

The Only Carbon Neutral Courier in the UK

The only carbon-neutral courier company in the UK, Slough-based Elite Couriers have always been conscious of the effect business and industry have on our environment. Since their inception in 1989 the company have maintained a keen interest in looking after the environment, something which has ultimately led them to helping communities as far afield as Sri Lanka.

As company director Mark Dean explains, 'as a company, we have always aimed to make a positive contribution to preserving the environment, particularly with regard to global warming. The earth is already reacting to the years of pollution that have been poured into the atmosphere'.

To make a positive contribution to keeping the environment stable, Elite Couriers have committed to being 'carbon-neutral'. How does it work and what does it mean? As Mark explains: 'Essentially, the unavoidable CO2 emissions we produce as a company are neutralised by supporting alternative energy and tree planting programmes to develop forests within the UK'.

Essentially, the quantity of carbon the company puts into the atmosphere has been calculated. They then sponsor projects which equal out the balance, making a positive difference to communities and the environment. For example, Elite have sponsored a Rural Solar Electrification Project which provides solar lighting to villages in India and Sri Lanka. It's actually helping to save lives too – the solar heating system replaces health-hazardous kerosene lamps.

Elite Worldwide has been established for over seventeen years, building an enviable reputation for providing a professional, efficient and speedy courier service at competitive prices in the Slough area. The company specialises in UK sameday collection and delivery, UK overnight collection and delivery, international shipments, UK & European pallet movements and secure storage / pick & pack.

'We don't charge more just because we're carbon-neutral either – if anything, we're often cheaper than our competitors' Mark adds.

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