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Girls in Engineering Day at Oxford University

On Wednesday 10th May, 3 Year 10 and 2 Sixth Form students went on a day trip to Oxford University Engineering Department. We had a Q & A session with Naomi Climer (a famous female engineer) which was really interesting and really helped us understand more about engineering. We then listened to some fourth year students talking about their engineering projects which they had been working on for the last year. This very informative and demonstrated the broad scope of engineering, from trying to wipe out mosquitoes, to improving human health, to investigating buildings during earthquakes.

We also explored a university college which made us realise that there is more to choosing a university than just subjects.

Finally we went to the 43rd Maurice Lubbock Memorial Lecture presented by Naomi Climer. This was on the new technology being developed for the so-called Internet of Things. Having the Q and A session earlier really helped us follow the lecture and meant we had the confidence to ask questions without feeling stupid. Overall it was a great trip that we all loved and opened our eyes.

Thank you Mr Moss for a brilliant day.

Laura Scaife - Year 10 Student



Insight into Careers in Medicine, Oxford for Year 11 & 12 students.

A group of medical students from the University of Oxford are planning an "Insight to Medicine" day at William Osler House, John Radcliffe Hospital on Saturday 17th June from 9am - 1pm. The day is aimed at Year 11 and Year 12 students who are considering a career in medicine.

They are planning to have number of talks and workshops from medical students and doctors, to give students an insight into life as a medical student/doctor and into the application process.

Mr S Williams - Head of Sixth Form

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