

Sixth Form@ TCC

Miss Bell Head of Sixth



Your Choices after Year 11?

At the end of Year 11 you have a huge range of choices over where to go next

- A Level courses
- Diploma or T Level vocational courses
- Apprenticeships
- Armed Forces



Do I have to stay in education or training?

You must then do one of the following until you're 18:

- stay in full-time education, for example at a college
- start an [apprenticeship](#) or [traineeship](#)
- spend 20 hours or more a week working or volunteering, while in part-time education or training

Source: www.Gov.uk

Our 6th Form

Why Stay for Sixth Form? Because Here, You're More Than Just a Number.

Choosing to stay at our Sixth Form means choosing a place where you're known, supported, and empowered. In a smaller Sixth Form, you're not lost in the crowd—you're at the heart of a community that genuinely cares about your success.

- Tailored Support:** Our teachers know you, your strengths, and your goals. That means personalised guidance, one-on-one mentoring, and academic support that's built around *you*.

- Leadership Opportunities:** In a smaller setting, you'll have more chances to lead—whether that's in the College Leadership team enrichment activities or representing the school at events. Your voice matters here.





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- Strong Relationships:** You'll continue learning alongside peers you trust, with staff who've supported you through your journey so far. That continuity builds confidence and a sense of belonging.
- Focused Learning Environment:** Smaller class sizes mean more interaction, deeper discussions, and better feedback. It's a space where your ideas are heard and your progress is closely nurtured.
- Pathways to Success:** Whether you're aiming for university, apprenticeships, or the world of work, we'll help you get there—with tailored career advice, UCAS support, and connections to real opportunities.

"I stayed because I knew I'd be supported—and I was. I got into my first-choice university. My experience was that it was inclusive and personal because of the small cohort size, and I would recommend to everyone especially if they're not sure what they want to do." — P.W Sixth Form Student 2025





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Our 6th form Team.....

Miss Bell – Head of Sixth Form

Mrs Singleton – Sixth Form Admin support and Work Experience Co-ordinator

Mrs Lear Sixth Form Safeguarding and Pastoral Support

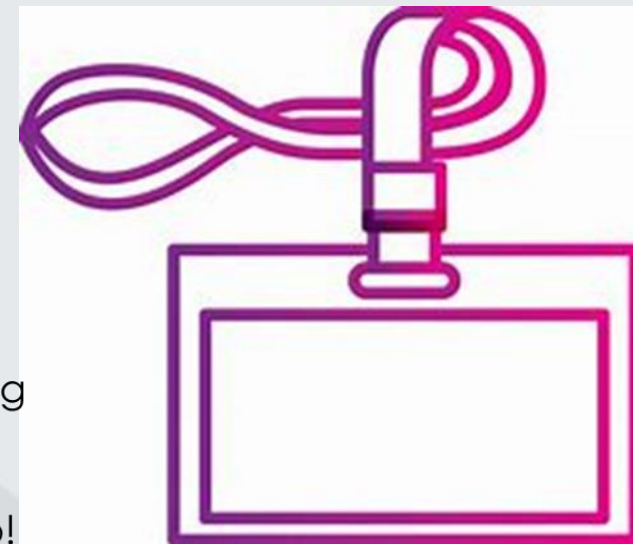
Mrs Seaman Year 13 Tutor

Mrs Lear Year 13 Tutor

Mrs Wilson Year 12 Tutor

Miss Murphy Year 12 Tutor

Purple TCC Post 16
Lanyards for easy
identification, safeguarding
and ID cards for discounts
in many shops/outlets for
students. Print release chip!



Mobile Phones and Sixth Form students?

Sixth Form students have the privilege of bringing their mobile phones into College. However, we would really appreciate it if Sixth Form students could not use their phones in corridors or in lessons (unless directed by a member of staff or have permission from member of staff).





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Opportunities:

Exeter Scholars Programme – we have students currently applying and already on this programme with Exeter University.

Campus tours of Plymouth University and Marjons and Learn to Live event for young drivers. UCAS Fair Exeter Westpoint trip.



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MARJON
UNIVERSITY

Post 16 Results 2025 – Some examples of Individual Students and their Post 18 destinations:

- **Ellie May** - Eng Lang, Psychology and Chemistry – **Psychology at Marjon University**
- **Molly** - Art, English Language and Psychology – **Costume Design at Arts University Plymouth**
- **Evie** – Biology, Chemistry and Physics – **Pharmacy Degree at Plymouth under Bath Uni.**
- **Ruby**- History, Psychology and Geography – **Sociology Degree at Plymouth.**
- **Seb** – Art, Geography and Media – **Graphic Design, Arts University Plymouth**
- **Josh R** – Biology, Physics and Chemistry – **Marine Biology, Plymouth**
- **Katie** – History, Eng Literature and Psychology – **Archaeology +Ancient History, Royal Holloway**
- **Flynn** – English Lit, Media and History –**History at Plymouth University**
- **Maddie** – Cam Tec Sport and Geography –**Secondary Teaching in PE, Marjon University**
- **Paige**- Biology, English Language and Psychology –**Primary Education , Marjon University**
- **Amelia** – Maths, Physics and Chemistry – **Maths at Plymouth University**
- **Phoebe**- Media-**Law with Foundation Year, Keele University**

Potential Subject Blocks at TCC for September 2026...



