

Apprentice Laboratory Technician (September 2026 start)

Location: **Huddersfield**

Posted: **15th July 2026**

Employer: **Kirklees College**

Role type: **Apprenticeship**

Entry Requirements:



Kirklees College is a large further and higher education provider with over 10,000 students and 300+ courses across seven specialist centres in West Yorkshire. The college serves school leavers, adults, and degree-seeking students through full-time, part-time, and apprenticeship programs.

Business

FE College

Training provided

Level 3 Laboratory technician

Pay details

National Minimum Wage rate for apprentices

Hours

37 hours per week

Requirements

- GCSE maths and English at grades 9-4
- Passion for science
- Good communication skills
- Attention to detail
- Team working
- Problem solving
- Physical fitness

Minimum age

16

Description

The role of the lab technician is to ensure the safety of equipment, laboratories, and preparation areas, including:

- Testing of science apparatus
- Daily visual checks of gas, electricity and water supplies
- Safe storage of hazardous apparatus and chemicals
- Monitoring and maintenance of hazardous sources
- Maintaining accurate inventories of departmental resources
- Assessing future stock requirements and placing orders as required for departmental resources and stationery
- Carrying out routine maintenance and minor repairs within the department
- Preparing and setting out apparatus at the start of a lesson

- Supporting the lecturer where needed during the lesson
- Cleaning and removing apparatus at the end of each lesson
- Reviewing and reorganising the storage of apparatus on a regular basis

How to apply

Please apply on the [Find an apprenticeship](#) website.

To enquire about this role:

