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T-LEVELS

Overview of BPC and T Levels.

Trailblazing Employer Engagement

The Trailblazers: T Level Student Panel

**What does
Bournemouth
& Poole College
do?**

**We're a further
education college,
serving 16-18s,
apprentices and
adults studying up
to degree level**

**Bournemouth
& Poole College**

- **We serve 9,000+ learners a year.**
- **Working with 1,000+ employers each year.**
- **Rated Good by Ofsted (2022).**
- **Bringing around £27m of government funding for skills into the area to benefit local people and businesses each year.**



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& Poole College**

We embrace careers in virtually every sector of the economy:

- **Service Industries**

- Beauty
- Hairdressing
- Hospitality & Catering
- Sport
- Uniformed Public Service

- **Business and Finance**

- Business
- Accounting
- ESOL
- Travel & Tourism

- **Science, Care & Foundation**

- Health & Social Care
- Childcare
- Science and Social Sciences
- Foundation studies

- **Engineering**

- Mechanical engineering
- Electronic engineering
- Marine engineering & electrical
- Welding
- Automotive

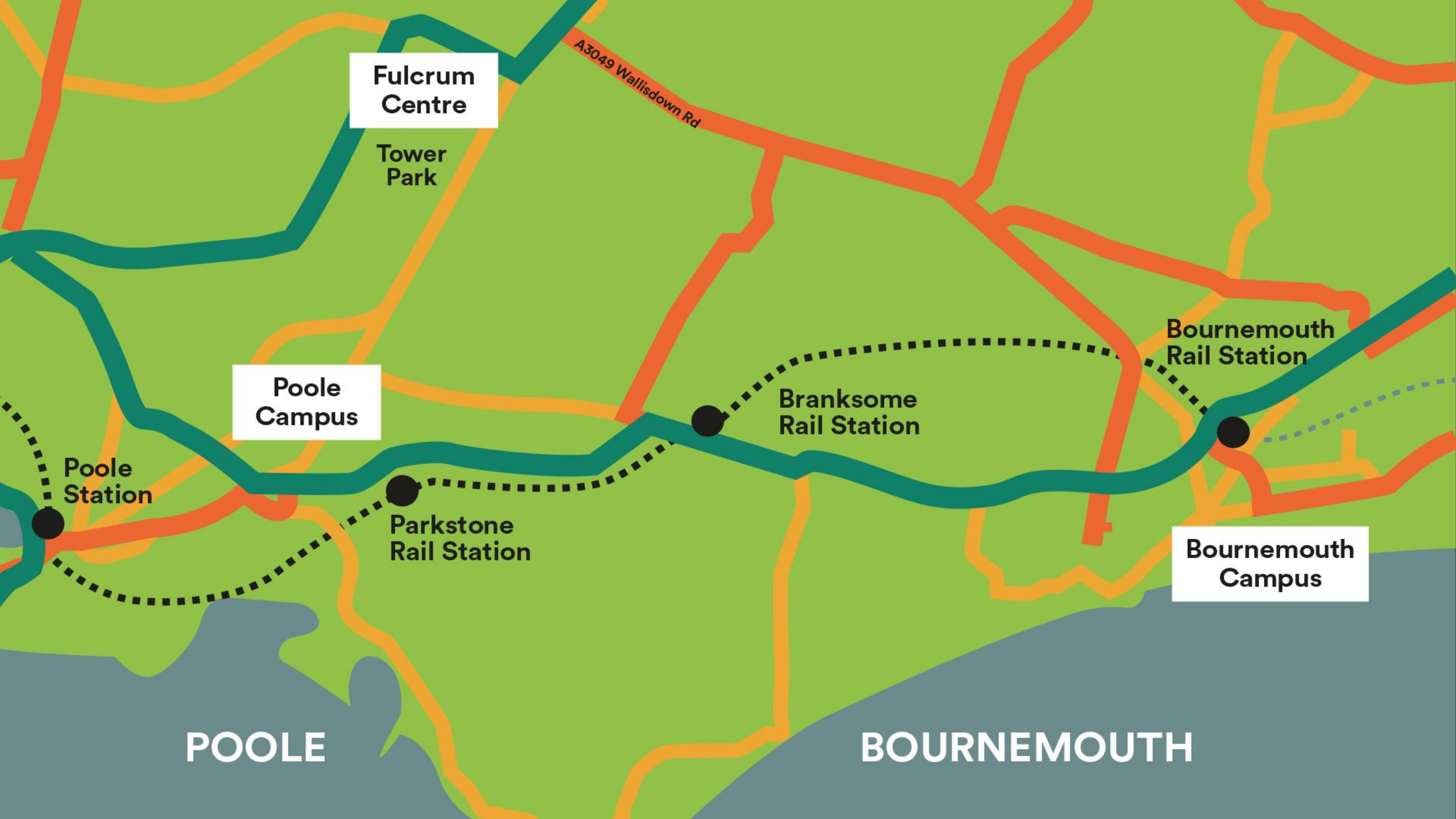
- **Construction**

- Electrical
- Plumbing
- Wood
- Brick & Plastering

- **Creative and Digital**

- Media & E Sports
- Art & Design
- Performing Arts
