

# FIND YOUR FEET 2021

### WEDNESDAY 7TH JULY



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### WHAT IS FIND YOUR FEET?

Are you fed up with video calls and virtual tours? Find Your Feet is your chance to visit our college and experience our vibrant atmosphere and amazing facilities. You will participate in subject taster sessions and discover our exciting student-led enrichment programmes where you will get to meet other likeminded students and more. This is your opportunity to get a feel of college life and it will help you make informed decisions about your future. So get involved, get informed and get inspired!

### WHEN IS FIND YOUR FEET?

Find Your Feet takes place on Wednesday 7th July between 8:45am - 3:15pm. Please arrive no later than 8:30am at the College's main reception.

# WHAT HAPPENS AT FIND YOUR FEET?

### A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION

You will experience taster sessions of up to three subjects that you have chosen to study at the college (the subjects you have chosen are in the attached letter). All Level 3 courses last for two years, so these sample sessions are an excellent way of helping you to make an informed decision.

### GO ONE STEP AHEAD

With so many subjects to choose from we realise you may want to sample more than three! Why not stay one step ahead and have a **Brain Booster** of another subject? This is optional and will run from 2.15pm – 3.15pm to help you further when making your course choices. If you would like to sample an additional subject, please contact us by **Monday 21st June**.

### PUT YOUR BEST FOOT FORWARD

Our enrichment fair will take place during lunch and this is your opportunity to discover the college's diverse Enrichment Programme and to take part in interactive activities, including henna painting and outdoor sport. Keep a look out for the ice cream van with a free treat just for you!

Attending Find Your Feet before starting in September really helped the move from school to college as it gave me more of an idea of what to expect.

> EMILIA FURREDDU Studied: A Level Biology, Philosophy & Psychology

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YOUR FIND YOUR FEET TIMETABLE WILL BE AVAILABLE TO VIEW ON CEDAR FROM MONDAY 5TH JULY

### **GET IN TOUCH:**

Let us know by giving us a call or sending us a message, including your NAME and DATE OF BIRTH, by Monday 21st June.

- 01782 854221
- <u>cedar.stokesfc.ac.uk</u>
- 🔀 <u>admissions@stokesfc.ac.uk</u>

**SUBJECT CHANGES:** If the subjects listed in the attached letter are not the subjects you'd like to sample at Find Your Feet then let us know by Monday 21st June.



### KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

GCSE RESULTS DAY 12th AUGUST

### WE'VE GOT YOU 12th-26th AUGUST

From finding out your results until enrolment at Sixth Form College our expert staff will be on hand to support and answer any questions that you may have. So pick up the phone or send us an email and remember we've got you! I loved the atmosphere that was presented to me at the Find Your Feet Event, there is such a strong sense of community.

> JEFFREY WATSON Studied: A Level French, Maths & Psychology

### COLLEGE ENROLMENT FROM 26th AUGUST

Keep an eye out for your enrolment appointment that we will send to you, by mid-July, through the post. This letter will tell you everything you need to know about your enrolment journey.

### THE BIG HELLO + START OF TERM 9th SEPTEMBER

In September we will welcome you to the College and you will begin your Sixth Form journey with us.

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### 6 REASONS TO FIND YOUR FEET AT THE SIXTH FORM COLLEGE:

#### HIGH QUALITY TEACHING IN STATE-OF-THE-ART FACILITIES

Visit our vibrant building and find out how the college can provide you with a learning environment in which you can thrive. Explore the Science Centre, topclass sports facilities, learning resource centres, high-quality studios, rehearsal and performing spaces and more.

### MORE THAN JUST QUALIFICATIONS

Discover how college life is an exciting mix of learning and personal enrichment. At Find Your Feet, you can explore all of the extra-curricular activities from sports, music-making, international visits, clubs and societies, and more at our enrichment fair.

### CARING COMMUNITY

Learn about the excellent support you will receive as a student including access to a college Counsellor, Progress Coaches, Career Advisors, financial and learning support as well as open-door access to teachers and support staff.

### **EXCELLENT RESULTS**

Find out about how excellent results and enrichment led personal development means that our graduates progress onto outstanding destinations. Learn about the High Achievers Programme that has been designed by Oxbridge graduates to help support students aspiring to study at prestigious destinations.

#### **FUTURE SUCCESS**

Gain knowledge on our Futures Programme and how this will give you the best preparation for progression onto competitive courses. Learn about how you can benefit from our extensive network of employer, alumni, university and career links.

#### OUR BROAD RANGE OF COURSES

Discover the subjects you have chosen through attending our sample sessions, you can even have a tiny taster of another subject to help you when making decisions about your progression.

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

#### CAN I TRY SUBJECTS THAT ARE DIFFERENT TO WHAT I HAVE APPLIED FOR?

You will be allocated subjects to try based on what you have stated on your application, however, you can change these subjects to suit you. To change subjects you will need to get in touch with us by **Monday 21st June**.

#### CAN I SAMPLE ANY ADDITIONAL SUBJECTS?

Yes, you can book in for a Brain Booster session which will take place towards the end of the day at Find Your Feet. You will need to book onto this, so get in touch to reserve your space.

#### AFTER FIND YOUR FEET CAN I CHANGE THE SUBJECTS I'VE APPLIED TO STUDY?

If after Find Your Feet you'd like to change the courses you want to study at the College, that's ok! We can amend your course choices right up to enrolment at the end of August. Remember, your final course choices are not confirmed until you enrol with us in August.



#### WHAT IF I CAN'T ATTEND FIND YOUR FEET?

Find Your Feet is taking place on Wednesday 7th July. If you cannot attend on the day please contact us by Monday 21st June. Our contact information can be found on page 4.

#### WHEN WILL I GET MY TIMETABLE FOR FIND YOUR FEET?

Your timetable will be available to view on Cedar from Monday 5th July. You will receive an announcement via text message and email when your timetable is ready to view.

### HOW DO I GET TO THE COLLEGE?

We're situated on Leek Road, a short walk from Stoke Railway Station, getting to us is easy whether that is on foot, by car, bus or train. You can plan your journey using: www.travelinemidlands.co.uk/

# MAKE YOUR MARK



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