



ACLJ Plumbing & Heating
Kesgrave
Ipswich
Suffolk

Company website: www.aclj-plumbing.co.uk

Level 3 Plumbing and Domestic Heating Technician

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Company Overview

ACLJ Plumbing and Heating is based in Ipswich, Suffolk, serving most areas of Suffolk and occasionally parts of Essex. Owner/engineer Luke Smith is experienced in all areas of plumbing, heating and gas safety including full central heating installations and bathroom refits.

Luke has built a loyal customer base over the last 11 years by providing an efficient, reliable, and honest service with a professional but friendly attitude. Luke takes the safety of his customers very seriously and is Gas Safe registered.

ACLJ carry out:

- Gas boiler replacements, repairs, and servicing
- Vented and unvented cylinder installation
- Power flushing
- Central heating system installations / radiators
- Gas oven/fire testing & servicing
- Private Landlord's Safety Certificates
- Bathroom and shower installations
- General plumbing and pipe work

The Role

ACLJ is looking for a hardworking, reliable apprentice Plumbing and Domestic Heating Technician to learn to plan, select, install, service, commission and maintain all aspects of plumbing and heating systems. Working in customers' homes, (inside or outside) this role requires excellent customer service skills, politeness, and respect, along with good attention to detail, hygiene, and tidiness.

As an apprentice Plumbing and Heating Technician, your role will include the installation of plumbing and heating systems including measuring, marking, cutting, bending, and jointing metallic and non-metallic pipework. Appliances and equipment can include gas, oil and solid fuel boilers as well as pumps, filters, heat emitters, controls, bathroom furniture and water softeners as part of cold water, hot water, and central heating systems or above ground drainage and rainwater systems.

Plumbing and Domestic Heating Technicians are at the forefront of installing new and exciting environmental technologies like heat pumps, solar thermal systems, biomass boilers and water recycling systems.

It is important that you can work independently or as part of a team, using the knowledge and skills learned to ensure that both the system and appliances are appropriately selected, correctly installed (often without supervision), and in a safe, efficient, and economical manner, minimising waste.



Key Information

- All construction related trades make best use of daylight hours and therefore an early start is often required.
- The work can be physically demanding and involves using various tools and chemicals. Working in a manner that ensures the health and safety of yourself and others is essential.
- It is important that you be able to demonstrate your willingness to learn all aspects of the plumbing trade and progress to become a valued team member. The ability to work well as a team but with the discipline to remain self-motivated when working independently is essential.
- Day release to Suffolk New College or West Suffolk College to complete apprenticeship college training will be required.
- In addition to the practical skills learned, you will demonstrate a willingness to always provide excellent customer service and be a positive company ambassador for ACLJ Plumbing & Heating.

The hours for this role are 30 hours per week, worked between Monday-Friday (including day release to college.)

Desirable Skills and Attributes

- Positive attitude
- Trustworthy and reliable
- Excellent time keeping
- Quick learner
- Strong attention to detail
- High level of accuracy
- Motivated to achieve and progress
- Works efficiently
- Can take instruction
- Good commitment to both on and off the job learning

Reward

- Salary will be £5.00 per hour
- 28 days holiday including Bank Holidays
- Day release to Suffolk New College or West Suffolk College to complete apprenticeship college training.

Entry Requirements

GCSE grades A*-C (9-4) in Maths and English are mandatory.