

<b>Job title</b>	: Craft Apprentice x 6	<b>Location</b>	: St Asaph
<b>Remuneration</b>	: £13,065 - £19,598	<b>Type of Contract</b>	: 4 year fixed term contract
<b>Hours of Work</b>	: 36 hours a week	<b>Closing date for applications</b>	: 29 <sup>th</sup> June 2018

### Introduction

*An Apprenticeship is a period of time for an individual to develop skills/knowledge, gain experience and achieve a qualification to be in the best position for their future career.*

A Craft Apprentice follows a set Apprenticeship learning plan as outlined below, after the successful completion of which the Apprentice will have gained the skills required to apply for, and complete, a Craftsperson role specialising within Optical, Coating, Machining or Assembly disciplines.

### Description

The successful applicants will follow the Craft Apprentice plan outlined below:

- **Craft Apprenticeship Programme:**
  - 4 year fixed term contract
  - Follow a Manufacturing and Engineering internal foundation development plan
  - Complete Performing Engineering Operations (PEO)
  - Complete a Level 3 BTEC Diploma in Engineering
  - Complete a Level 3 Mechanical Manufacturing NVQ in Mechanical/Photonics Engineering
  - Complete a Mechanical Engineering Higher National Certificate (HNC)
  - Complete Engineering Essentials Key Skills
  
- **Craft Apprenticeship Development Plan:**
  - Attending an approved qualification programme on day release basis (dependant on Engineering qualifications, successful candidates may be expected to attend College on a full-time basis for the first year)
  - Qioptiq Development Plan
  
- **Craft Apprenticeship Outcome:**
  - Successful completion of Qioptiq Craft Apprenticeship

### Qualifications Required

It is essential that all applicants have a high level of general education and must have GCSE qualifications in Mathematics, English Language and Science at grade C or above. Candidates must also be computer literate and have proven Mechanical aptitude with a sound knowledge of Engineering principles.

Applications will only be considered from candidates who have completed, or part-completed, a relevant engineering course. Please provide details of modules completed, along with results.

### How to Apply

**Please ensure you complete a "Qioptiq Limited Application for Employment Form" in full.** This form can be downloaded from the careers section of the Qioptiq website: [www.qioptiq.com/careers](http://www.qioptiq.com/careers).

*You must support the application form with a cover letter and a resume (Microsoft Word or .pdf format). Applications may be returned by email to [Erin.Cooper@UK.qioptiq.com](mailto:Erin.Cooper@UK.qioptiq.com) or by post to: Erin Cooper, Human Resources Department, Qioptiq Limited, Glascoed Road, St Asaph, Denbighshire, LL17 0LL, UK.*

Application forms must be **received** by Qioptiq Limited by the specified vacancy closing date.