

Apollo Vehicle Panel

Brief Overview

At Apollo Motor Group we have a fantastic opportunity for an enthusiastic individual to kick start their career and join our skilled team training as a Vehicle Panel Technician. If you are interested, apply now!

Vacancy Description

Throughout our 33-year history, the Apollo Group has repeatedly impressed and set industry standards with unparalleled service excellence. As a result, the company has evolved into the best known and most valuable repair group in the South of England.

You will receive exceptional training from our team of fully qualified Senior Technicians in the latest techniques for restoring vehicles to a pristine condition.

These techniques include:

- Stripping of vehicles for repair as per job card
- Panel removal, repair and refit
- Reporting any extra parts needed to Workshop Controller/Estimator
- Complete quality control check sheet
- Check the correct repair method is being used
- Demonstrating Chassis alignment techniques
- Set up welding equipment correctly as per repair methods
- Use of extraction at all times and the correct fillers
- Correctly fitting vehicles after repair
- Checking locks, lights, electrics as per quality control

Skills needed

- Strong communication skills
- Well organised
- Ability to work in a fast-paced working environment
- A keen interest and passion for motor vehicle

Personal Qualities

- Ability to work independently and as part of a team
- Using initiative
- High level of attention to detail

Qualifications Required

Minimum requirements range from 4 GCSE equivalents at Grade 4 or above. These must include English and Maths, with ICT preferred but not essential.

Important Other Information

You may be called by our dedicated training provider, Remit Group, who will discuss you through the recruitment process and guide you through the recruitment process. This call may come from a Nottingham (0115) number.

Vacancy Question 1

What has sparked your interest to become a Body Repair Technician?

Vacancy Question 2

How would you get to work each day?

Employer Description

Apollo Motor Group was founded in Portsmouth in 1985 by Graham and Tracy Eyles. Under their ownership they have steered Apollo to become the 3rd largest independent accident repair group in the UK. Apollo currently has 15 sites across the South of England and continues to go from strength to strength with the acquisition of 4 new sites in 2017 in Salisbury, Sittingbourne, Swindon and Westbury.

Apollo places its employees at the heart of the business and even though the group has grown to 350+ employees, it still withholds its family values. Every single person is important, cared for and holds a valued position within the company.

The Company is dedicated to exceeding customer expectations and continually improving repair quality. All the sites are accredited to BSI standard BS10125, ensuring all repairs are carried out to manufacturer repair standards and providing customer peace of mind.

In addition to BS10125 many of Apollo's sites hold prestigious manufacturer approvals including Mercedes-Benz, Jaguar, Landover, Audi, Honda, Seat, Volkswagen, Skoda, Mazda, Renault, Citroen, Peugeot, Hyundai and Mitsubishi.

Long Term Company

You will naturally progress onto to your Level 3 apprenticeship. On completion of the Level 3 qualification, you will be fully qualified as a Vehicle Panel Technician in which you could receive an average OTE salary between £35,000 to £50,000 a year.

Training to be provided

This is a Vehicle Body Repair Apprenticeship, delivered by our dedicated partner, Remit Group.

Training is delivered on a block release basis at the Remit Academy in Derby.

This means you will be required to stay in a hotel for 4 separate weeks (Mon – Fri) over the 18-month duration of the course. All associated costs for training are met by the employer and there will be no cost to you.

You will also be assigned a dedicated Development Coach who will visit you every 4-6 weeks at the workplace, giving 1-2-1 information, advice and guidance.

As a result, you will achieve the following:

- VRQ & VCQ level 2 certificates in Vehicle Body Repair
- Functional Skills in English & maths (if required)

Website

<http://www.apollomotorgroup.com/>