

Apprentice Case Study



TOM FLETCHER
LEVEL 3 METAL FABRICATOR
EMPLOYED BY PURE COMPANIES



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Before starting my Apprenticeship, I was completing a Level 3 NVQ in Engineering. I didn't enjoy this, as I felt it didn't offer me any hands-on experience, only knowledge questions.

I started an Apprenticeship in Engineering because I wanted more practical experience when working and I liked the idea of earning money whilst learning. I have gained lots more knowledge and experience compared to that of the NVQ course.

Pure Companies, is home to three leading companies all operating within complementary fields. We supply and manufacture ducting for ventilation and air conditioning units across the UK and aboard. As a team Pure Companies won The Apprenticeship, Training and Skills Award at Bolton Business Awards 2023, held at the Bolton Whites Hotel in September.

As a Metal Fabricator Apprentice in the workshop, I assist in fabricating the ducting so that it can be delivered to the job site. I occasionally work in the production fume cupboards at Pure Fabs as well.

My Apprenticeship has boosted my confidence because I have developed many new skills and I can visualise things before they are made, giving me skills for life.

During my Apprenticeship I have learnt how to weld, fabricate, evaluate and also use machinery. I have also recently completed and passed a Forklift course at Alliance Learning, giving me further skills.

In the future, I plan on progressing through my company and becoming the best version of myself, hopefully teaching others an becoming a team leader one day.

Alliance Learning are a good training provider, and when I need to contact them, they are easy to get in contact with.