

# WELCOME TO OUR OPEN DAY AT NEWRY CAMPUS

We're delighted that you're considering Southern Regional College and would like to extend a very warm welcome to our Newry Campus Open Day.

We know that when considering your next step, one of the most important things is to get a feel for the College and all the aspects of life and study that matter to you. That's why we've created a flexible Open Day experience that enables you to explore our campus, departments, facilities, and support services.

You can talk to our support staff in the Newry West Campus Foyer when you arrive, while also visiting staff and facilities in other areas of our Newry East and West Campuses.

We've created this handy guide for you to use to find out more about what each subject has on offer, to help you plan your time. Our Newry campuses are sprawling with many buildings, so please speak to a member of staff on arrival who will be happy to guide you to where you want to go.

## COLLEGE LIFE

College life is about more than just study. Our general information stands are manned by staff who can answer any questions you may have related to student life such as finance, learning support and careers.

You will also have the opportunity to apply to SRC while at Open Day!

Our support services staff will be available to talk to you in the Newry West Campus Foyer.

Area	Find out More
<b>Careers Guidance Service</b>	Perhaps you haven't yet decided on the best route for you and need some advice on what your next step may be. Our Careers staff are happy to help guide you to make the right choice.
<b>Learning Support Services</b>	We are committed to providing a safe, supportive, and welcoming learning environment for all our students. Our inclusive policies aim to promote active participation and seamless integration into College life. Our Learning Support team can help support all students to become independent learners.
<b>Student Finance</b>	Our Campus Services team will answer any finance related queries you may have. This may cover applying for higher education loans and grants or considering if you are eligible for Educational Maintenance Allowance.
<b>Admissions &amp; Online Applications</b>	The Admissions team are on hand to answer any questions you have around our application process. Should you wish to make your application while on campus at Open Day, we have laptops available, and our staff can help take you through this process.
<b>Project Based Learning</b>	Project Based Learning (PBL) is a teaching method in which students learn by actively engaging in real-world and personally meaningful projects. PBL is a very active part of the qualifications we deliver at SRC, helping you become more employable. Speak to the PBL team to find out more about how PBL can enhance your learning.
<b>Business Support Services</b>	Our Business Support team are available to answer any questions you may have about securing an employer as part of your educational journey, be this through an apprenticeship or higher-level apprenticeship. Speak to the team to find out how we can help.
<b>Student Engagement</b>	SRC Student Union hosts a series of events across the College throughout the academic year to ensure students have access to advice, information and resources to help both personally and academically. Speak to one of our Student Engagement Officers to discover how you can make the most of your College experience.

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# SUBJECT ACTIVITY

Check out our subject hubs to learn lots more about the course you are interested in studying. These hubs mirror the subject choices available at our Newry West and East Campuses, our Model Campus in Catherine Street and our Greenbank Campus.

Staff will give you an introduction to what our different subject areas have to offer, as well as giving you the chance to ask any questions you might have of our academic staff.

