

Q. What percentage of the waste will be recycled with the new compactor unit?

About 30% of our waste will be recycled with the new compactor which is a further improvement compared to our old system.

Q. How will your project help other businesses in the Nasmyth Group with waste disposal?

Across its 12 businesses, Nasmyth Group continues to reduce its environmental footprint as part of its long-term sustainability programme. My project has been implemented at Nasmyth IEC and it will also be considered across multiple sites within the Nasmyth Group.

Q. What is next for you following this project?

I have completed my Nasmyth Group apprenticeship and I am now training to be an Assistant Buyer at Nasmyth IEC. I am proud that my project has been recognised by Senior Management and that it has contributed to our achievement of ISO 14001.

As a result of my project, I have been put forward for the Six Sigma course which uses DMAIC to improve the speed, quality and cost of a process. I am also looking to do a Chartered Institute of Procurement and Supply course.

Nasmyth IEC manufactures and delivers highly sophisticated precision engineering products and solutions to the international defence market. It is a strategic manufacturing partners with many of the world's leading defence primes.

Working across Space, Air, Land and Sea, Nasmyth IEC provides electro-mechanical assembly and test, hydraulic and pneumatic systems and the supply of composite, metallic and fabricated components.

The team works with customers from concept through to production and acceptance, including installation and training. Backed by the Nasmyth Groups global presence and unrivalled capabilities, Nasmyth IEC is at the forefront of assembly services from flight simulation to naval minesweeping devices.

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