



What can I earn?

The National Minimum Wage (NMW) for apprentices is £4.15 per hour as from April 2020. The apprentice NMW applies to apprentices aged under 19 or aged 19 or over and in the first year of their apprenticeship. Apprentices aged 25 and over and not in the first year of their apprenticeship will be entitled to the full NMW.

Year	25 and over	21 – 22	18 – 20	16 – 17
April 2020	£8.72	£8.20	£6.45	£4.55
April 2021	£8.91	£8.36	£6.56	£4.62

How many hours a week should I be working?

The minimum duration of each apprenticeship is based on the apprentice working 30 hours a week or more, including any off-the-job training you undertake. However, this does not apply in every circumstance. For example, people with caring responsibilities or people with a disability may work reduced weekly hours. Where this is the case, the duration of the apprenticeship will be extended to take account of this. The time spent on off-the-job training should be at least 20% and should be included as part of your hours. Your employer must allow you time to complete your apprenticeship within your working hours. If you need support with English and Maths, this should also be within working hours. Apprentices under the age of 18 are not permitted to work more than 40 hours per week.



“I have gained knowledge, skills and work experience through the college’s apprenticeship programme. It has prepared me to pursue my interests in professional pathways allied to the agriculture industry.”

Ami, Agriculture apprentice

Further Education Open Events

We offer several Open Events throughout the year. Open Events are a great opportunity to tour our grounds and facilities, meet our staff and learn about our courses.*

We have Information Evenings when tutors, lecturers and support staff from accommodation and transport are available to answer your questions. Information about all our Open Events can be found at askham-bryan.ac.uk/whats-on.

* Following government advice due to Covid-19, our Open Events are currently being held online; we will resume on-campus Open Events as soon as we can.

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01904 772277

Newcastle
0191 491 1275

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Middlesbrough
01642 327998

Saltaire
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Apprenticeships



What is an Apprenticeship?

An apprenticeship offers practical job training with study. It is an opportunity to earn experience through genuine employment at a workplace and learn through our courses at college.

What levels are there?

All apprenticeships include elements of on-the-job and in-classroom training enabling industry-recognised standards, or qualifications. Some apprenticeships will require an assessment at the end of their programme which evaluates the apprentice's ability and competence in their job role.

Name	Level	Equivalent educational level
Intermediate	2	Five GCSE passes at grade A* – C or 9–4
Advanced	3	Two A Level passes / Level 3 Diploma / International Baccalaureate
Higher	4, 5, 6 and 7	Foundation degree and above
Degree	6 and 7	Bachelor's or Master's degree

Entry Requirements

Apprenticeships are available to anyone over the age of 16 who are living in England. The National Apprenticeship Service is committed to ensuring that high-quality apprenticeships are a prestigious option, accessible to all people from all backgrounds. All vacancies on www.findapprenticeshiptraining.apprenticeships.education.gov.uk will clearly state what the entry requirements are for the job role being advertised. There will be different entry requirements depending on the industry, job role and apprenticeship level. Those who have not achieved GCSE grades A* – C or 9–4 in English and Maths (or equivalent) can work towards Level 2 Functional Skills and must complete the assessment before the endpoint assessment.

Apprenticeship Programmes



Course Area	Apprenticeship	Delivery Location			Delivery Mode
		York	Newcastle	Middlesbrough	BR / DY / WK / BL
Agriculture	Level 2: Stockperson	Y			DY
	Level 2: General Farm Worker	Y			DY
	Level 3: Livestock Unit Technician	Y			DY
	Level 3: Crop Technician	Y			DY BR
Arboriculture and Forestry	Level 2: Arborist	Y			BR
Engineering	Level 2: Construction Plant Maintenance Engineer	Y			BR
	Level 2: Land-based Service Engineer	Y			BR
	Level 2: Hire Controller (Plant, Tools and Equipment)	Y			BR
	Level 3: Construction Plant Maintenance Engineer	Y			BR
	Level 3: Land-based Service Engineering Technician	Y			BR
Equine	Level 2: Equine Groom Standard				WK BL
	Level 3: Senior Equine Groom Standard				WK BL
Horticulture	Level 2: Golf Greenkeeper	Y			BR WK BL
	Level 2: Horticulture Operative	Y		M*	BR
	Level 2: Sports Turf Operative	Y			BR WK BL
	Level 3: Landscape/Horticulture Supervisor	Y		M*	BR
	Level 3: Advanced Golf Greenkeeper	Y			BR WK BL
	Level 5: Golf Course Manager	Y			BR WK BL
Land and Wildlife	Level 2: Countryside Worker	Y			BR
	Level 2: Underkeeper				BR
Veterinary Nursing	Level 2: Animal Care and Welfare Assistant	Y*			DY BR WK BL
	Level 3: Veterinary Nursing	Y	N		DY

KEY:

Y = York N = Newcastle M = Middlesbrough

BR = Block Release DY = Day Release WK = Workplace BL = Blended Learning

*Dependant on student demand