

	'See Inside' activities June 2011					
Company	Date	Location	Region	Activity	Contact details	
Aston Martin	6 July 2011	Gaydon	West Midlands	Aston Martin will hold an event for Warwick University and invite 40 students, aged 16-17, to take part in a factory tour, listen to a presentation about the engineering disciplines within Aston Martin and participate in an open Q&A session with current engineering employees and graduates.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact:  Anita Bestwick Organisation Development Consultant, Aston Martin. E-mail: abestwic@astonmartin.com Tel: 01926 692566  Nick Lines Head of Manufacturing, Aston Martin. E-mail:nlines2@astonmartin.com	
BMW Plant, Hams Hall	29 June 2011	Hams Hall	West Midlands	Head teachers and careers advisors will take part in a tour of BMW Plant, Hams Hall, during which, attendees will have a chance to meet current apprentices and their mentors. The guests will also hear from senior BMW representatives about apprenticeship opportunities at BMW Plant, Hams Hall.	Tel: 01926 644803  For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Angela Konert, Government Affairs Executive, BMW Group UK.  E-mail: angela.konert@bmw.co.uk	
Bentley	24 June 2011	Crewe	North West	Regional school outreach activity to create awareness of the automotive industry, types of professions and career opportunities illustrated by hands-on activities and product exposure.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Ian Grant, Apprentice Development Officer, Bentley.  E-mail: <a href="mailto:ian.grant@bentley.co.uk">ian.grant@bentley.co.uk</a>	



Ford	29 June 2011	Dunton	South East England	Gifted and talented ICT students and their teachers will be given a guided tour of Ford's Technical Development Centre in Dunton, Essex	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact David Cayton, Education Outreach Manager, Ford.
					E-mail: dcayton@ford.com
Ford	29 June 2011	Southampton	South East England	Students and teachers will be given guided tours of Ford's Transit manufacturing centre in Southampton. Attendees will be offered the opportunity to build their own vehicles in a fun and competitive simulation challenge.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Christophe Clarke, Governmental Affairs manager, Ford.
					E-mail: cclarke3@ford.com
GKN Driveline	29 June 2011	Erdington	West Midlands	Students are invited to an open day at GKN Driveline's facility in Erdington.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Jonathan Dennison Director, Government and External Affairs, GKN Driveline.
					E-mail: jonathan.dennison@gkn.com
Honda	29 June 2011	Colnbrook	South East England	Teachers and careers advisors are invited to learn more about Honda and the types of career opportunities available in the automotive sector in general. There will be a tour of the facilities, a brief presentation on careers in Honda, the chance to meet current apprentices and participate in an open Q&A session.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Kate Saxton, Government Affairs and Environment Manager, Honda.  E-mail:  Kate.saxton@honda-eu.com



Jaguar Land Rover	28 June 2011	Halewood	North West	Students are invited to attend the Land Rover 4x4 in Schools Technology Challenge Regional Heat, which is being held at the Education Business Partnership Centre in Halewood.	For more information about the day and to attend, contact Marion Thomas, Education Business Centre Manager, JLR.  Email: <a href="mailto:mthom144@jaguarlandrover.com">mthom144@jaguarlandrover.com</a>
Jaguar Land Rover	29 June 2011	Halewood	North West	JLR is inviting 30 students and offering transport for five schools in Greater Merseyside to its Halewood plant to undertake various activities which form one of its core learning modules. There will also be a site tour for Head Teachers and college/ university principals.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Marion Thomas, Community Relations Officer, JLR.  E-mail: <a href="mailto:mthom144@jaguarlandrover.com">mthom144@jaguarlandrover.com</a>
Jaguar Land Rover	29 June 2011, 14.30–18.15	Gaydon	West Midlands	Teachers and education professionals will be invited to attend an information session at the JLR Education Business Partnership Centre to learn more about the modules undertaken at the centre. Demonstrations, room displays and a site visit to observe strength and durability activities in a manufacturing environment.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Peter Lock, Centre Manager, Gaydon, JLR.  E-mail: plock5@jaguarlandrover.com
Jaguar Land Rover	29 June 2011	Solihull	West Midlands	JLR is inviting two groups of 20 students and two adults (ratio 1:10), from years seven and upwards, to visit its plant in Solihull. During the half day visit students will have a guided tour of the production plant and take part in a fun and competitive manufacturing challenge. Transport to and from the factory is available for Birmingham and Solihull based organisations.	For more information about the day and to book a place please contact Pam Serpell or Jane Harman at the Education Partnership Centre.  E-mail: jlr.events@bxlworks.org.uk



