



**THE COTTESLOE SCHOOL
WORK EXPERIENCE PLACEMENT No.1
PETER METCALFE 2019**



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Comments on Peter's conduct & attitude whilst with you:

Peter was a delight to have working with us at BSI. Initially, he was a little quiet but only as this was probably his first time in a working environment. Once he had gained confidence he appropriately engaged with the staff members who were showing him their work and at the end of the week was able to give a presentation of his project to departmental managers.

Peter's days consisted of mornings observing, and sometimes performing, product testing in the Respiratory and Fire Suppression Laboratories in the Personal Protective Equipment Group and the Vehicle and Industrial Plumbing Products and Fenestration Laboratories in the Construction Products Group. The feedback from the staff who spent time with him was that he was willing to learn, engage and be a part of the teams.

In the afternoons Peter undertook a project to design test equipment to fire a cricket ball at a cricket helmet in accordance with BS 7928:2013 + A1:2019 clause 6.2 and Annex D. He provided several solutions, costed them and assessed their health and safety implications. He worked well on his own and he produced comprehensive solutions while drawing on his own personal experience and internet research. He also evaluated the options and made a recommendation for the most practical solution. He then prepared and gave a PowerPoint presentation of his work to the managers in the Operations Support department. His presentation style was clear, and it was well received.

Peter was punctual and let us know his whereabouts during the week.

I wish Peter every success in whatever he chooses as a career I am sure he will do well. He appeared to enjoy and have a flair for the various aspects of engineering and science that he experienced with us at BSI

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