



Devizes School & Sixth Form College

Raising aspirations, building futures

Masterclasses

We regularly invite professionals and employers to the school to give hands-on master classes in their profession in craft. This creates an engaging and fun class for our students while giving them practical knowledge that they wouldn't learn otherwise.

Primarily, the masterclasses are focused on practical, hands-on activities designed to help students develop their practical skill sets. Organisations who host the

workshops have control over the activities that take place - the materials used, the lessons taught, and the skills learned - meaning the workshop can be tailored to reflect the work that takes place in their industry.

We will work with you to design a masterclass session to ensure that students are engaged throughout and the business leaders have enough time to interact with and guide each individual student.

Mutual Benefits

Many sectors struggle to fill vacancies with candidates who possess the right skills to perform in the role. This leads to expensive training and long introductory periods before new employees are ready to contribute.

Masterclasses are a great way to introduce the next generation to the key skills your employees need. Not only will this improve the standard of candidates for your future vacancies, but it also minimises the cost of training should you employ a student at your company.

Correspondingly, these masterclasses equip students with valuable hands-on experience as well as practical skills that they may not otherwise learn. At Devizes, we focus on increasing the employability of our students, and diversifying their skill set is a great way to do it.

How to Get Involved

Get in touch with the school office on **01380 724 886** or email Rachel Edwards at redwards@devizes.wilts.sch.uk to find out when our next alternative curriculum day is taking place. You can then choose a 50 - 100 minute time-slot to conduct your workshop. When devising the activities taking place during the workshop, please check that the resources and materials you wish to bring are permitted for use inside the school.