Apprentice Case Study

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Warburtons

Family Bakers

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Before applying to Alliance Learning, I completed 2 years as a Software Development Apprentice at Fujitsu. Prior to this, I completed a BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Engineering, leaving with a grade of D*D*D* (Triple Distinction Star).

I decided to do an Apprenticeship because I am a hands-on learner and I learn by doing and seeing, therefore I felt an Apprenticeship would cover this. I also knew by opting for this route, it would give me the opportunity to learn on the job and be set up with the skills needed for a strong career.

I am now two years into my Apprenticeship with Alliance Learning, I have completed my first year in which I worked towards an EAL Level 2 certification in Advanced Manufacturing Engineering and the 2nd year, completing an EAL Level 3 Diploma in Advanced Manufacturing and Engineering - Mechatronics Maintenance Technician.

My current job role includes responding to call-outs with Engineers, completing PMs (planned maintenance tasks) and supporting wherever I can when I feel comfortable to do so. In addition to this, I am always keeping to a high standard of work and ensure that I am working safely at all times.

This Apprenticeship has aided me hugely in becoming the person I am today, not only in the skills I have learnt to be able to do the jobs on-site, but also in helping me become a more confident individual.

My plans for the future would be to continue to develop my skills and become more confident in my job role. Ideally, I'd like to be offered a permanent contract at the end of my Apprenticeship at Warburtons and be here long term.

Overall, I am really enjoying my time at Alliance Learning. It is a good place to learn new skills needed in the industry and has various equipment which allows you to get the most out of your training to take back to the workplace.