Subject Area	Find out More	Location
<b>FACULTY OF BUILDING TECHNOLOGY &amp; ENGINEERING</b>		
Agriculture & Horticulture	With a strong emphasis on practical skills development, our Agriculture and Horticulture team will be available to explain the broad range of subjects covered within these courses. Our courses will prepare you for life working on, or running, a modern farming enterprise or for careers in landscape, sports turf, edible or ornamental crop production and retail sectors.	Newry West Room NNW-0-39
Construction - Further & Higher Education	The construction industry has undergone a digital revolution and construction professionals need to combine digital skills with technical knowledge to function effectively in the industry. Our courses offer you these very skills to succeed in this ever-changing environment. Talk to our team to find out more. <b>Showcase: Equipment demo of our Quantity Surveying equipment, surveying drone, thermal imaging camera and CAD software.</b>	Newry West Room NNW-0-41
Construction - Brickwork/ Bricklaying, Plastering and Wall & Floor Tiling	Develop the skills and techniques needed to allow you to build brickwork and blockwork of all shapes and sizes. Our courses will teach you how to set walls and buildings, following instructions from foremen and architects. You might also be interested in learning about tiling and the techniques required to become a successful wall and floor tiler. Speak to our team about any questions you may have.	Newry West Room Exams Hall
Construction - Joinery & Carpentry	To be a carpenter and joiner you need to be good with your hands and enjoy working as part of a team. Our courses will train you to use a range of tools and machinery to a high standard while following strict safety procedures. <b>Showcase: View a display of woodworking joints</b>	Newry West Room Exams Hall
Construction - Painting & Decorating	Everyone knows what painters and decorators do, but the work they do in the construction industry is much more skilled than DIY. Oil rigs, bridges and steelwork need heavy duty coatings, while stately homes and five-star hotels need painters and decorators who can apply a wide range of wall coverings and paint systems to ceiling and wall areas. Sounds interesting? Talk to our staff to find out more.	Newry West Room Exams Hall
Construction - Plumbing	Plumbers play a vital role in modern life! From construction sites to residential homes, from installing sanitation systems and servicing boilers - the options are endless! Speak to our staff to find out more about this versatile career path.	Newry West Room Exams Hall
Electrical	Electrical students should have good practical hand skills, an eye for detail and be able to work well as part of a team. If this sounds like you, talk to our team to find out more. <b>Showcase: Watch our staff as they carry out inspection and testing of equipment</b>	Newry West Room Exams Hall
Engineering - Further & Higher Education	Offering courses right through to degree level, our qualifications recognise the rapid growth and changes occurring within engineering. We aim to provide students with the skills and knowledge to apply in an industrial environment. Our team can find the course that is right for you. <b>Showcase: View our students demonstrating how to carry out tasks on pneumatic equipment</b>	Newry West Room NNW-0-39
Engineering - Work Based Learning (Apprenticeships & Traineeships)	Talk to our staff about the range of apprenticeship and traineeship courses available within the field of engineering. Our courses are practical, giving students the skills needed to function in a fast moving, multi-skilled engineering industry. <b>Showcase: View a demonstration of equipment such as the virtual welder and riveter.</b>	Newry West Room Exams Hall
Motor Vehicle	There is a demand for skilled and qualified body and paint technicians for all types of vehicles and employers increasingly need committed, well trained and enthusiastic workers. By completing one of our motor vehicle courses, you will increase your skills, knowledge and performance and become a valuable team member. <b>Showcase: See an equipment demonstration including engine rig and diagnostic machine.</b>	Newry West Room Exams Hall
<b>FACULTY OF COMPUTING, DESIGN &amp; ACADEMIC STUDIES</b>		
Arts, Design & Crafts	Ranging from part time courses to full time degrees, our art and design team will showcase the range of courses on offer and provide you with an overview of the modules you may complete which may include fine art, photography, graphic design and textile design. <b>Showcase: Our students will demonstrate the laser cutting machine. You can also view an exhibition of our student's textiles work</b>	Newry West Rooms NNW-0-38, NNW-0-42, NNW-0-43
Computing & IT	With courses offered from further education to higher education, our computing & IT staff can help you secure the knowledge, skills and behaviours needed to succeed in the workplace. Our study programmes are designed to help you secure employment in the growing computing sector and address the increasing need for high quality professionals. <b>Showcase: Have a go at robotics and view an interactive demonstration on networking capability</b>	Newry West Rooms NNW-0-14
Games Development	These qualifications will enable you to develop the skills that will allow you to become part of the games, animation and VFX industry. This is an industry that makes £419bn+ per year - more than Hollywood and the music business! <b>Showcase: Get involved in animation and learn some of the techniques involved</b>	Newry West NNW-2-06
Media	The creative industries are an important growth area in the UK and Ireland. Our courses covers a broad range of media sectors including moving image, 2D and 3D animation, web authoring, graphics and sound. Check out the wide range of media courses we have available. <b>Showcase: View our studio facilities to get a feel for learning in a virtual environment</b>	Newry West Room NNW-2-05
<b>FACULTY OF HEALTH &amp; SCIENCE</b>		
Access Diploma in Adult Learning	The overall aim of the Access Diploma in Adult Learning is to provide a sufficiently broad education for adults who have few or no appropriate qualifications to enter higher education. It is a unique programme that provides a second chance for those who have missed out on earlier opportunities.	Newry West NNW-5-04

