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## Leaving a legacy

## **Supporting the Prince's Trust**

Keepmoat recently teamed up with the Prince's Trust to give two young people a taste of work in the construction industry.

The Prince's Trust is the UK's leading youth charity offering a range of opportunities, including training, personal development, mentoring and advice.

The Trust's 'Get Into' programme is a six week vocational course aimed at developing young peoples' skills in a specific sector. It gives young people aged 16 to 25 who are work ready, but do not have vocational skills, a mixture of practical training and experience to help them find sustainable employment or further training.

As part of the Luton 'Get into Construction' programme, Keepmoat was delighted to facilitate two work placements at its Marsh Farm site. Working alongside our contractor, Conquest Brickwork Ltd, our students gained an insight into the industry as well as experiencing first hand, life on a busy construction site.

One of our candidates, Niall Winter from Luton, impressed so much during his work placement, that he was offered a full time laboring position with Conquest.

Said Niall: " Without the Prince's Trust and the opportunity given to me by Keepmoat, I wouldn't have this job. The programme gave me the opportunity to learn about health and safety and to get my CSCS card. This really opened doors for me and now my future is looking much brighter".



Above: Niall Winter

"It was a pleasure to be part of the Prince's Trust 'Get into Construction' programme; the Keepmoat team at Marsh Farm is always keen to do what it can to support young people to secure a career in our industry. I have no doubt that this excellent programme is key to giving young people the confidence, practical and employability skills that they need to succeed. Niall is testament to this, and we wish him well for the future".

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