



AIR POWER EAST LTD
COMPRESSED AIR SOLUTIONS

Air Power East Ltd
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Job Title: Apprentice Compressed Air Engineer

Qualification: Level 3 Compressed Air and Vacuum Technician

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Company Overview

Based in Stanton, Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk, Air Power East Ltd is a leading supplier of Compressed Air Solutions in East Anglia. We are looking for an Apprentice Engineer to join our successful team. The ideal candidate will have an interest in engineering and a hands-on career working with Compressed Air. You will be working with engineers, in a workshop, on the job training and working in the field during the apprenticeship.

Job Description

This is a fixed term position from the commencement of the apprenticeship until completion of the apprenticeship qualification which is expected to be in the region of 36 months in total. The apprenticeship may lead to a full-time job as a skilled engineer.

The role is based on 40 hours a week work with one hour allowed for lunch,(8-5pm Monday to Friday) including study time to complete the mandatory 6 hours Off the Job Training study time within those hours to complete the **Level 3 Compressed Air and Vacuum Technician**

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Key Duties

Overview:

- To carry out planned maintenance on air compressors and ancillary equipment
- To assist with installations and servicing and repairing compressed air systems
- To organise and complete air tool repairs
- To assist with spares identification, supporting goods in/out orders/finding parts for engineers as may be required
- To support the engineers by attending equipment breakdowns and to carry out repairs
- Complete relevant paperwork in detail, ensuring it is clear, accurate and legible
- Provide the highest standard of care for our customers

Desired Skills

- Interest or experience in mechanics, pneumatics, working on cars/vehicles/plant or farm equipment
- Basic mechanical engineering
- Strong communication skills and the ability to build excellent relationships with all customers, team members and management
- Tenacity and positivity with a strong drive to succeed

Desired Personal Qualities

A team player with a positive attitude who is trustworthy, methodical and dependable. A self-motivated individual looking to increase their knowledge base and engage with all areas of the business.

Qualification's

- GCSE at Grade 4 or above in Maths and English
- Desirable ICT qualification and/or knowledge of Microsoft, Outlook

Entry onto the apprenticeship is subject to a initial assessment to establish course suitability. Ideally applicants should have at least 4 GCSEs including English and Maths at grades 9- 4.

Reward

- **Salary** Minimum of £4.81 per hour National Apprenticeship Minimum wage, up to £6.00 per hour depending on experience
- **Holiday** 28 days holiday per year including Bank and Public Holidays

Benefits

- Company uniform
- Free parking
- Free tea and coffee
- PPE
- Tools and Clothing allowance

To apply for this role, please register your interest by emailing your CV and accompanying letter to: apprenticeships@suffolk.gov.uk