



16th June 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 10 Yeovil College Taster Day Event – Wednesday 2nd July 2025

Your child has the exciting opportunity to be involved in a Year 10 Yeovil College Taster Day Event on Wednesday 2nd July. This is both organised and hosted by Yeovil College.

The taster day is an event that aims to get young people to explore subject choices that they may want to study in the future post Ansford. This is also a fantastic opportunity to experience a day in the life of a college student.

All students will attend taster sessions that they have already chosen. This is not about them limiting their thinking and does not have to link to a job idea for the future; it is about exploring and discovering what you can do with the skills you have and the subjects you enjoy.

The itinerary for the day is as follows;

- Transport is being provided by Yeovil College. The timings are as follows: **Ansford Academy** - Leave Ansford 9am to arrive at Yeovil College for 9:30am start and return coach to Ansford to arrive for 3pm.
- Arrival at Yeovil College– gathering on the grass area to the front of the College.
- Welcome from 09:40 – welcome and dispersal to chosen taster session.
- School staff will accompany the students and remain on site throughout, and be in some of the sessions they are doing.
- The final session finishes at 14:20. Students will meet on the front lawn area ready for transport back. This will enable the students to return to Ansford in time to leave as normal.

Dress Code:

- ALL students should be in their own clothes. It is not required to wear Ansford Uniform.
- If they are involved in a sporting/Uniformed Public Services /Performing Arts activity, they can wear their school PE kit if they choose.
- ALL should be prepared to get involved in their chosen activity and PPE will be provided where necessary. **Please note that some activities may be a bit messy.**

Lunch

- Students should bring their own packed lunch or money for the Yeovil College canteen. For students in receipt of Free School Meals, a packed lunch will be provided for them.

Cost

- There is no charge for this trip.



It is expected that all Year 10 students will take part in the trip, we ask that by **Monday 23rd June**, you provide your consent to your child attending this event via School Gateway. Should you have any issues using this system, please contact hmartin@ansford.mnsp.org.uk.

Should you have any questions regarding this event, please do not hesitate to contact me at bwillson@ansford.mnsp.org.uk

Yours faithfully

Mr B Willson
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