When are the college taster days?

You need to go
onto each
college's website
to book onto the
taster days

The websites are on the next slide!

East Sussex College

Thurs 19th June - Hastings (ESCC)

Wed 25th June - Lewes (ESCC)

Thurs 26th June - Eastbourne (ESCC)

Tues 8th July & Wed 9th July - Plumpton college

Wednesday 9th July - Bexhill College

How do I book onto the taster days?

Click on each of the links to sign up to the taster days!



You need to go onto the college websites and book onto the taster days

East Sussex (Hastings, Eastbourne and Lewes)
https://www.escq.ac.uk/whats-on/taster-days/

Bexhill College

https://www.bexhillcollege.ac.uk/taster-daystours/

Plumpton College

Year 10 Taster Day (2026 Entry) - Plumpton College

Letter sent home

Bexhill Academy staff will be in attendance at the colleges to give students any help that may be required, however, it is expected that the students are independent on this day, and that the day is organised and staffed by the college and <u>not</u> Bexhill Academy staff.

The students will be representing the school and expected to follow the rules of the school even when on the college site. The colleges own rules must also be strictly adhered to.



Any unexpected absences will be reported directly to the school. The staff in attendance include our own teaching assistants who will be supporting students who access extra learning support. However if a young person makes it clear to us that they wish to be independent of this extra help on the day, we will respect their wishes.

College Taster Days - 2024

Students attending a Taster Day are not expected to wear school uniform, but instead wear clothing suitable for a college environment, and for the activities selected. If students select a sport course, they must wear suitable sportswear.

Students will be able to purchase snacks and refreshments from the college coffee shop if they wish, or they can bring their own food and drinks. If you are entitled to a free school lunch, please let us know at least two days in advance and we will arrange for a packed lunch to be taken over. Please contact the school by phone, e-mail or letter if this is the case. If no contact is made, we will assume you are making your own arrangements regarding food and drink.



Students will be expected to make their own travel arrangements to the relevant colleges as we believe that this is an important step for them. Each of the colleges has information on their own website which gives clear information as to how to get to them, including maps.

College Taster Days - 2025

Students Attending Sussex Coast College only

Due to the fact that the college is in two different sites, there may be times during the day when students are transported from one location to another in one of the college minibuses. The students must wait and be attentive as they will miss their transport if they are not on time.

Additionally you may notice on the East Sussex Colleges Taster Day webpage that some students will have completed their chosen option sessions prior to 14:45. They will be allowed to leave the college to make their way home, or will be welcome to stay and wait for their friends if they prefer.



If you are not attending a College Taster Day they will be expected to attend school as usual, and in full uniform.

Students Attending Sussex Coast College only

Due to the fact that the college is in two different sites, there may be times during the day when students are transported from one location to another in one of the college minibuses. The students must wait and be attentive as they will miss their transport if they are not on time.

Additionally you may notice on the East Sussex Colleges Taster Day webpage that some students will have completed their chosen option sessions prior to 14:45. They will be allowed to leave the college to make their way home, or will be welcome to stay and wait for their friends if they prefer.



If you are not attending a College Taster Day they will be expected to attend school as usual, and in full uniform.

College Taster Days - 2025

Enjoy the day

Have a go at everything and embrace every opportunity

Ask questions



What do I
do if I have
questions
about taster
days?

If you have any questions, you can ask any of
the following people:
Your tutor
Mrs Browning
Mrs Deeprose
Mr Rogers
Mr Starkey

All of these people will be happy to help you with the taster days!

