

**BUILDING SKILL
IN SUMMER**



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*It has provided
fundamental building
blocks to a career
that I would like to
follow. This includes
an understanding
around trades involved
in restoration, and the
confidence to succeed.*

CALLUM MORRISON
SITE CARPENTER

EDUCATION IN THE FIELD

A Summer School for Students

BACKGROUND

Our crafts and architecture Summer School teaches how traditional building repair techniques can be applied to meet the challenges of the twenty-first century.

It's an intensive three week course, one aimed at architects, planners, developers, builders and craftspeople.

Through a series of lectures, workshops, drawing and building exercises and field trips, our Summer School participants develop an in-depth knowledge of traditional building and repair techniques and how these can be applied.

OUR PROJECT

In the first week of the Summer School, students are introduced to drawing, geometry and structure exercises at our headquarters in London. The second week involves the teaching of traditional crafts by master craftspeople and takes place elsewhere in the UK; previous locations have included Scotland, Lincoln and Wales.

In the third week, these skills are applied to a collaborative process to design a building. The process includes public consultations, design modelling and technical drawing techniques and the winning design is chosen by a panel of experts and locals, to be constructed later in the year by our Building Craft Apprentices.



THE RESULTS FROM A GEOMETRY CLASS
IN WEEK ONE.



STUDENTS CREATING A SLATE ROOF

KEY INFO

LOCATION	London & Various Places throughout the UK
PROJECT TYPE	Education
THEMES	Sustainability, Traditional Architecture and Urbanism, Building Skill, Aesthetics
STATUS	Annual
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