The Sheffield College

Apprenticeships +

Machining Technician

Sector	Engineering
Who is it for?	New recruits and existing staff
Start date	September
Level	3
Duration	42 months plus three month end-point assessment
End-point assessment	Ongoing assessment and final grading through end-point assessment
Qualification	Level 3 Manufacturing Technician
Delivery model	Weekly college session

This standard aims to give the Apprentice the knowledge, skills and behaviours to provide specialist technical support for engineers.

Day-to-day tasks would include producing complex and precision work using metal or specialist materials using conventional or CNC machine tools. Machining technicians interpret information and plan their activities. They also set up, operate and adjust machine tool settings.

Typical job roles include:

CNC machinist

Centre lathe turner

Precision engineer

Borer

Gear cutter

What your Apprentice will learn



Apprentices develop knowledge, skills and behaviours to be able to work effectively in their job role.

These form the Apprenticeship standard that has been developed and agreed with employers.

The knowledge, skills and behaviours that your Apprentice will learn include:

Knowledge

Awareness of environment and sustainability regulations

Engineering materials and their structure, properties and characteristics

Tooling and work-holding devices

Engineering representations, drawings and specifications

Engineering mathematical and scientific principles

Planning techniques



Skills

Plannig, setting up, operating and adjusting conventional or CNC machines

Identifying and actioning issues in the manufacturing process

Applying machining operations and techniques to produce complex components

Applying continuous improvement techniques

Following and applying inspection, quality assurance procedures and processes

Behaviours

Supports an equality, diverse and inclusive culture

Responsible

Acts ethically

Collaborative

Health and safety awareness



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