
Electrical Apprentice

Cambridge & Chelmsford Opportunities Available

Framework: NVQ Level 3 Electrotechnical Systems & Equipment
Hours: 37.5 hours per week
Duration: 4 years

Role Description

Are you outgoing, ambitious and looking for an exciting career that makes use of your practical skills? We are looking for a determined and flexible individual to join our Electrical Apprenticeship Programme. The successful candidate will be expected to commit themselves to learning both on site and at college in order to gain their NVQ Level 3 Advanced Apprenticeship in Electrotechnical Systems and Equipment. In return we offer the opportunity to work within a team of highly skilled engineers in a lively and welcoming environment with full training and support provided.

The apprenticeship operates on a block release system meaning that the successful candidate will spend time at college completing their academic studies and time on site gaining practical experience. The second 2 years are more site based where you will prepare for your AM2 Practical Assessment. On successful completion you will gain your NVQ3 Qualification. (Please note: course details may be subject to change).

Over the four year apprenticeship you will learn how to:

- Install, maintain and repair electrical services (e.g. lighting, sockets, fire alarms, emergency lighting & lighting controls)
- Work indoors and outdoors and be prepared to sometimes work at height and in confined spaces
- Work with little or no supervisions; relying on their own initiative
- Develop good working relationships with people and colleagues
- Read both building and engineering drawings
- Understand wiring and circuit diagrams
- Select (within limits) materials and equipment
- Inspect and test electrical installations
- Diagnose and rectify faults on a range of circuits and equipment
- Plan electrical activities
- Install complex electrical systems
- Commission and decommission electrical systems
- Maintain a safe working environment for electrical activities
- Contribute to the improvement of business products and services for electrical work activities
- Certify in and abide to all Health & Safety standards on a construction site

With a long standing apprenticeship programme, we are committed to developing our apprentices and we are confident that we offer great prospects for personal and career development within the company on completion of the course.

Applicants will be required to demonstrate:

- Good numeracy and literacy ability
- Good communication skills

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- A keen interest in building design and sustainable/environmental issues
 - An interest in technology
 - An aptitude for technical subjects or be practically orientated; especially for mechanical, electrical projects
 - An ability to analyse and solve problems, including a practical hands-on approach

Applicants should also be able to:

- Show a willingness to learn and apply the knowledge gained within the workplace
- Demonstrate motivation to succeed within the industry/sector
- Demonstrate the ability to communicate effectively with a range of people
- To show careful thought and consideration when working on own initiative or in a team, especially in difficult situations and be able to take responsibility when the need arises
- Demonstrate potential to complete the qualifications which are part of the apprenticeship programme
- Demonstrate excellent timekeeping skills
- GCSE Grades A-C or equivalent in English Language or Literature, Maths and a Science or Technical based subject, are essential to meet course requirements.

Applicants will need to have the ability to work at heights or in confined spaces and be aware that because of the varied tasks that will be expected to be undertaken in relation to the role, some of these may be physically and exhaustively challenging.

Individuals will need to make themselves fully aware of the safety issues and the regulations associated with the work they carry out.

Full Health & Safety training will be provided for all apprentices. Apprentices will always be working as part of an experienced team & will be supervised by senior personnel.

About Us:

Munro Building Services are a specialist maintainer and installer of mechanical and electrical services which bring buildings to life and provide functionality for people who use it. From leisure centres to office buildings and universities, we work closely with our clients, in the East Anglian region, and operate from offices in Cambridge and Chelmsford. We deliver sustainable engineering solutions which look after our customers and we achieve this by harnessing the skills and talent of the people in our business, which in turn develops excellent teams and individuals in this exciting industry.

Our apprenticeship programme is fundamental to this and is a pathway to a long term career, with many of our directors and senior managers of today having started their careers as an apprentice.

This is an excellent opportunity to join a fast-paced and very established Building Services contractor. Starting an apprenticeship is the perfect way to develop skills and begin a career.

Please complete and return the application form on our website and send via email to info@munroservices.co.uk or post it to us, using the pre-addressed envelope in your pack.

Visit our apprenticeship page on our website:

<http://www.munrobuidingservices.co.uk/careers/apprenticeship-programme.php>