

# JOB DESCRIPTION

## APPRENTICES – 2007

Are you seeking an apprenticeship with a dynamic, forward thinking motorsport and automotive technology company?

If so, Prodrive still has vacancies in the following areas:

Department	College	Site
Automotive Technology	Warwickshire College	Warwick (Fen End)
Composites	Oxford & Cherwell (Bicester)	Milton Keynes
Manufacturing (Machining and Bodyshop)	Warwickshire College	Banbury

Apprentices receive training both in-house and off-site to achieve the necessary level of competence to progress into a role within Prodrive. Most apprentices carry out placements across the company, which gives them a valuable insight into each area.

We are looking for enthusiastic people in 2007 who have achieved grade C and above at GCSE level, have a passion for motorsport or cars and who can demonstrate these important values:

- Can do – a positive attitude and the ability to find alternative solutions to problems
- Relentless – exceeding expectations and continually exceeding goals
- Rigorous – a commitment to achieving the best solutions
- Creativity – endeavouring to find new ways of doing things and learning from past experiences

The manufacturing motorsport apprenticeship scheme is for motorsport industry employees and takes place over a period of three years, as follows:-

### Year 1

- Term 1: 12 x full weeks in college (6 hours per day)
- Term 2: 12 x day release days in college (1, 7 hour day per week)
- Term 3: 12 x day release days in college (1, 7 hour day per week)

Years 2 and 3 each consist of 36 weekly day release days in college.

Apprentices should become full-time employees of Prodrive and are evaluated in the workplace through the collection of 'portfolio' evidence, as well as being guided and assessed through workplace monitoring visits.

The curriculum content includes:-

- Fabrication and welding
- Machining
- Pattern making
- Composite and other engineering materials
- Appreciation of engineering processes
- Mechanical principles
- CNC operations
- Electrical principles
- Engineering drawing
- Engineering mathematics
- Health & safety

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