

YEOVIL COLLEGE - JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Title: Artist in Residence - Volunteer Role

Department: Creative and Digital Industries

Responsible to: Head of Facility

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Yeovil College are seeking artists/ designers to work with staff and students within the Creative, Design Industries Department for the academic year 24/25. We particularly welcome graduates who have an interest in teaching and sharing their skills with students through practical/theoretical workshops.

During the residency programme, the selected artists and designers will have the opportunity to develop their own creative practices using the department's facilities along with opportunities to share skills through the delivery of workshops to staff and students.

The artist in residency would have to be present at least 2 mornings a week (this can be agreed on appointment) and deliver at least 3 hours of workshops a week in any specialist field. In return the artist in residency would be able to use our resources, space & equipment by booking in with the technicians weekly, and have a space/ opportunity to exhibit work, at our end of year Creative Showcase at The Sherborne.

The study programmes we run are (Levels 2, 3, Foundation, FdA):

- Art & Design
- Graphics & Photography
- Creative Media
- Digital Design & Media

Facilities available to you include:

- Laser cutter
- 3D printer
- High Spec Computers and Apple Macs with Adobe Suite
- VR Technology
- Printmaking studio (screen printing and print press)
- Art Studios
- Sculpture studio (ceramics, kiln)

- Fashion/Textiles Studio (heat press, sewing machines and overlockers)
- Photography Studio & Darkroom
- Green Screen & Media Suite

What we expect of you:

- Be on-site using the facilities and or studio space at least half a day a week – **over term time only**
- Deliver workshops (3 hours) – **over term time only**
- Attend research visit trips as to supervise students (as required).
- Appointment will be subject to DBS checks

What you get in return:

- Access to the department's facilities: All Facilities Above
- Dedicated area to work
- Mentoring by experienced members of staff.
- End of year exhibition to present outcome(s) of residency The Sherborne