APPRENTICESHIP STANDARD: SITE CARPENTER L2

You will gain hands-on experience, expert guidance, and practical skills in construction. You'll work on real projects, ensuring you're well-prepared for a career in a high-demand field with excellent job prospects and growth opportunities.

Level 2 · Apprenticeship · Penwith College

TOP COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

INDUSTRY-STANDARD FACILITIES | HIGHLY EXPERIENCED TUTORS | DEVELOP SKILLS IN LINE WITH INDUSTRY NEEDS

LEARN FROM SECTOR EXPERTS

Gain invaluable insights and hands-on experience from industry expert tutors who bring real-world knowledge and expertise to the classroom. Their guidance will help you develop the skills and confidence needed to excel in your chosen field.

DEVELOP WORK-RELATED SKILLS

Enhance your practical abilities and gain hands-on experience that directly translates to the workplace. This apprenticeship course focuses on real-world applications, ensuring you are well-prepared to meet the demands of your chosen career.

ENJOY PROFESSIONAL SURROUNDINGS

Immerse yourself in a dynamic and supportive environment that mirrors the professional world. This apprenticeship course provides access to state-of-the-art facilities and resources, helping you to thrive and feel confident in your career journey.

WHY CHOOSE THIS COURSE?

This apprenticeship standard offers a comprehensive training programme for individuals keen to develop their skills in the construction industry. This Level 2 apprenticeship, typically lasting 24 months, equips apprentices with the expertise to work with wood-based materials, creating and installing essential building components such as doors, staircases, and roof structures. Apprentices will gain hands-on experience on construction sites, learning to use tools and machinery safely and efficiently. This apprenticeship is ideal for those looking to build a career in a high-demand field, contributing to the creation of homes, schools, and other vital infrastructure.

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

Knowledge This apprenticeship covers essential knowledge areas, including understanding health, safety, and welfare principles in the workplace, and effective communication and compliance with instructions. Apprentices will learn about the properties and uses of wood-based materials, the processes for shaping and cutting these materials, and the installation of building components such as doors, staircases, and roof structures. Additionally, they will gain insights into the use of tools and machinery, ensuring work is carried out safely and to the specified quality standard. **Skills** This apprenticeship equips learners with a range of practical skills essential for the construction industry. Apprentices will learn to interpret technical drawings and specifications, measure and mark out materials accurately, and use a variety of hand

and power tools safely and effectively. They will develop the ability to install building components such as doors, staircases, and roof structures, ensuring all work meets quality standards. Additionally, apprentices will gain experience in erecting structural frameworks, fitting floor joists, and installing partitions, all while adhering to health and safety regulations. **Behaviours** Apprentices are expected to demonstrate professional behaviours such as reliability, a positive attitude, and a commitment to quality work. They should show respect for colleagues and clients, work effectively as part of a team, and adhere to health and safety regulations at all times. Additionally, apprentices should be adaptable, willing to learn, and able to solve problems efficiently. **Typical Duties that an Apprentice will carry out in the workplace:**

- Assisting in project layout and preparation: Working under the guidance of experienced carpenters to setup and plan projects.
- Measuring, cutting, and assembling materials: Using precision to ensure components fit correctly.
- Operating hand and power tools: Safely using tools such as saws, drills, and sanders.
- Installing structures and fixtures: Helping to install doors, windows, staircases, and flooring.
- Performing repairs and maintenance: Carrying out necessary repairs and upkeep tasks.

WHERE WILL IT TAKE ME?

Completing the Site Carpenter Apprenticeship opens doors to a variety of exciting career opportunities within the construction industry. With your skills and qualifications, you could pursue roles such as a site carpenter, bench joiner, shop fitter, or kitchen fitter. Apprentices can also progress to the Level 3 Craft Site Carpenter Apprenticeship Standard with Truro & Penwith College.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Grade 2 GCSE (E) in English and Maths.

IMPORTANT

Course information can change. Please use the QR code below for the current assessment arrangements, entry requirements and start dates.

FOR THE LATEST COURSE INFORMATION

Scan for assessment arrangements, learner support, confirmed start dates and how to apply.