

CONNEXIONS

Independent Information, advice, guidance and support

Connexions Bournemouth, Dorset and Poole (BDP) delivers impartial information, advice, guidance and support to all young people aged 13-19. Support is available up to the age of 25 for some young people with learning difficulties and disabilities. Connexions is the one service with 100% reach to all 13-19 year olds.

In this area we are the principal provider of expert independent guidance to young people to enable them to reach informed decisions about their future, to raise their aspirations and to help them overcome barriers to achieving their goals.

Connexions is a universal service which any young person can access. Some will require very little input whilst others will need greater support to make successful transitions; the need may vary at different points of their lives.

We do target those at risk of not making a successful progression to further learning, work or training.

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My name is Toni May and I am the Connexions Personal Adviser working in Shaftesbury school.

My background is in Careers Advice and Guidance and I am also trained to offer individual support to students in school from year 9 to year 13. I have nearly 20 years experience in North Dorset and work closely with the Connexions team and staff at school to keep up to date with local opportunities in employment, training and education.

Students: if you would like to see me, simply complete the form in the Library and pop it in the post box there. It is really helpful to give your mobile number on the form, so I can text you with the time and date of our meeting. You should also receive a note in your tutor time.

I am working in school most Thursdays and Fridays so if you are not free on either of these days please let me know.

Parents: if you would like help in supporting your daughter or son to make decisions please contact me on any of the numbers below. I am also at school for the Year 11 parents evening, 6th Form information evening and year 9 Options evening.

If you would like any further information please call me on

07765 253766 (Mobile)

01258 454454 (Office)

01747 852469 ext 270 (School)

Or e-mail me at mayt@connexions-bdp.co.uk