Proposed Option Blocks September 2026				
Option A	Option B	Option C	Option D	Additional Option
Art & Design ☐	History ☐	Media Studies ☐	Drama ☐	Core Maths ☐
Biology ☐	Chemistry ☐	Physics ☐	Mathematics ☐	
English Literature ☐	*CAMTEC Sport ☐	*CAMTEC Sport ☐	Psychology ☐	
Geography ☐		English Language ☐	Spanish ☐	

Torpoint Sixth Form Open Evening...

- An opportunity to speak to every subject specialist about what you could study in the Sixth Form here
- Current students will describe their experiences with us
- Information from Duchy College and Marjon.



There will be refreshments available and a presentation by Miss Bell Head of Sixth Form. Post 16 Subject Leaders will be available to share course materials and to discuss the options and courses on offer. Careers advice from a range of organisations will be there to help too. There will also be opportunities to speak to current post-16 students and ask them about their courses.

Sixth Form Common Room



**SIXTH FORM
OPEN EVENING**
at **TCC**
Thursday 16th 2025
6-8pm October

An opportunity to come and find out about the courses on offer at Torpoint Sixth Form.



TCC Sixth Form – How is it different to being in Y7-11?

Sixth Form at TCC

Teaching and Learning at Post 16 – half termly reports and independent study times.

Common Room and downstairs of the Sixth Form block is exclusively for Y12 and 13 and has computers and a printer for study periods, a pool table for break and lunchtime usage and a well-equipped kitchen.

Reduced rate to use the YMCA **gym** for Sixth Form students.

Sixth Form students to wear their **purple lanyards** which also have a print release chip on them and enable student discount in numerous shops.

You can wear your **own clothes** that are appropriate for school- Sixth Form dress code.

Fridays P5 is an enrichment time for Post 16 – students can sign out at lunchtime as there are no timetabled lessons, they can of course stay on site if they want to.

Work Experience for all of Year 12, June 2026 – this could link to the subject that you hope to go on to study at university.

Visiting guests and speakers from universities, Open Day and UCAS Fair trips.

We guide you through the **UCAS** application process, check your Personal Statement and give you interview advice. Careers interview with Mrs Bray.

YEAR 12 & 13 SUMMER PARTY 2024

TORPOINT FOOTBALL CLUB
Friday 28th June

7:30-11PM
£19 per ticket

INCLUDES BUFFET, DISCO
& DRINK ON ARRIVAL.

Tickets available on
ParentPay.

TCC SIXTH FORM SOCIAL EVENTS

BURGER & QUIZ



EVENING
Thursday
24th October
Tickets: **£4**

Open to Staff and Sixth Form students.
Quiz teams of 6 people maximum.
Vegetarian option available.

Please purchase tickets from
Mrs Lear or on ParentPay.
Please state any
dietary requirements.

5-7pm

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YEAR 12 & 13 BOWLING TRIP

FRIDAY 6TH DECEMBER

LEAVING AT 1.30
ARRIVING BACK AT 5.30PM



2 games of bowling!
Sign up with Mrs Peach!



WE
WILL
ROCK YOU



What happens next...

- Return your **Application Form** by Friday 24th Oct to allow us to confirm the option blocks which will give as many students as possible their first choices.
- You can change your mind at any point during Year 11, and you can apply to as many places as you want to, look at all options available to you.
- All our current Year 11 students will have an **interview** with Miss Bell, Head of Sixth Form starting in October 2025. This will be an opportunity to discuss your plans post 16 and your application for Sixth Form here if applicable.
- **Open Evening** Thursday 16th October– come and speak to the subject teachers of all A level/CamTec subjects at TCC. Application forms and prospectus will be available here.
- Apply using the **Options Form**
- You will receive a **confirmation letter** in the Spring term following your mock exams.

Entry Requirements for TCC:

We would ideally expect a student joining Sixth form to have achieved at least Grade 5's in their chosen subjects for A Level. We also would expect a grade 5 at least in English and Maths at GCSE.

All applicants will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

Good luck, work hard and get those GCSE's, we look forward to you joining TCC Sixth Form, September 2026

Sixth Form Open Evening:

A few words from some of our Year 13 Student Leadership Team.....