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Implementing a successful Engineering & Manufacturing T-Levels course



Wilberforce Sixth Form College began delivery of the Engineering and Manufacturing T-Levels in September 2022. With a number of students about to complete their final year, there are currently 19 students currently embarking on their first year of study at the Hull-based College.

Engineering and Manufacturing T-Levels teacher, Steve Gowans, told us how the current cohort of students are doing: "They are doing really well - they're quite strong students and they have sat Paper One...it looks like a successful year so far."

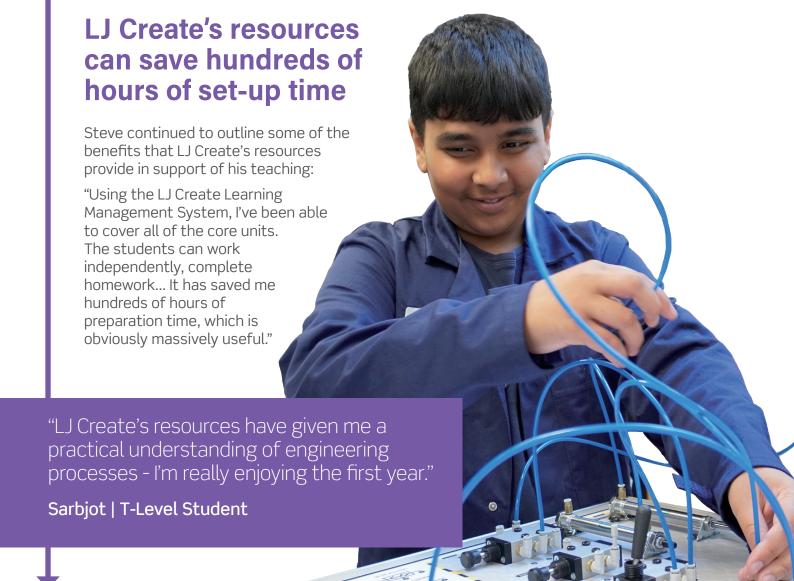
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"LJ Create's equipment gives our students a chance to try real-world engineering equipment in the classroom and workshop. They're not going to get that chance anywhere else, even on placement. The trainers allow students to build things over and above the course requirements."

Steve Gowans | T-Levels Teacher



The Engineering and Manufacturing T-Levels provide a great pathway to Higher Apprenticeships and University, and many of the students at Hull have those same aspirations. We spoke to Sarbjot who told us: "After Wilberforce, I have my mind set on an apprenticeship but I am also looking at universities. I think the LJ Create equipment will help me because it's so hands-on and will prepare me for apprenticeship training."



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"I find the LJ Create software to be very useful, reliable and informative and adaptable as well, in that they can be amended, adjusted and updated - depending on college requirements."

Patrick Leonard | T-Levels Teacher



Steve gave us some final thoughts as to why he would recommend studying for the Engineering and Manufacturing T-Levels: "The Second Year students that are finishing now, almost all of those have been successful in getting apprenticeships. The sheer breadth of the course, the amount of things that you can learn... It's a broad course."

"There's lots of information, there's lots of learning to do. It's hard, it's challenging, but I think all in, they learn the best bits that they need - the key path that they're going to need going into our industry. We talk to employers in the area and the things that they tell us they want, it's in the T-Level now."

We wish Steve, Patrick, and the impressive group of students at Wilberforce Sixth Form College continued success with their Engineering and Manufacturing T-Levels course.

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