

APPRENTICESHIP VACANCIES

We are recruiting for new Apprentices who are interested in a career in Engineering to join Airedale between now and early April 2023.

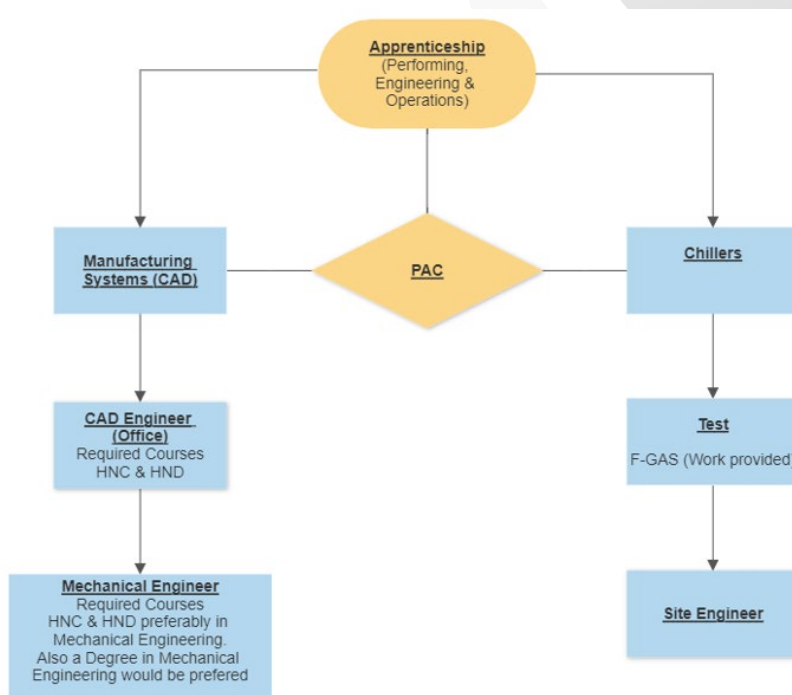
As the lead UK air conditioning manufacturer, operating from our state-of-the-art 23,000m² manufacturing facility in Rawdon, we work hard to be the best. Established in 1974, we have a strong history of innovation and quality that has allowed us to grow and develop into the world leading global company we are today. In the UK alone we have more than 650 employees and we are growing rapidly; as part of the Modine group we employ over 11,000 employees worldwide.

Our equipment supports the way we live and work, whether it be providing precise climate control for data centres that support our digital lives, or comfortable, clean air in hospital wards. Innovation is key to our success and that is why we invest so heavily in our people. We attribute much of our achievement to the quality of engineers, sales, marketing, finance and administration people who have chosen to be part of our team.

What can you expect as an apprentice?

You will start out by spending at least 18 months in various divisions within production; working on different product lines and units. This will help you to build a foundation of knowledge within different disciplines including mechanical; electrical and brazing. You will be trained by skilled engineers who have many years' experience with our products and have built a portfolio of different skills. At the same time you will be enrolled on a college course on a day release programme. We work with Leeds City College, Bradford College, UTC, Wakefield College and Leeds College of Building (among others), typically you will start on a course such as "Performing Engineering Operators". You can expect to attend college 1 day a week, and spend 4 days a week at the Airedale facility in Leeds for on the job training. We would prefer apprentices to remain in college up to around Level 4/5 (HNC/HND level) and we do have some apprentices who have gone onto a degree (level 6), all financially supported by the Company.

There are various paths apprentices can follow and two typical pathways are shown below. Although we can be flexible and work with you to find the career path that suits you. We have had some apprentices follow a Sales route, and even our current Managing Director started out as an Apprentice at Airedale, so the options are there for you – if you put the work in!



Shift: 6am – 2.30pm Monday to Thursday, 6am to 11.40 Friday
(39 hours per week)

What do we need from you?

We will consider an apprentice who has 5 GCSEs at Grade 4 and above in Maths, English and Science. In addition, we are looking for someone who possesses a strong work ethic, enthusiasm, motivation, ability to use initiative and a willingness to learn – there is every opportunity for you to build a strong, successful career with us if you put the effort in.

Airedale has a strong focus on Quality and as such recognise the 'Voice of the Customer' in everything we do. You must have high standards and attention to detail.

Health and Safety is of utmost importance in our workplace and as such you need to have an understanding of it and be willing to adhere to health and safety rules for the benefit of the workforce.

In return:

In addition to a competitive salary, Airedale offer • 25 days holiday per year (plus stats) • A 7% employer pension contribution (salary sacrifice) • Life Assurance policy • Employee discount scheme on various high street retailers, supermarkets, cinema tickets and holidays • Salary sacrifice schemes: cycle to work and a car scheme • Employee Assistance Program • Workwear and required PPE provided • Free on-site parking • On-site shower/changing room and bike-park facilities.

Please contact Rachel Phillips Rachel.M.Phillips@airedale.com or Jen Peachey Jennifer.E.Peachey@airedale.com if you would like further information or would like to apply.

Prospective candidates must have proof that they have the right to work in the UK.