Childcare	With courses offered from Further Education to Higher Education, our staff can provide you with the knowledge, theory, and skills to help you prepare to work with children and young people, in a range of settings, including nurseries and day care. Come along and speak with our staff! <b>Showcase: Get involved in an early years literature demonstration and try out some practical skills for working with children and young people</b>	Newry East Room NNE-1-08 Demo Theatre
Counselling	Speak to our expert staff about the types of counselling courses available at SRC! We aim to provide individuals with theory and skills that will be useful in helping people in a range of professional and personal contexts. <b>Showcase: Join a lecture to hear all about what is involved in studying counselling</b>	Newry West Room NNW-3-05
English & History	Want to find out more about concepts and methodologies in the study of English literature and modern history? Now is your chance! Come and ask our staff any burning questions you have. <b>Showcase: Join a taster lecture and join the audience for a poetry reading</b>	Newry West Room NNW-3-07
Health and Social Care & Healthcare Practice	With the demand for qualified staff in our health and social care sector why not think about a course in this industry? Our team are available to speak to you about the courses on offer that can lead to a range of employment opportunities in the health care sector. <b>Showcase: Learn the basics of First Aid and using AED defibrillators. Have a go at taking clinical observations such as blood pressure and heart rate</b>	Newry East Room NNE-1-08 Demo Theatre
Science	Want to enter a career in the areas of laboratory and industrial science, forensic science, biomedical science, biological science, environmental biology, human health and nutrition, microbiology, nursing as well as other potential career pathways? Then speak to our science team to find out how SRC can take you there. <b>Showcase: Have a go at flame tests, dissections and hydrogen peroxide decomposition</b>	Newry West Room NNW-1-10
<b>FACULTY OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES</b>		
Accounting	From short part-time accounting courses through to higher education, our accounting team will offer advice on the knowledge, skills and workplace competencies required of accounting professionals.	Newry East 1st Floor Foyer
Beauty Therapy & Complementary Therapy	Beauty and complementary therapies teach the fundamentals of working within beauty related industries. Our courses cover many areas such as skincare, manicure, pedicure as well as health and safety and client care. Come along and see our excellent salon facilities and speak with our expert staff on how you can kick start your career in the beauty industry! <b>Showcase: View our make-up demonstrations</b>	Newry East Room NNE-1-01
Business, Marketing & Finance	Business studies, business administration and digital marketing are just some of the areas covered within the business studies department. These courses will enable you to develop a broad range of knowledge and skills for a career within any sector.	Newry East 1st floor foyer
Hairdressing & Barbering	Our Hair & Barbering courses are designed to provide you with the necessary skills and knowledge required to carry out hairdressing or barbering services. Our students practice and perform on paying clients in a real working environment as well as learning the science of hairdressing and barbering. <b>Showcase: View our hair-up demonstrations</b>	Newry East Room NNE-1-04
Hospitality & Professional Cookery	Front of house, back of house, management and professional cookery are just some of the careers on offer for those who choose to study hospitality or professional cookery. Come and speak to our highly qualified team who are keen to showcase the huge and diverse job opportunities available in this dynamic sector. <b>Showcase: View cookery demonstrations and try out some of the food. You can also see a barista demonstration and learn how to set up a restaurant for service.</b>	Newry East The Graduate Restaurant
Management and CIPD	Study programmes are offered in human resources and business management for those who are aspiring managers right through to strategic leaders. Our courses will offer you the opportunity to gain knowledge and encourage critical and innovative thinking on how best to manage/lead an organisation.	Newry East 1st floor foyer
Sports Studies	With our fitness industry thriving, now is your chance to our hear about the range of part-time and full-time sports courses available at SRC. We offer various pathways, from those who are keen to move into coaching and development to those who wish to study the science of sport. Speak to our expert staff to find out which pathway is right for you. <b>Showcase: View our top of the range fitness suites and see fitness testing in practice</b>	Newry East Rooms NNE-2-01 & NNE-2-03
Travel & Tourism	The tourism industry has shown immense growth and development over these last few years, and the employment opportunities are vast. Our travel and tourism courses deliver wide-ranging study of the travel and tourism industry and are designed for students who wish to pursue or advance their career in the sector.	Newry East The Graduate Restaurant

## OTHER SRC OPEN DAYS

<b>Banbridge Campus</b>	<b>Tuesday 07 March 2023</b>	<b>5-7pm</b>
<b>Armagh Campus</b>	<b>Thursday 09 March 2023</b>	<b>5-7pm</b>
<b>Lurgan Campus</b>	<b>Thursday 09 March 2023</b>	<b>5-7pm</b>