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Equans Site Visits

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On the 14th of December 2022 Employment is for Everyone partnered with Equans to deliver some site visits at their Thyrbergh site for people with Learning Disabilities and Autistic People to find out more about the apprenticeships they have going out in May/June 2023.

Equans is a construction and facility management company supporting businesses, communities and the public sector across the UK & Ireland. Equans employs 74,000 individuals across 17 countries. <https://www.equans.co.uk/>

Invitations were sent out to all SEN Schools and Colleges in South Yorkshire as well as many supported employment providers and 22 people attended which was really positive.

The site visit went really well and we got good feedback from everyone there.

“Scott and Jack (site managers) were very friendly and relatable. They had clearly been briefed well and understood the best way to speak to the people attending. They spoke about the site in a really informative way and talked through their personally journeys from early days right up to the positions there in now which was a nice touch” – Careers Advisor (Specialist School)

At the end of the walk through Amy (Social Value Manager - Equans) discussed the next steps in a very clear and informative way, talking about what roles were available and the application process step by step for people interested in still applying.

Following on from this site visit we are putting on some follow up employability sessions with Equans to work on:

- CV building
- Interview techniques
- Employability skills

Equans have also agreed to do 1 week work experience trails for anyone wanting to give some of the roles available a try.

If you want to know more about these sessions contact james@employmentisforeveryone.org.uk

“The session was really well organised. It had a good overview of the courses offered and how to go about applying and I’m definitely going to the next session to find out more” – James West (Session Attendee)

