EMPOWERING

THE NEXT GENERATION:

THE BENEFITS OF TAKING ON APPRENTICES IN YOUR BODYSHOP



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THE NEED FOR SKILLED, PASSIONATE PROFESSIONALS IS MORE CRITICAL THAN EVER.



As a workshop owner, you have the unique opportunity to shape the future of the industry by taking on apprentices who will grow into tomorrow's owners, managers, and leaders. This isn't just about filling roles - it's about investing in the future of your business and the broader industry.

Join Us in Shaping the Future

The skills gap in the vehicle accident repair industry is an ongoing challenge that we can only overcome through collective effort. By taking on apprentices, you are directly contributing to a positive change that will benefit not just your business, but the entire industry.



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WHY TAKE ON AN APPRENTICE?

The blend of college study and practical body shop experience offers a comprehensive training ground for apprentices. This dual approach ensures that new talent is not only well-versed in the latest industry standards and technologies but also familiar with the hands-on demands of a body shop environment.

By integrating apprentices into your team, you can:

1. **Tailor Talent to Fit Your Business:** Apprenticeships allow you to train new talent according to your body shop's specific processes, standards, and culture. This alignment ensures that apprentices grow to become valuable, long-term contributors who understand and uphold your business's unique ethos.
2. I**nject Fresh Perspectives and Energy:** Young apprentices bring fresh ideas and a new perspective to the workplace. Their enthusiasm and eagerness to learn can rejuvenate your team and inspire innovation, leading to improved workflows and creative problem-solving.
3. **Cultivate Future Leaders:** By mentoring apprentices, you are directly influencing the next generation of industry professionals. Your guidance and expertise will help shape them into leaders who can carry forward the values and practices that make your business successful.
4. **Contribute to Industry Sustainability:** The automotive repair industry is facing a skills gap that threatens its future. By taking on apprentices, you're not just investing in your business - you're playing a vital role in sustaining the industry as a whole, ensuring that it continues to thrive for years to come.

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HOW IT WORKS

We are actively seeking engagement with any businesses or people in the industry who want to contribute to this positive change. We mediate between you, your potential apprentices and training providers to ensure a pro-active flow from a young person expressing interest to employing them in their new career.

Government funding is available, dependent on the size of your business and your existing payroll.



Payroll UNDER £3M - Less than 50 Employees and apprentices aged 16-18	0% You Pay 0% of apprenticeship training costs	100% Government pay 100% Of apprenticeship training costs	Your funds Use funding for new apprentices or existing staff	Incentive Incentive payment from the government
Payroll UNDER £3M	5% You Pay 5% of apprenticeship training costs	95% Government Pay 95% Of apprenticeship training costs	Your funds Use funding for new apprentices or existing staff	Incentive Incentive payment from the government
Payroll OVER £3M	0.5% You Pay 0.5% of your annual payroll as a government apprenticeship levy and receive a 15k allowance	10% Government will top up your contribution with an extra 10%	Your funds Use funding for new apprentices or existing staff	Incentive Incentive payment from the government

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WE'RE HERE TO SUPPORT YOU

Don't forget, we're here to help. Our mission is to demonstrate that apprenticeships can be versatile and impactful, benefiting both apprentices and the businesses they work for.



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SHAPE THE FUTURE OF VEHICLE REPAIR



Take on an apprentice and pass on your skills to the next generation.

By taking on an apprentice, you're not just filling a position, you're building the future of the vehicle repair industry.

HOW WE SUPPORT YOU

- RECRUITMENT
- SOURCING TRAINING PROVIDERS
- HELP WITH FUNDING
- APPRENTICE AGREEMENT



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