Jaguar Land Rover	29 June 2011 09.30–11.30	Coventry	West Midlands	JLR is offering 15 students of years 7, 8 or 9, to take part in a classroom manufacturing process at the Jaguar Land Rover Browns Lane Education Business Partnership Centre. During this half day course pupils will have the opportunity to manufacture their own 'static' scale model of the latest Jaguar XF car, which will then be mounted onto a wooden plinth ready for each pupil to take home at the end of the visit. Time permitting; pupils will have the opportunity to have a short visit to see the historic time line of Jaguar Cars in the impressive Jaguar Daimler Heritage Trust Museum.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Wendy Harvey, Partnership Centre Manager, JLR.  Email: wharvey9@jaguarlandrover.com
Johnson Matthey	29 June 2011	Royston	East England	Careers advisors will be invited to take part in a guided tour of the Royston plant and receive presentations from members of staff on what it is like to work at the plant and to learn about the UK's automotive supply chain.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Guy Tremayne, Marketing Manager, Jonson Matthey.  E-mail: guy.tremayne@matthey.com
Lotus Cars	29 June 2011	Hethel, Norwich	East England	Careers advisors are invited to take part in a range of activities organised by Lotus Engineering, which include a factory tour, presentations of graduate case studies, apprenticeship schemes and a tour of the company's engineering facilities.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Samantha Whitworth, Assistant HR Business Partner, Lotus Engineering or Janina Phillips, Assistant HR Business Partner, Lotus Engineering.  E-mail: <a href="mailto:swhitworth@lotuscars.com">swhitworth@lotuscars.com</a> or japhilips@lotuscars.com
McLaren Automotive	29 June 2011	Woking	South East England	Head teachers and careers advisers will be given a tour of the McLaren Technology Centre in Woking, Surrey. The tour will include the production line and design studios used for McLaren's new sports car, the MP4-12C. Guests will also have the opportunity to meet senior executives and interact with graduate engineers, who will give an overview of their roles and explain why engineering should be seen as an	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact George Farquhar, Vice President, Financial Dynamics.



				attractive career choice for all young people.	E-mail: George.farquhar@fd.com	
Millbrook	30 June 2011	Bedford	East of England	Head teachers, careers advisors and university partners are invited to an open day at Millbrook, which will include a tour of the laboratories, workshops and testing facilities, presentations from senior members of staff about working at Millbrook and the apprenticeship and graduate opportunities available to anyone interested in a career in UK automotive sector.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Kevin Moxey, Group Head of Planning & Engineering Strategies.  E-mail: <a href="mailto:kevin.moxey@millbrook.co.uk">kevin.moxey@millbrook.co.uk</a>	
MINI Plant, Oxford	29 June 2011	Oxford	South East	Head teachers and careers advisors are invited to take part in a guided tour of MINI Plant, Oxford, which will be hosted by MINI apprentices and senior management representatives. Attendees will also receive presentations on the apprenticeship opportunities with BMW Group UK at Plant Oxford.  There will also be an opportunity to question current apprentices on their motivations for joining an apprenticeship scheme with the MINI plant.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Angela Konert, Government Affairs Executive, BMW Group UK.  E-mail: angela.konert@bmw.co.uk	
MINI Plant, Swindon	29 June 2011	Swindon	South West	Head teachers and careers advisors are invited to take part in a guided tour of MINI Plant, Swindon, with current MINI apprentices.  There will be presentations on the apprenticeship opportunities with MINI and an opportunity to pose questions to current apprentices about their personal experiences working at MINI Plant, Swindon.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Angela Konert, Government Affairs Executive, BMW Group UK.  E-mail: angela.konert@bmw.co.uk	



