

Challenges:

Sustainability is a key driver for ACL with ultimate responsibility being taken by Pat Sheehan MD and support by Ravithas Maruthapiran SHEQ manager. We are aware that the Construction Industry can have a negative impact on the environment. Areas of concern are generally acknowledged to be:

- Environmentally damaging designs.
- High energy usage, (minimizing greenhouse gas emissions)
- Ill-conceived developments
- The construction process itself

We are committed to reducing the impact of our work whether on site or in the offices. Our aim is to actively manage our role in protecting natural resources.

Value gained:



- **Practical learning for site operatives:** Amery Construction have used the School's resources to raise awareness amongst operatives on site on issues such as Modern Slavery, FIR, Mental Health and Wellbeing.
- **Better tenders:** The School has helped Amery Construction to develop its client offering, particularly in response to PQQs – better articulating their responses in sustainability questionnaires.
- **Improved reputation:** Being associated with the School allows Amery Construction to demonstrate their sustainability commitments and they proudly display their membership status.
- **Cost savings:** The measures Amery put into place to reduce their energy usage will result in long term cost savings.

Future Use

- Encourage the School's contractor partners to start to ask questions about School membership in the PQQ and tender process.
- Continues to improve the website, so that it is easy for the school's members to keep track of the resources that they have used that are viewed outside of the action plans.
- Continue to grow the number of Partners.
- Amery would like to see improved awareness by the School promoting itself and its members at a high level within the construction industry.

Fact box



Company

Amery Construction Ltd

Employees

200

Turnover

£21M

Website

www.ameryconstruction.co.uk

Main contact

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Services

Groundworks; reinforced concrete structures, and infrastructure.

About

Our clients include **Galliford Try, Glencar Construction, Kier, McLaren Construction, Multiplex, Taylor French, Skanska, United Living, Wates and Willmott Dixon** to name but a few. At Amery we strive to become trusted partners with our clients. We believe in a back to back approach where Amery can contribute to value engineering at an early stage and make substantial cost savings. Our measure of success is the amount of repeat business we have achieved over the years with our clients. We will look to strengthen the relationships we have made and forge partnerships with new customers going forward.