

MEET RONNIE HORLEY GROUNDWORKER APPRENTICE



Ronnie is one of our newest apprentices, currently working towards his Level 2 Groundworks apprenticeship. He attends Milton Keynes College one day a week and has been gaining valuable experience on a couple of different projects alongside his mentor since joining Aden. In honour of National Apprenticeship Week, we had the opportunity to sit down with Ronnie to discuss his apprenticeship journey and hear what it's like being part of the Aden team.

What inspired you to choose an apprenticeship over other career or education paths?

I thrive on challenges, and I'm confident that a career in construction will provide the dynamic and rewarding challenges I seek.

Can you describe a typical day in your apprenticeship?

Eventful, fast-paced, and rewarding challenges.

What skills have you learned so far?

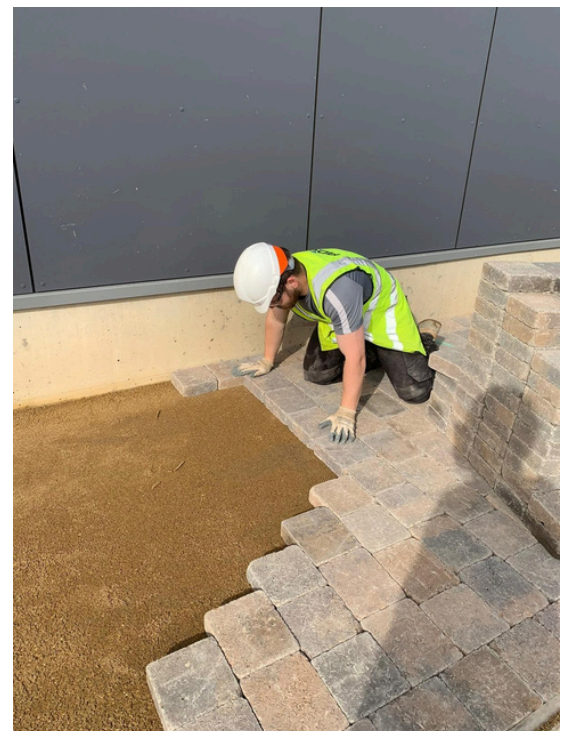
A diverse skill set including edgings, kerbs, excavation, pipe work, drainage, and safety awareness.

How has your apprenticeship helped you grow personally and professionally?

I have grown more confident in myself and have become even more outgoing and social.

What kind of support do you get from Aden Contracting?

They always support me and I know I can always reach out if I ever need anything.





What's your favourite part about learning on the job versus traditional classroom learning?

Being a hands-on learner, this approach suits me perfectly.

What advice would you give to someone considering an apprenticeship?

Take the leap—if it's not for you, you will have learnt transferrable skills that you can take away with you, and that's the worst that can happen.

What do you enjoy most about working for Aden Contracting?

This company's multicultural environment allows me to meet a diverse range of people and learn from various perspectives and experiences.

What makes Aden's apprenticeship program stand out from others?

They are genuinely invested in the well-being and development of their apprentices.

What's one thing you wish people knew about being an apprentice?

You will have numerous opportunities to learn and grow throughout the course.

How has the apprenticeship helped build your confidence?

I interact with a wide variety of people on a daily basis.



What's been the most surprising thing you've learned during this experience?

How to build connections with people from diverse backgrounds and age groups.

We wish Ronnie the best of luck with the rest of his apprenticeship.