Nissan	29 June 2011	Sunderland	North East	Careers advisors and teachers are invited to take part in an open day at Nissan Sunderland Plant. There will be a tour of the production line and office areas, opportunities to meet apprentices, trainees and senior staff, find out about career opportunities at the plant, and learn about Nissan products including the world's first mass-market electric car the LEAF.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Dawn Waugh, Communications, Nissan.  E-mail: Daun.waugh@nissan-nmuk.co.uk Tel: 0191 415 2764
RDM Automotive	29 June 2011	Coventry	West Midlands	Students and careers advisors will be able to tour RDM's facilities and speak directly to graduates and experienced engineers and managers about modern day automotive design and manufacturing from an SME automotive company.  *Please note that there are limited spaces available	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact David Keene, Managing Director, RDM Automotive.  E-mail
Rockingham	7 July 2011	Rockingham	East Midlands	Big Industry Big Opportunity conference  We invite teachers, careers advisors, parents, small employers and other people who are in a position to influence young people's career choices, to explore the breadth and scope of the automotive industry. Delegates will hear from industry leaders about their needs and the employment challenges they face when employing and/or training young people.  The conference has an impressive line up of people who will share their passion and support for the recruitment and retention of young people at a range of entry points. Speakers include representatives from: Toyota, IMI and BMW, Volvo, Halfords AutoCentres and Johnsons Coaches. Delegates will also hear from people involved in receiving and delivering training, with a special session focusing on the need for more young woman in the industry.	dkeene@rdautomotive.co.uk  For more information and to book tickets, e-mail Chris Goodwin, Enterprise Education Foundation.



				Over an extra long lunch break delegates can take part in tours of Rockingham and will get the opportunity to see the Midlands Regional heat of the GreenPower Schools Challenge, test out the Rockingham simulators and test drive alternative energy vehicles.	
				For more visit: http://www.rockingham.co.uk/	
				http://www.rockingnam.co.uk/	E-mail:
				http://www.greenpower.co.uk/news/index.php?id=000 492	chris.goodwin@rockingham.co.uk before 1 July 2011.
Rolls-Royce Motor Cars Limited	29 June 2011	Goodwood	South West	Head teachers and careers advisors are invited to take part in an interesting half-day programme which will conclude with a tour of the facility.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part contact Angela Konert, Government Affairs Executive, BMW Group UK.
				Current and former Rolls-Royce apprentices will also give presentations on what it is like to join an	
				apprenticeship scheme with such a prestigious brand	E-mail:
				and what it takes to join and progress within the company.	angela.konert@bmw.co.uk
Thatcham	15-16 June 2011	Thatcham near Newbury	South East	Students and careers advisors are invited to attend demonstrations from technicians and engineering experts, in order to gain an insight into modern vehicle construction.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact lain Wallace, Communications Executive, Thatcham.
				Attendees will be able to see the range of careers available in vehicle research and repair, as well as an insight into the training available for apprentices and adult learners.	E-mail: lain.wallace@thatcham.org



Toyota	29 June 2011	Burnaston, Derbyshire and Deeside, North Wales	Midlands and North Wales	Careers officers and teachers are invited to attend Toyota's vehicle manufacturing plant in Burnaston, Derbyshire or the engine manufacturing plant in Deeside, North Wales. There will be guided tours for attendees, presentations from staff at the plant and the opportunity to take part in a Q&A session to find out more about working with Toyota and the various opportunities for continuous learning.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Helen Hydes, Corporate Planning & External Affairs, Toyota.  E-mail: helen.hydes@toyotauk.com
Vauxhall Motors	29 June 2011	Ellesmere Port	North West	Teachers, careers advisors and other interested stakeholders are invited to take part in guided tours of Vauxhall's manufacturing facilities. There will also be an opportunity on the day to learn more about the apprenticeships and undergraduate programmes and to hear first hand from out current apprentices and students about other career choices available.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Julia Todd, Communications, Vauxhall.  E-mail: Juliea.todd@vauxhall.co.uk
Vauxhall Motors	29 June 2011	Luton	East of England	Teachers, careers advisors and other interested stakeholders are invited to take part in guided tours of Vauxhall's manufacturing facilities. There will also be an opportunity on the day to learn more about the apprenticeships and undergraduate programmes and to hear first hand from out current apprentices and students about other career choices available.	For more information about the day and to find out about taking part, contact Trevor Abrahams, Training and Development Officer, Vauxhall.  E-mail: trevor.abrahams@vauxhall.co.uk