

Motor Vehicle Apprenticeship

Who is it for?

This course will give you the skills and knowledge you need to be able to pursue a career in motor vehicle maintenance. As an apprentice you will gain valuable experience working with an employer fixing exhausts, tyres and brakes, whilst gaining the skills of communication, using invoices and calculating quantities of materials. In the workshop you will learn how to use car lifts and power tools. The Level 3 Advanced Apprenticeship will require some supervisory elements.

If you are interested in learning through practical experience, this could be the course for you.

What qualifications do I need?

Level 2 Apprenticeship – we would like you to have 4 GCSE's at grade D-E preferably including Maths and English.

Level 3 Advanced Apprenticeship – we would like you to have 5 GCSE's at grade A-C, including Maths and English.

All applicants will be asked to attend an interview with the Trainer/Assessor and complete a short initial assessment. This will take approximately 1hr.

What skills and knowledge will I learn?

National Vocational Qualification (NVQ)/ Technical Diploma

G1 Contribute to workplace housekeeping	VF 08 Inspect and repair LV clutches
G2 Reducing risks and Health and Safety	VF 09 Inspect and repair LV exhaust components
G3 Maintain working relationships	VF 10 Inspect, test and repair batteries
VF02 Inspect and repair high performance tyres	VF 11 Inspect and repair LV dampers
VF07 Carry out light vehicle alignment	VF 12 Inspect adjust and repair LV braking systems

Additional Qualifications

Functional Skills Maths, English and ICT
 Employment rights and responsibilities

Where do I learn?

During the course you will be expected to attend the training centre 1 day a week to work towards the theory elements of the framework. The other 4 days will be spent working with your employer gaining the skills and knowledge required to complete your NVQ (on the job).

You will be expected to attend the training centre to complete Key/ Functional skills as these will be embedded into your programme and delivered on your training centre day.

Your Apprenticeship will take approximately two years to complete.

What happens afterwards?

You may gain employment with your employer and/or decide to complete an Advanced or Higher Apprenticeship.

What shall I do next?

Contact the Training Centre on the details below and ask for an Application form.

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