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## **Eastbourne Youth Radio gearing up to celebrate 13<sup>th</sup> anniversary**

**Eastbourne Youth Radio (EYR) is gearing up for its annual broadcast from Sussex Downs College – in what will be its 13<sup>th</sup> year.**

This popular event, organised by the Eastbourne Education Business Partnership in association with Sussex Downs College, will take place from Wednesday 20 – Friday 22 November.

As part of the non-stop broadcast extravaganza, hundreds of students aged 5-19 will deliver more than 55 hours of programmes via 87.7FM and streamed online at [www.eyr.org.uk](http://www.eyr.org.uk).

This year's exciting line-up includes programmes planned, created and presented by around 2,500 young people from the Eastbourne area, supported by programme sponsors drawn from local businesses. Listeners will be treated to an exciting mix of interviews, live drama and performances, chart music, competitions and special features.

As in previous years, EYR will be brought to you live from studios at the College's Eastbourne campus where Media students are responsible for the smooth running of the event, working with schools, special guests and programme sponsors to present a round-the-clock schedule of programmes.

To find out how you can support EYR and get involved, please contact Tim Sorensen on 07890 388624 or email [tim@sorenlearningsolutions.co.uk](mailto:tim@sorenlearningsolutions.co.uk) for details.

**Ends.**

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**Notes for editors:**

**Eastbourne Youth Radio (EYR)** was launched in November 2001 as an initiative to engage young people in community issues.

Using the medium of radio has created significant opportunities for thousands of students to create, produce and present material to a wide local audience and more recently, worldwide via the internet. Visit

[www.eyr.org.uk](http://www.eyr.org.uk) for further information.