

# Improving Operational Performance

## Level 2



# Overview

## Apprenticeship: Improving Operational Performance

**Qualification:** Level 2

**Duration:** 12-18 months

Semi-Skilled Engineers are employed across many engineering disciplines to produce and manufacture a wide range of components and assemblies.

The foundation apprentice will be employed throughout the process and attend college on a day release basis for one year. All apprentices are supported throughout the entire journey by a specialist Skills Development Coach who is from your chosen industry and has a passion for apprenticeship training.



### Type of job roles the programme is for

- Semi-skilled Engineering Fitter (Fitting and Assembly)
- Semi-skilled Fabricator Welder
- Semi-skilled Machinist

### Qualifications

- Level 2 Improving Operational Performance
- Functional Skills in Maths
- Functional Skills in English

### Progression opportunities

- Level 3 Engineering qualification

### Core competencies

- The ability to use hand tools and make accurate measurements
- The ability to read and understand basic drawings and technical information
- Ability to work as part of a team and to meet deadlines

# Training Process

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- New learners are assessed by a Skills Coach to ensure their suitability for the programme.
- After this, they will complete an initial assessment and scoping to identify areas of improvement, and development goals for the apprenticeship.
- An apprenticeship induction is then held for new learners, where they will be introduced to the schedule of study.

### Optional routes

- Intermediate Level in Performing Engineering Operations
- Intermediate Level in Performing Manufacturing Operations
- Intermediate Level in Business Improvement Techniques

# Pathway

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There is a clear GC Education & Skills career pathway for the apprentice once they've completed the Level 2 Improving Operational Performance course.

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## Engineering Apprenticeship Routes

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### Level 3

Fabrication and Welding Level 3

Maintenance Operations Engineering Technician Level 3

Mechanical Manufacture Level 3

Technical Support Level 3