BISHOP BURTON College

Level 2 Golf Greenkeeper Apprenticeship

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Subject	Level	Study Mode	Duration	Start Date
Horticulture	Level 2	Full-Time	2 years	Any Time

The Course

This apprenticeship will prepare you for work as a golf greenkeeper. As an apprentice you will have a job and a wage whilst building up knowledge and skills within the golf greenkeeping industry. Following completion of this course you will also be eligible to join the British and International Greenkeepers Association (BIGGA).

Course Aims

- To develop your knowledge, skills and behaviours as required for employment and future career progression within the industry.

What You Will Study

- Preparing golf courses for play, including removing morning dew, raking bunkers, moving tree markers and cutting new holes on greens
- Applying turf treatments to produce quality playing surfaces
- Maintaining and renovating bunkers
- Preparing and using equipment to maintain and renovate all turf surfaces

Entry Requirements

You will need appropriate employment in the golf-greenkeeping industry. It is preferable that you have a minimum GCSE grade 3/D in English and Maths.

Teaching and Learning Approach

You will develop your knowledge, skills and behaviours through theory and practical-based lessons.

Time Required on Campus

You will be released from work one day per week to undertake training at college.

Work Experience

Employed within the industry, you will work 30 - 40 hours per week.

How You're Assessed

You will be assessed through an end point assessment (EPA) and graded pass, merit or distinction. Please note that the duration does not include the EPA.

Clothing, Equipment and Additional Costs

- Stationery such as pens and paper
- An electronic device to access online learning, i.e. a laptop
- Boots and appropriate outdoor wear for practical sessions

Progression

More advanced courses and apprenticeships are available at the college for further progression.

Careers

Following completion of this course you will be able to work as an accredited greenkeeper.

Financial Information

Find the full details of the fees associated with this programme and the financial support available on our https://www.bishopburton.ac.uk/degree-level-courses/information/fees-and-finance.

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