

PETROC NEWS LETTER

September 2024



HELLO!

Welcome back! We hope you had a lovely summer holiday and are looking forward to a new year of learning and opportunities.

INTRODUCING OUR NEW INTERIM PRINCIPAL

Hello

I'm Kurt, the new Interim Principal at Petroc. I hope you're all getting back into the swing of things and feeling ready to tackle your last year of school with energy and focus. I've worked in colleges across the country, and I'm passionate about ensuring everyone has the chance to receive a great education.

I wish you a fantastic Year 11 and look forward to meeting you, should you choose to continue your studies with us here at Petroc.



OPEN EVENTS

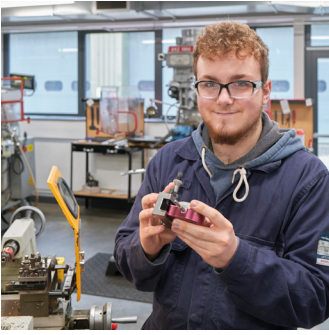
Over the next few months, we are holding a series of Open Events that we will invite you to attend. Come and speak with our lecturers about the different options available to you, see our workshops and ask any questions that you may have. Our team is on hand to assist you as you progress through Year 11 and onto your future steps. Please see below for the up and coming Open Events for this academic year:

Wednesday 6 November 2024: 5.00-8.00pm

Thursday 5 December 2024: 5.00-7.30pm

Wednesday 29 January 2025: 5.00-7.30pm

Saturday 22 March 2025: 10.00am-1.00pm



YEAR 11 ASSEMBLIES

We will be visiting your school soon, to give an assembly about what to expect going into Year 11 and how we will support you, so should you have any questions you can ask them during our visit.

Representatives from our School Liaison Team, will also be available for drop-in sessions throughout the year to discuss future routes with you. Please contact your careers lead if you would like to arrange an appointment.

NEW BEGINNINGS

Over the summer we have had lots of exciting changes taking place at Petroc, from building work starting on our new Animal Care Centre, to local tradesmen refreshing our classrooms - all ready for an exciting September start! We have also had a new greener heating system installed to continue our mission to be as environmentally friendly as we can!

Here is a sneak peek of the new Animal Care Centre!



WHAT HAVE OUR STUDENTS BEEN UP TO?

We saw some amazing results on Results Day and here are what a few of our students had to say about their time at Petroc:



Daisy Sharrock - Braunton Alumni - T Level Design, Surveying and Planning for Construction

"This course has allowed me to go to university and study architecture. The lecturers were very friendly, down to earth and approachable - all the good stuff! The course was brilliant and I would definitely recommend it to anyone interested, it was 100% worth it!"

Tabitha Andrews - Pilton Alumni - A Levels: Chemistry, Biology, Sociology & Computer Science

"I'm going to Cardiff Uni to do a Degree in Sociology. I hadn't done GCSE Sociology, but at an open day I loved it from the word go.

The lecturers are amazing at Petroc and give you so much support, especially with the UCAS process."



Jayden Comer - Park Alumni - A Level Business, Geography, Economics

"All three of my lecturers were incredible, they have close relationships with their students. All of them are amazing at teaching, you can tell they're passionate about their topics with what they teach. I've really enjoyed my time here."

FINAL THOUGHTS

If you require any further support or would like a tour or visit of the campus, please contact schoolliaison@petroc.ac.uk and we can arrange a convenient time.

Best wishes,

Heather & Aimee

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