- Music
- IT & Digital





Fulcrum Centre

Tower Park

A3049 Wallisdown Rd

Poole Campus

Branksome Rail Station

Bournemouth Rail Station

Poole Station

Parkstone Rail Station

Bournemouth Campus

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BOURNEMOUTH

Bournemouth Campus

- Major £40m+ DfE-funded project has planning permission.
- Work on site started.
- New building complete in Spring 2026.
- Major repairs to Grade 2 Listed Clock Tower Building in 2024-25.



What T Levels are available?

We offer a range of T Levels, giving our students unparalleled choice and opportunities to engage with key employers:

- Business: Management and Administration - Business Support
- Business (Foundation)
- Digital Production, Design and Development
- Digital Support Services
- Digital (Foundation)
- Maintenance Installation and Repair for Engineering and Manufacturing
- Engineering (Foundation)
- Education and Early Years
- Health

Coming in 2025/26

- Craft and Design - Textiles and Fashion Maker
- Craft and Design - Ceramics
- Media, Broadcast and Production - Content Creation and Production

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Why are T-Levels important?

Driven by industry for the future

Utilising latest technological ideologies

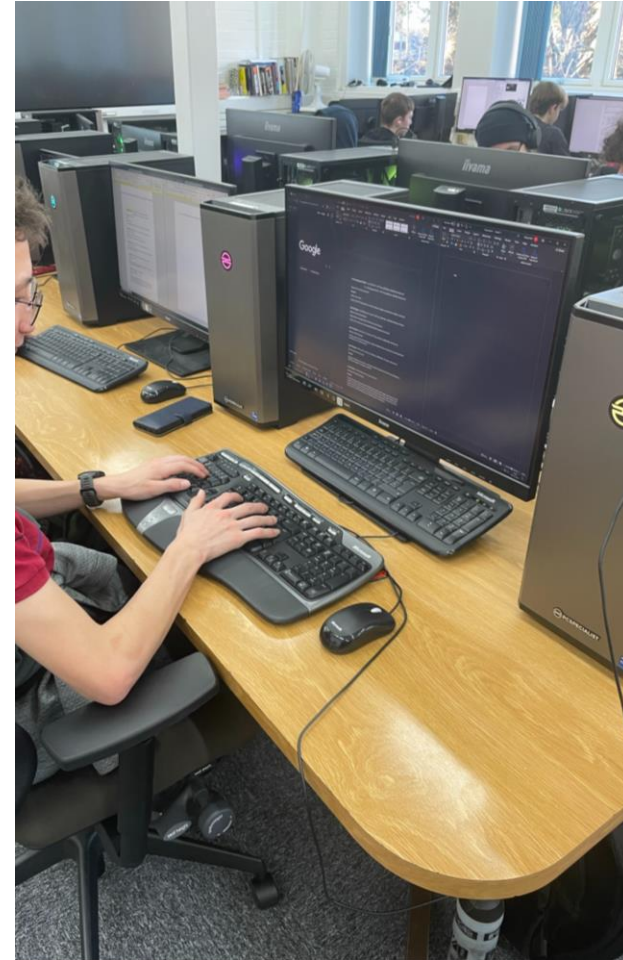
Work placement enables better understanding of the industry

