

# Construction

## Foundation Brickwork

**Campus:** Rotherham College

**Code:** R07SP01

**Level:** 1

### About This Course

This one-year course is designed to provide you with a basic knowledge and understanding of Bricklaying and to help you to develop a range of related skills. You will meet key employers in the trade, undertake visits to a range of companies to boost your learning and also carry out meaningful voluntary work that will enhance your CV.

### What Will I Study?

You will study a range of topics including:

- Understanding Site Procedures in Construction
- Construction of Half Brick and Solid Walling
- Setting out Regular Buildings
- Construction of Cavity Walls
- Basic Trowel Skills and Brick Bonding
- Carrying out Block and Brick Laying Activities

### Why Study Here?

You will have the opportunity to:

- Work in industry-standard facilities at our Construction Centre
- Learn from industry professionals
- Develop wider skills such as employability and teamwork
- Participate in industry competitions and inter-college challenges

### Entry Requirements

- There are no formal entry requirements though you need to have a genuine interest in the area and a practical aptitude for the subject. You will undertake initial diagnostic tests and have an interview before starting the course
- GCSE English and Maths can be studied alongside your chosen course.

## How To Apply

You can apply using our online application form and clicking the **Apply Now** button at the top of this page.

For more information support with your enquiry or application please contact Student Services by emailing [info@rotherham.ac.uk](mailto:info@rotherham.ac.uk) [mailto:[info@rotherham.ac.uk](mailto:info@rotherham.ac.uk)] or by calling **01709 362111**.

## What Courses Can I Progress Onto?

- Level 2 Bricklaying
- Intermediate Apprenticeship in Bricklaying

## Tuition Fees

- 16-18 year olds do not need to pay course fees
- Those aged 19 or over may not need to pay fees depending on their circumstances. Find out if you qualify for help with your fees [<https://www.rotherham.ac.uk/course-fees/>] .

If you need further advice or guidance please contact the Enquiries Team on **01709 362111**.

### PLEASE NOTE

We make every effort to ensure information within our online course directory is accurate and a true representation of the courses we are offering in 2026-27. However, we do reserve the right to make changes if necessary.

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