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AstraZeneca: supporting the Cambridgeshire community in many ways.



2,600+ staff based in Cambridge

“Over 2,600 of our staff are now based in Cambridge. They offer their time, expertise and enthusiasm to the community – both within the city of Cambridge and further beyond. Wherever possible we work on collaborative, sustainable solutions to common local challenges.”

Dr Andy Williams, Vice President, Cambridge Strategy and Operations

We inspire the next generation of scientists

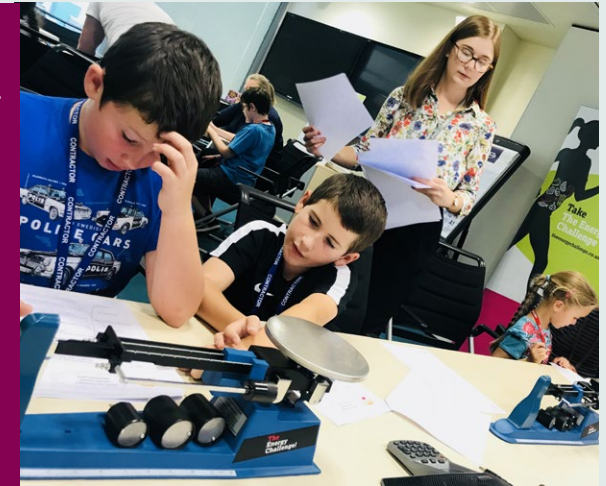
“AstraZeneca’s support for and involvement in the Active Science programme makes a huge difference to our ability to inspire 800 children across Cambridge each year to take an interest in science through physical activity. Bringing world-class science equipment, provided by AstraZeneca, into local primary schools in Cambridge excites us as much as it does the children we engage with.”

Ben Sreter, CEO, Cambridge United Community Trust



Over 4,800 pupils taking The Energy Challenge

Over 60 state primary schools across Cambridgeshire and Peterborough, representing over 4,800 pupils, are registered to take part in the Energy Challenge, which takes real science experiments into the classroom. Staff mentors are paired with each school to support pupils through the competition.



blue smile 
Happier children – Brighter futures

Employee Charity of the Year

Thanks to our support, our first Cambridge charity of the year, Blue Smile has been able to give additional therapy and mentoring to 61 children in four partner primary schools (Orchard Park, Shirley Community, Ridgefield and Histon & Impington).



Picture: Sir Cam photography

LGBT+ network collaboration

In February, we collaborated with the Cambridge-based LGBT+ network, Encompass, to support a specially-commissioned LGBT+ History Month projection onto the Guildhall, as part of the city’s e-Luminate festival.

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65 business mentors in Cambridge



Women in science

We collaborate with Cambridge Judge Business School and Lucy Cavendish College in support of our common goals of advancing women in science and business leadership, providing career advice and mentoring.



A sustainable staff travel plan

was launched for Cambridge, responding to a detailed analysis of the current and forecast travel needs of our employees and those of the wider local community. Our vision is that current or future travel 'hubs' are within a five-mile reach of 90% of our employees, giving access to at least one affordable, sustainable travel option and with car parking available.



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3,000+ hours volunteering

Colleagues have volunteered with a variety of community organisations, undertaking practical tasks such as renovating community centres and gardens.

