

Apprenticeships

Carpentry & Joinery (Bench) - Level 2

Craft with Precision — Hire Joinery Apprentice

Detailed craftsmanship. Workshop expertise. Skilled future joiners.

Why Hire a Joinery Apprentice?

- Build your workshop team with trained joiners
- Develop bespoke manufacturing and fitting skills
- Reduce recruitment costs and support succession planning
- Access funded training and mentoring

What Apprentices Learn:

Joinery apprentices gain the technical and practical skills to produce and install high-quality joinery products in workshop and site environments:

- **Manufacturing Bespoke Joinery Products**
Creating doors, windows, staircases, cabinetry and mouldings using timber and sheet materials.
- **Using Workshop Machinery & Hand Tools**
Operating saws, planers, routers, and sanding equipment safely and accurately.
- **Reading Technical Drawings & Specifications**
Interpreting CAD drawings and design briefs to produce precise components.
- **Measuring, Marking & Cutting Materials**
Preparing timber and sheet goods with accuracy and attention to detail.
- **Assembly & Finishing Techniques**
Joining components using traditional and modern methods, applying finishes and preparing for installation.
- **Health & Safety in the Workshop**
Following safe working practices, using PPE and maintaining a clean and hazard-free environment.
- **Installation Skills**
Fitting finished products on-site, ensuring alignment, finish quality and client satisfaction.
- **Sustainability & Waste Management**
Minimising waste, recycling materials and understanding environmental responsibilities.
- **Teamwork & Professional Conduct**
Working with designers, site teams and clients to deliver high-quality outcomes.

Why Partner with Bishop Auckland College?

- Tutors with specialist joinery experience
- Local support and apprentice recruitment
- Trusted by bespoke joinery firms and fit-out contractors

Typical Duration:

24 months plus 3 months for EPA

Delivery:

Attend college one day per week

End Point Assessment:

- Multiple choice exam – 60 mins
- Practical assessment in college – 2 days
- Professional discussion underpinned by a portfolio of evidence – 60 mins

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