



For **new** or **existing** staff

# Bricklayer Apprenticeship Level 2

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This apprenticeship standard is suitable for Bricklayers whose role involves laying bricks, blocks and other types of building components in mortar to construct and repair walls, foundations, partitions, arches and other structures such as chimney stacks. The range of sites and projects that bricklayers work on include large commercial developments, new builds in housing, alterations, extensions and restorations. A bricklayer may work one-on-one or on larger jobs where their bricklaying group (gang) may work on a particular section of a building alongside other bricklaying gangs as well as other trades.

## Delivery model and duration:

1 day per week in college

**Duration:** Up to 24 months plus End Point Assessment

## Ideal for:

- Bricklayers

## The apprenticeship will cover the following core areas:

- Health and safety
- Customer service
- Communication
- Buildings
- Energy efficiency
- Materials
- Alternative construction techniques
- Feature and reinforce brickwork
- Fireplace and chimneys

## Benefits to business:

- Gain qualified employees
- Improve staff loyalty and retention

## Qualification:

Level 2 Standard in Bricklaying



### Completers may want to progress to

Upon completion, apprentices will meet the requirements to obtain a Construction Certification Scheme (CSCS) Card. Completers can join the Federation of Master Builders' continuous professional development (CPD) scheme for individual tradespeople

## Entry Criteria:

- GCSEs in English and maths grade 9 - 3 or A\* - D

## Benefits for learners:

- Receive training from experts with years of industry experience
- Become occupationally competent



## Why work with Gloucestershire College

We will work in partnership with you to help you achieve your business objectives by providing exceptional apprenticeship programmes, a comprehensive range of staff training and skills development courses and access to an unrivalled resource of motivated and work ready employees.

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## End Point Assessment

The End Point Assessment will test the entire Standard, and be undertaken as follows:

- Portfolio of Evidence
- Short research assignment
- Synoptic Knowledge Assessment
- Synoptic Practical Assessment
- Synoptic Interview

## Components

- Functional Skills English and maths Level 1 (working towards Level 2)

## Knowledge, Skills and Behaviours

### Knowledge

- Health and safety
- Customer service
- Communication
- Buildings
- Energy efficiency
- Materials
- Alternative construction techniques
- Feature and reinforce brickwork
- Fireplace and chimneys

### Skills

- Preparation and materials
- Safe working
- Working area
- Masonry structures
- Radial and battered brickwork
- Feature and reinforced brickwork
- Other brickwork
- Building technology

### Behaviours

- Positive and mature attitude
- Quality focused
- Effective communication
- Self-motivated learner

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