



Connor Taylor is Wycombe Wanderers' 12th new signing of the summer, arriving from Bristol Rovers for an undisclosed fee.

The central defender, aged 23, was the Pirates' Player of the Year in 2024/25, having originally moved on loan from Stoke City in 2021/22, winning the Young Player of the Year prize in their promotion-winning campaign.

Standing tall at around 6'6", Taylor started out in Port Vale's academy and spent time on loan at Stafford Rangers before being scouted by Stoke City, breaking into their first team in 2021 ahead of a loan and subsequent permanent transfer to Bristol Rovers.

Wanderers' new number 26 trained with his team-mates alongside fellow new arrival George Abbott for the first time on Wednesday morning, and will be available for Saturday's first home game against Stockport County.

Head Coach Mike Dodds commented: "Connor is a brilliant capture for us and he's someone with really good experience at this level, despite still being at a young age.

"He'll bring extra steel into the team as well as his height, ability on the ball and strong defensive attributes so we're delighted he's agreed to join us and look forward to working with him."

Director of Football Strategy and Data Intelligence Tom Stockwell added: "It's great to welcome Connor to the club. We wanted a centre-back with League One experience, size, aggression and desire to defend the box. With Connor we have all that.

"Connor showed his robustness and consistency playing over 3500 minutes last season. He is a big imposing physical presence who dominates in aerial duels and also has the technical and tactical qualities to excel in our game model. We are very happy to have Connor with us and believe he will be a key piece of the jigsaw in the squad we are building."