



CONSTRUCTION BUILDING (WOOD OCCUPATION BENCH)

Level 2, Apprenticeship Framework

ELIGIBILITY/ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- 5 GCSE grades 3-9 in maths and English or equivalent.

Construction is a multi-billion pound industry that deals with developing the underlying structure of anything from maintenance and development of domestic properties to large commercial developments.

Almost two million people are employed in the UK Construction industry with a diverse range of skills. Apprenticeships are well recognised and valued as an entry route into the industry. Apprentices with the determination and willingness to work hard will find plenty of scope to move up the career ladder. Working in Bench Joinery requires precision and great problem solving skills. They will learn about the uses of different types and grades of wood, and about choosing the right one for the job, understand technical drawings and how their work will fit within the building, and cut wood on machines or by hand, measuring and marking it according to the design. Apprentices will receive training at college one day a week learning practical skills in our workshops and developing underpinning knowledge. We also support all our apprentices to achieve maths and English where required. The rest of the week is spent in the workplace gaining invaluable experience on the job.

APPRENTICESHIP REQUIREMENTS


NVQ Diploma Level 2 and Diploma Level 2 in Wood Occupations - Architectural (Bench) Joinery, Functional Skills maths and English Level 1 as well as knowledge of workshop safety, and how to use hand and power tools.



TYPICAL JOB ROLES IN THIS AREA INCLUDE:

Bench Joiner, Carpenter.

PROGRESSION ROUTE:



Our Construction Building (Wood Occupation Bench) Level 2 provides the foundation for progression onto Project Manager, Implementation Manager, Project Leader.

KEY FACTS:

Delivery location	Stockport College.
Typical duration	24 months.
Study mode/frequency	Day release at Stockport College.
Apprenticeship Framework	N/A.
Knowledge and skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health, safety & welfare in construction• Principles of building, construction, information and communication• Set up and operate a circular saw• Produce setting out details for bench joinery products• Mark out from setting out details for bench joinery products• Manufacture bench joinery products
Competency/skills or behaviours	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Conform to general health, safety and welfare in the workplace• Conform to productive working practices• Manufacture routine architectural joinery products in the workplace• Move, handle and store resources in the workplace + Optional units from the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Marking out from setting out details for routine architectural joinery products• Setting up and using transportable cutting and shaping machines in the workplace• Producing setting out details for routine architectural joinery products in the workplace
Functional Skills	Functional Skills will be required for English and maths at Level 1 or 2 if you have not already attained an equivalent qualification.
Assessment	Workplace assessments are carried out once every 4-6 weeks, observing practice in the workplace, gathering evidence of competency and working with the employer to ensure skills are developing on the job.

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