

BRICKLAYER APPRENTICESHIP LEVEL 2

EMPLOYER TRAINING & APPRENTICESHIPS

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: 24 months
plus 3 months 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

For new or existing staff

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 at grade 9-1 or A-G

Benefits for learners:

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

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End Point Assessment

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

- Portfolio of Evidence
- Synoptic Knowledge Assessment
- Synoptic Practical Assessment
- Synoptic Interview

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