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APPRENTICE BRICKLAYER

Career Profile





Qualifications & Training







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Bricklayers lay bricks, pre-cut stone, concrete blocks and other types of building blocks in mortar to construct and repair walls, foundations, partitions, arches and other structures.

A bricklayer may perform the following tasks:

- Work from plans and specifications
- Seal foundations with damp-resistant materials
- Spread layers of mortar to serve as a base and binder for bricks, • remove excess mortar, and check vertical and horizontal alignment
- Use various tools and brick-cutting machines to cut and shape bricks
- Construct arches and ornamental brickwork
- Repair and maintain clay bricks, cement blocks/bricks and related structures

Bricklayers at Story Homes work as part of the wider team and will work outdoors and may have to work at heights. Our Apprentice Bricklayers start on a competitive salary which is above Apprenticeship & National Minimum wage and steadily progresses with experience and gualification.

There are no set qualifications to become an Apprentice Bricklayer with Story Homes but it helps to have GCSEs (A*- C) in Maths and English or equivalent in order to progress on the apprenticeship. We don't expect apprentices to have worked on a site but we are always keen to hear from those that already have construction site experience, which can be gained by working as a labourer.

Everyone who works on our sites must hold a Construction Skills Certification Scheme (CSCS) card or equivalent and must attend and pass all other health and safety tests as part of their role. We support all apprentices with gaining these standards.

As an apprentice working with Story Homes, we expect you to have:

- A responsible attitude towards work safety, especially at height
- A commitment to quality work shown through your dedication to your apprenticeship and in the work that you do
- A passion for practical skills
- The ability to follow specific plans and instructions precisely
- The ability to work in a well organised and accurate way
- Good team working skills
- A commitment to punctuality and self-motivation

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Progression Opportunities

At Story Homes we want to help you think about your career longer term and a 2 year apprenticeship with us opens up a number of exciting opportunities dependant on your performance and progress:

