

LEAN MANUFACTURING WORKSHOP

GEELONG MANUFACTURING COUNCIL



The Geelong Manufacturing Council (GMC) is a not-for-profit organisation that aims to promote the Geelong region as a dynamic and innovative manufacturing centre of the future. The key activities of the GMC include building industrial synergies, developing skills, encouraging operational excellence, growing advanced technology and positioning, networking and lobbying.

STUDENT HIGHLIGHTS

- How to work productively in a factory workplace with a group of people
- How assembly lines work and the techniques that go into making it efficient
- How to make a paper plane and how a factory works
- The amount of effort that goes into manufacturing
- The thing I learnt about LEAN manufacturing was the manufacturing process and the time it took to do it and how it could be done efficiently in the factory
- I learnt all about the factors that are taken into consideration when manufacturing products to minimise cost whilst being efficient
- I think it was very interesting to learn about the different processes in manufacturing and ways factories become as efficient as possible
- During the paper plane activity, I feel like I learnt much more than I expected about manufacturing things, such as the little faults in factories that can lead to waste and loss of money
- Production; how factories work and what difficulties they might face as well as techniques to fix those difficulties

