

Machining Structure

Year 1

- Offsite training at Worcester Group Training x 4 days
- College study x 1 day
- 1 week residential
- Level 2 Foundation Competence Qualification

Year 2

- 2 week induction at Mazak
- Rotation of core modules:
 - Assembly Appreciation
 - Bay 9 - Jig Boring
 - FH Line - Turning
 - Grinding
- 1 day college leave (year 2 only)
 - Level 3 AME Diploma in Engineering

Year 3

- Specialisation in a core module
- Level 3 Developmental Competence Qualification
- Potential HNC progression

Course Length

- 3 years

Entry Requirements

- Grade 5 in GCSE Maths and grade 4 in GCSE English and Science



Q&As

What do you consider to be your greatest achievement?

My greatest achievement is getting a shift leader role in the last year of my apprenticeship to progress on to a team leader position!

What is the most important lesson that life at Mazak has taught you?

Never give up, and if you work hard, you will always be rewarded. No matter what anybody says, try your absolute best and you will see that all the hard work definitely pays off!

What do you enjoy most about your Mazak apprenticeship?

I enjoyed the first year at the training centre, as this is where it all started and I learnt the basics ready for my future career. I am also enjoying my final year where I have specialised in The Grinding Room, where I am learning all the different machines on section and completing my NVQ.

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