



Post 16 Careers Day

Business Unit:

Nottingham LEP

Date:

2 July 2010

Location:

Nottingham Academy

In partnership with:

Carillion Building (Education)

Nottingham City Council

Franklin Ellis

Key contact:

Alice Vickers

Sun Diagram impact area(s):

Sustainable Communities & Workforce



Nottingham Academy – Greenwood Road hosted a Careers Day for sixth form students to help them understand their possible options.

Numerous colleagues from the LEP were there to support the event from inspiredspaces, NCC, Carillion Building and Architects Franklin Ellis.

Jane Browne, Director of Post 16 Studies “...Thanks for organising such an effective team of speakers who shared their enthusiasm and knowledge with the students.

The students found the workshop interesting as it helped them to understand the many different aspects involved in planning, designing and building. They really enjoyed taking to you and finding out about your role. You put over the information in a very clear and informative way and the students have given very positive feedback about the session. Many of them are interested in a career in the built environment, so took away very useful ideas about different opportunities.

The day as a whole was a great success and gave a lot for our students to think about. As they are the first in their family to consider higher education, your input helped to answer many of the questions they have and to inspire them to keep working hard, so they can realise their ambitions.”

Business Benefits

- Increased productivity through raised staff morale
- Employee engagement
- Closer working relationships of partners
- Engaging with the workforce of the future

Community Benefits

- Raising aspirations of young people
- Sustainable recruitment