



Apprentice (Mortimer Quarry)

Hills Quarry Products Ltd is recruiting an Apprentice, starting from September 2019. The role will be based at the newly-opened Mortimer Quarry near Reading.

Reporting to the Quarry manager, the successful candidate will be fully trained up - over a period of approximately 15 months of work-based learning with 20% off-the-job training - to be a Mobile and Static Plant operator, competent to be responsible for operating either fixed or mobile heavy plant equipment efficiently and safely and having gained Level 2 Diplomas in Plant Operations and Processing Operations.

The successful candidate will need to be comfortable in a role which, as a member of a small, friendly and professional team, is very largely based outside throughout the year and in a quarry environment. They are likely to be mechanically-minded, with excellent listening skills and a methodical, calm approach to a challenge.

They will need to demonstrate an eagerness to learn and to develop personal skills in a practical setting. Being highly motivated, flexible, self-disciplined and able to work under pressure to meet strict deadlines at times, they will be required to be a team player but also able to work on their own, when appropriate.

Spatial awareness, hand/eye co-ordination to handle mechanical equipment, knowledge and previous experience of use of hand tools, knowledge of basic health and safety and basic computer skills are desirable.

The ability to drive and have own transport would be an advantage but assistance may be given.

Please contact Alex Penny on 01793 781193 for an application pack, quoting 'Apprentice at Mortimer Quarry'.

The Hills group is committed to monitoring and maintaining equal opportunities and welcomes applications from all sections of the community.

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