

Lord William Armstrong

Key Facts:

- Born in 1810 and died in 1900
- Armstrong Road is named after him.
- He manufactured weapons for use in wars.
- He was an environmentalist and planted 7 million trees at his Cragside home.
- His factory on Scotswood Road employed 25,000 people.
- Lord William and his wife Lady Armstrong donated 80 acres of Jesmond Dene to the people of Newcastle.

Key Vocabulary

engineering	Engineering is the process of creating and building structures, products, and systems by using math and science.
engineer	An engineer is a person who uses scientific knowledge to design, construct, and maintain engines and machines or structures such as roads, railways and bridges.
hydraulic	Something that is operated by the moving force of water.
hydroelectric	The generating (making) of electricity by using the power of water usually dropping from a height.
manufacturing	The production of a product to be used or sold.
environmentalist	An environmentalist is a person who is concerned with protecting and preserving the natural environment, for example by preventing pollution.

