

PLACEMENT DESCRIPTION

Employer: WEX TEMPLATES

Contact:

Supervisor:

Employer Tel:

Website:

Job: Plumber

Classification: Construction and Building

Ref: 13,079

Aims & Objectives: To Develop Key skills through the experience of work and to gain an insight into working as a Plumber

Key Tasks:

Students will do a certain amount of observation then with training and under supervision may do basic tasks. Duties may include installation and repair of central heating systems, installation and repair of bathrooms, kitchen plumbing and under floor heating. Observing and learning about installation, connection, basic assembly of parts. Some office/paperwork. Liaising with customers

Requirements: Should have common sense, confidence and initiative with a genuine interest in this work. Should be able to communicate well and follow rules closely.

Clothing: Should not be afraid to get dirty. Steel capped boots should be worn (Boots can be borrowed from the Careers Service on deposit tel: 706567) Clothing should be suitable for work sites.

Working Hours: 8 - 4.30pm Monday to Friday (max 37 hrs)- lunchtimes may be unsupervised

Meal Breaks: quarter of an hour in morning and half an hour for lunch

Interview Required: Y

Student to Arrange: Y

Notes: Student to contact employer to arrange an interview / informal chat prior to starting the placement.

Employer's Health & Safety Risk Assessment:

LACK OF KNOWLEDGE, EXPERIENCE & AWARENESS: Student must be supervised at all times.

EQUIPMENT & MACHINERY: Student will not use power tools, hand held tools are permitted under supervision and after training.

CHEMICALS & FLAMMABLE MATERIALS: Student will not come into contact with hazardous chemicals.

SLIPS, TRIPS & FALLS: Student will not work at heights. Student will not work from a ladder (for access & egress only)

LIFTING & MANUAL HANDLING: Safe lifting and handling to be shown as required, student must not be encouraged to lift more than his/her capabilities.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: Personal protective equipment will be provided and must be worn as directed e.g. gloves, goggles etc.

CHILD PROTECTION ISSUES: Student may travel or be working on a one to one with a trained plumber.

ELECTRICITY: Safe use of electrical items to be shown.

WORKPLACE SPECIFIC HAZARDS: Student must take care on building sites for trip hazards, holes etc. Also for vehicles moving around.

Special Notes:

Parents/Guardians will be expected to give details of any health problems e.g. epilepsy, asthma etc on the agreement form

Last Visit Date:**Next Visit Date:****Risk Band:** M