

NEMMDR - Melton Mowbray Distributor Road UPDATE MAY 2025

Our work experience programme continues....

We were delighted to welcome local student Tyler to the project to assist him with his future aspirations of becoming a civil engineer.

Tyler spent his first week with us during his half term break and will return during summer to continue with his training.

Tyler said:

I wanted to say a massive thanks to Galliford Try and the MMDR project team for their support during my work experience placement.

I really enjoyed my first week at the Melton Mowbray bypass project, I spent my work experience with the site engineers which is a role I am very interested in and would like to pursue further.

It has been very useful for me to see the project in person giving me the opportunity to have some hands-on experience and insight into the various skills and duties of a Site Engineer.

During my time with the site engineers, I have learnt and practiced a wide range of skills, including using high tech GPS equipment and laser levels for measuring drainage systems along with understanding and using drawings and plans to highlight the location of the dig.

The highlight of the week was being involved in the supervising of the pouring of concrete for one the bridges on the project, part of my role was calculating the volume of the concrete that is needed, quality checking of as the slump and using clear documentation to record this.

Meeting members of the team has been insightful and everyone I have worked with has been informative about the job role and approachable when I have wanted to ask questions, I have appreciated the time everyone has taken to support me in my placement.

This experience has really helped me understand what I will look for in my next step after finishing secondary school. I have found that working in construction is definitely the path that I am wanting to pursue. I look forward to returning to the project in the summer to continue my work experience.



Progress and upcoming works

Summary of work progressed or completed in April 2025.

- Earthworks and drainage across scheme progressing.



- River Eye diversion works progressing.

- Bridge deck works across scheme progressing.



Summary of planned and ongoing work for May 2025

- Melton Spinney Road roundabout and road construction ongoing.
- Road layout, footways and bridge installation works across scheme ongoing.
- Earthworks and drainage across scheme ongoing.
- A607 Roundabout construction works on going.

Updated scheme photographs and drone footage is available for you to view on this link [MMDR on Kuula](#)



A607 & Melton Spinney Road Closure update

As you will be aware from our previous updates and notification letters, unfortunately due to 3rd party utilities delays the Melton Spinney Road closure has remained in place. We appreciate this is not ideal given the A607 closure has commenced as planned. Once again, we apologise for any inconvenience this may cause and will reopen Melton Spinney Rd as soon as possible.

For further information regarding current road closure FAQ's, diversion routes and project specific details. please visit the project website at: www.leicestershire.gov.uk/nemmdr

Temporary two-way traffic lights safety alert.

The delivery of the project requires temporary two-way traffic lights across the scheme. For your own safety and that of our workforce please adhere to traffic light systems when operational.



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Alternatively, you can visit the County Council's project website for further details, view traffic management plans and the overall scheme design.

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