

BET's dedicated online logbook

In September 2013 BET introduced a bespoke online logbook, this is fully accessible via smart phones, tablets, laptops and desktops. The online logbook allows evidence to be captured instantly and uploaded to the candidate's logbook, reducing the time needed to produce photographic evidence and given apprentices greater flexibility. The employer will also be able to log in and review the progress of their apprentice at any time. At present at least 25% of our employers engage in apprentice progress via the online portfolio. A full induction into the online logbook is given to employers at the beginning of the apprenticeship.

BET have now introduced a new Virtual Learning Platform

The new platform will enable new students and employers to access lessons, homework and supporting information via the internet. This will give the employer access to the learner's progress via the internet.



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What to do next

The process of recruiting an apprentice for your business couldn't be easier.

Employer Incentive Grants

The National Apprenticeship Service (NAS) is awarding a grant of £1,500 per apprentice to businesses who have not taken an apprentice in the last 12 months (maximum of 5 grants).

Apprenticeship Grants for Employers of 16 to 24 year olds are available to small-medium size employers (with less than 50 employees) who have not taken on an apprentice in the last 12 months.

For candidates aged 16-18 training is fully funded for the duration of their apprenticeship, candidates 19-24 only receive half funding and therefore require an employer contribution to the training.

Recruitment

BET support all aspects of your recruitment process to make sure that your apprentice is right for your business from day one. BET can provide you with a list of suitable candidates in your area or advertise the position on National Apprenticeship Service. We will then assist you through the interview and application process.

For further information on how to recruit an apprentice call our team on 0121 616 0700 or visit our website:

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Employer Information

Birmingham Electrical Training

BET was formed by contractors for contractors and has been providing electrical installation training for apprentices since 1991 delivering Advanced Apprenticeships to NVQ Level 3 in electrical installation.

BET is a nationally recognised company which is supported and fully funded by the Skills Funding Agency (SFA).

Our dedicated training centre provides excellent facilities in supporting both the practical and theory aspects of the qualification. Our centre comprises of a dedicated IT suite, fully equipped class rooms, fully functioning workshop and our own AM2 centre.

'Off the job' training is provided by 6 tutors who have a vast electrical experience within the electrical industry and are dedicated to passing on their knowledge to the next generation of electricians.

Training in the workplace is provided by employers and is overseen by BET's team of training officers who have a wealth of knowledge and provide constant support and guidance throughout the apprenticeship.

With a dedicated team of tutors and training officers providing a quality service BET's aim is to exceed the requirements of national standards and enhance our reputation as a training provider of high repute.

BET is a firm believer in providing a total apprentice training solution for contractors, ensuring that they receive the very best in bright young talent.

What is an Advanced Electrical Apprenticeship?

Advanced apprentices work towards work-based learning qualifications. It is the academic equivalent to two A levels, and students will have to demonstrate both a good practical grasp of the subject and a thorough understanding of technical elements.

The main parts of the Advance Apprenticeship are as follows:

C&G 2357 Diploma in Electrotechnical Technology

The advance apprenticeship lasts for 42 months (although previous experience and qualifications may reduce this). Training will be provided to enable completion of the NVQ Level 3 in Electrotechnical Installation which includes the City & Guilds 2357 Certificate in Electrical Installation Technology, Functional Skills (Maths, English and ICT) and finally the industry's own practical performance assessment, the AM2 test, which is normally taken towards the end of the fourth year. An example of the timescale for delivery of training is shown opposite.

NVQ

An NVQ Level 3 electrical installation qualification is a portfolio of evidence gathered from the workplace and assessed by an experienced Training Officer on an on-going basis. Evidence can be uploaded to the online logbook via smart phones, tablets and laptops.

Industry Assessment

AM2 test at the end of the apprenticeship.

Additional Qualifications

A BET apprentice will gain 2 additional qualifications within the C&G 2357 Diploma:

City & Guilds 2382-15 17th Edition
City & Guilds 2394 Initial Verification

Year 1

- 601 – Health & Safety
- 602 – Environmental Technologies
- 606 – Termination and Connecting (Part 1)
- 609 – Electrical Principles

Year 2

- 603 – Overseeing & Organising the Work
- 705 – Preparation & Installation of Wiring & Equipment
- 606 – Termination & Connecting (Part 2)
- 604 – Planning & Selection for an Installation
- 608 – Diagnosis & Fault Correction

Year 3

- 607 – Inspection, Testing and Commissioning

On completion of the apprenticeship an application to the Joint Industry Board (JIB) for grading as an electrician can be applied for.