of financial services. Learn how this course prepares you for roles such as Insurance Practitioner, Banking Analyst, or Financial Compliance/Risk Analyst. After this you will have the opportunity to step into the exciting world of esports by drafting your own fantasy ESports team, creating a Team logo, and then playing some of our most popular ESports titles (Valorant, Rocket League + F1 sim-racing).



SUPPORTING T LEVEL FINANCE STUDENTS

Is your school looking for fresh energy, practical support, and a chance to inspire the next generation of professionals? Hosting a T Level Finance student could be the perfect solution.

T Levels are high-quality technical qualifications that combine classroom learning with meaningful industry placements. Our Finance students are eager, well-prepared, and ready to make a real contribution to your school's operations, whether it's supporting budgeting tasks, helping with financial reporting, or assisting in administrative roles.

By welcoming a student into your team, you'll not only gain valuable support but also play a vital role in shaping their future. It's a win-win for schools and students alike.

We have a fantastic group of motivated learners ready to get started, could your school be their next placement? If so, please register your interest by emailing your Liaison link person, or to admissions@newcollege.ac.uk

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THIS MONTH YOU WILL SEE THE SCHOOL LIAISON TEAM AT:

ST JOHNS MARLBOROUGH

Tue 4 Nov 2025 10:45-11:05

FARMORS SCHOOL

Wed 5 Nov 2025 08:15-12:30

ST LUKES

Thu 6 Nov 2025 10:00-11:00

SHELDON SCHOOL

Thu 6 Nov 2025 12:35-13:15

JOHN O'GAUNT

Fri 7 Nov 2025 08:45-09:10

EOTAS (LEGEND'S LOUNGE STFC)

Thu 13 Nov 2025 09:00-13:00

UTC - SWINDON

Tue 18 Nov 2025 11:00-17:00

RIDGEWAY

Wed 19 Nov 2025 10:00-15:00

FARINGDON COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Wed 26 Nov 2025 10:00-13:00

BRADON FOREST

Wed 26 Nov 2025 09:15-13:00

LAWN MANOR

Thu 27 Nov 2025 All day



INTERVIEWS FOR SEPTEMBER 2026 APPLICANTS

We're pleased to announce that application interviews for those wishing to join us in September 2026 will begin at the start of November. To accommodate students' varying schedules, we're offering a range of interview slots, including daytime, after school and evening interviews

Once a learner completes their application, they'll be invited to select an interview slot. This flexible approach gives applicants the opportunity to choose a time that works best for them. However, please be aware that after school and evening interview slots are always in high demand and may fill up quickly.

All applicants will receive a confirmation email detailing the date, time, and venue of their interview.

We'd like to express our sincere thanks to all schools for their continued support in helping us connect with future learners.