

What are STEM Ambassadors?

STEM Ambassadors are volunteers of all ages and STEM backgrounds from apprentices to geologists, nuclear physicists to zoologists.

Have they received any training to work in schools?

All STEM Ambassadors are registered, enhanced CRB checked and have each received an induction into working in the classroom.

What can they do?

Lots! STEM Ambassadors can get involved in giving careers talks, helping out with STEM Clubs, running workshops in local schools & lots more.

How much do Ambassadors cost?

Absolutely nothing.

How do I access Ambassadors?

Simply contact STEMFirst.

Web:

www.stemfirst.com

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contact@stemfirst.com



Matt's STEM Activity

School STEM Support

Careers Awareness

T2000 Open Evenings

to name a few!

MATHEMATICS
Science
Engineering
Technology

STEM
Ambassador
Program

Case Study

Quick Questions:



Did you have a 'light-bulb' moment that made you follow the STEM route?

3 years ago an apprentice was struggling with his training on my section. I helped him through his training by sharing the expertise I had acquired. Seeing him pass his training was my light-bulb moment. .



In 20 words what would you say to a teacher to encourage the use of STEM Ambassadors?

STEM Activities illustrate the fun and beneficial career options which may be overlooked when just sticking to the 'boring' theory.



Is there one thing you wished you had known at school that you know now?

I wish I had known more about the vast manufacturing sector that is spread Throughout the North West, and this would have given me much more drive And focus at school.



Matt Plummer

I work for a company called Unison Engine Components as a Planner. Unison supplies the aerospace industry and it is my responsibility to ensure that we meet our customer delivery dates in an efficient and cost effective manner.

I got into STEM via the apprenticeship route, and have worked my way up to the role I am in now.

A few years into my apprenticeship I realised what great benefits there were to a career in manufacturing and engineering and this inspired me to progress.

I really enjoy my current role, and get real

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satisfaction in hitting my targets. The annual salary and benefits are great as well!

Why are you an Ambassador?

I really wanted to show pupils and school leavers the great opportunities available in the vast North West manufacturing sector.

I have really enjoyed my role as an Ambassador and my best moment was playing an active role in Training2000 apprentice open evenings and then seeing some of those school leavers starting apprenticeships at my company.