Minimises dilution of the subject



Course Contents

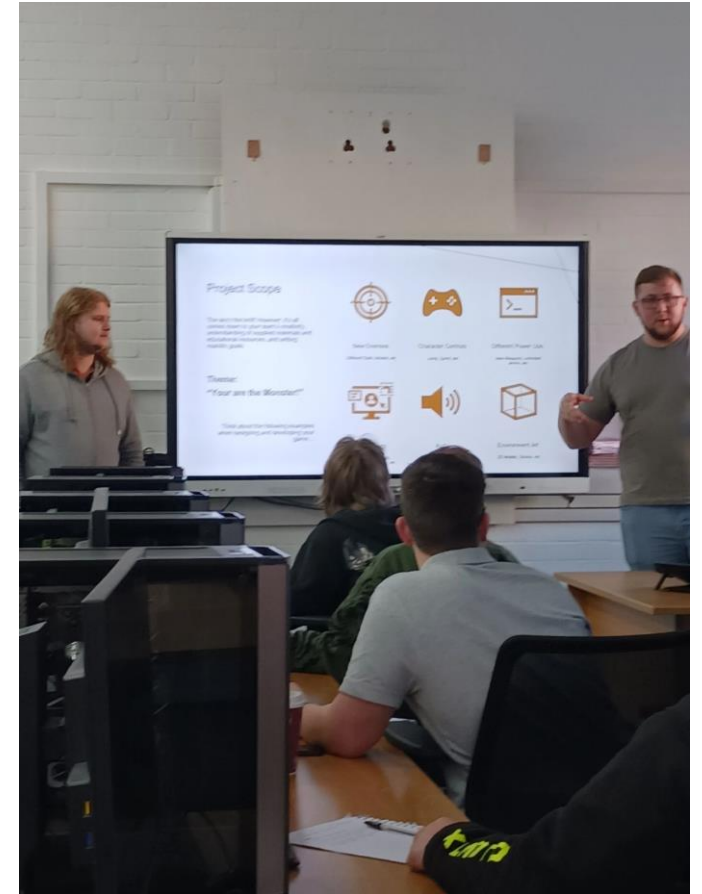
- Programming (Python)
- Legislation
- Emerging Technology
- Problem Solving
- Data
- Digital Environments
- Business Context
- Security



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Trailblazing Employer Engagement – The Challenges

- Dominated by micro business and freelancers.
- Employer Knowledge of Further Education.
- Employer knowledge of T Levels.
- Student and parents knowledge of T Levels



Trailblazing Employer Engagement – A Cultural Shift

T-LEVELS

Central to the student experience.

Equip students with the skills and knowledge to succeed.

Talent Branding - LinkedIn Profiles.

Industry Placement Officers.

Industry experts guest speakers and ongoing workshop sessions.

Employer examples –at E-Direct, LA Media, Parvalux, Amphibian & Reptile Conservation and CentreVR.



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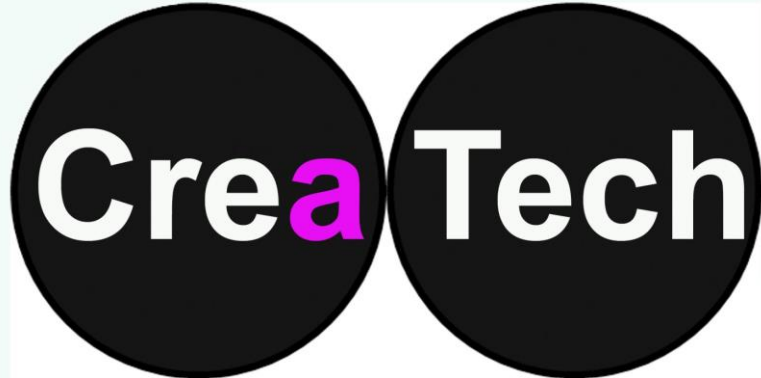
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TALENT PIPELINE 23

CREATIVE + DIGITAL = CAREERS DAY

DIGITAL + ART AND DESIGN + MUSIC + MEDIA
PERFORMING ARTS + 3D ANIMATION & VISUALISATION +
ESPORTS + COMPUTING + INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

OCTOBER 19TH



Eagle Labs

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Thank you

