

Challenges:



One of the biggest challenges of Nuspan Flooring around sustainability is the mindset shift which is required within the industry. As a Modern Method of Construction (MMC),

Nuspan already brings significant benefits compared to traditional methods of construction, but convincing the industry to step away from familiar methods, opting for more MMCs instead, is a challenge. There is still some work to be done at all levels in terms of conveying the long-term value of switching to sustainable methods.

These are challenges which Nuspan Flooring feel can be overcome with the company's support, and they encourage those that are hesitant to invest in MMC to step forward and work 'open book' with them to understand the additional premanufactured value that will help obtain construction, social and sustainability targets.

Impact:

Identifying areas for improvement: Engaging with the School has been invaluable in being able to assess current performance and areas for improvement.

Upskilling workforce:

Initially, selected departments were chosen to complete action plans, attend workshops and join webinars so as to immediately start upskilling key areas of the business. Moving forwards, Nuspan intend to roll out the action plans and resources to all employees. This will encourage a broadening of understanding across all departments.

Improving sustainability targets: In completing the action plans and using the resources, Nuspan has chosen to invest further in their sustainable performance, including ISO 14001 assessment, trialling the use of more environmentally-friendly materials in their products, and developing mental health first aiders within the workforce.



Fact box



Company

Nuspan Flooring

No of employees

50

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Services

Insulated precast concrete unit

About

Nuspan Flooring is the market leading designer, manufacturer, and installer of offsite, precast flooring. Nuspan's high-performance system is designed for suspended ground floors, mainly in new build housing. It can achieve U-values as low as 0.10W/m²K, offering a thermally efficient solution. With a saving of up to five times the amount of onsite labour, Nuspan is a leading MMC.

Value gained:



Training: Creating a sustainable world is one of the most important challenges for society at the moment, so investing in membership, training, and the company's own performance will prove to customers and the industry that Nuspan Flooring are taking the issue seriously.

Meeting client requirements: Membership of the School is also helping the company to meet client requirements, allowing the company to work hand-in-hand with customers to bring further improvements to the industry.

Future proofing:

Nuspan Flooring plan to keep investing, encouraging employees with individual learning through building their own personal action plans, and making use of the free resources as new ones are added. The company's teams will be encouraged to feed any key takeaways back to the business to keep up-to-date with best practice.