

Bricklayer



LEVEL
2

Level: 2

Duration: 24-30 months

Delivery Models: Day release

Bricklayers build and repair structures, walls, chimneys, walkways and foundations using various types of blocks and brick. Their work can range from a house extension to a major stadium project!

They might also refurbish brickwork and masonry on restoration projects. The range of sites and projects that bricklayers will work on include large commercial developments, new builds in housing, alterations, extensions and restorations. A bricklayer may work one-on-one or on larger jobs where their bricklaying group (gang) may work on a particular section of a building alongside other bricklaying gangs as well as other trades.



Skills an apprentice will learn

- How to use bricklaying tools and equipment
- Set out and build brickwork, including simple arches and surrounding brickwork
- Set out and build brickwork, including common decorative features such as oversailing courses and simple corbels
- How to build using modern construction methods e.g. timber frame cladding
- Preparation of materials
- Interpret drawings and specifications
- Measure the work area and set out level first courses of bricks to a plan, including bonds for openings and the damp course

Qualifications Awarded

- Apprenticeship certificate
- Level 1 and/or level 2 maths and English (if applicable)

End Point Assessment Content

Knowledge test, skills test and sector competence questioning.

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