

JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Title	Bonding Technician
Reports To	Team Supervisor (Bonding)
Function	Assembly/Production
Version/Date	January 2025

Job Purpose

Reporting to the Team Supervisor (Bonding) you will be responsible for the installation of composite components into a vehicle chassis to the required quality standards and project timescales.

You will need to work well within a small production cell with the ability to build relationships and communicate well with the other business functions, especially the Engineering and Quality team.

Key Responsibilities

Responsibilities include:

- Install interior vehicle composite components using bonding methods to the required level of quality within the required project timescales.
- Maintain production work area to ensure a clean, safe, and efficient workspace.
- Fabricate shop aids, required tooling, test specimens and developmental parts where required
- Maintenance of the production logs and documenting all work for traceability and auditing.
- To participate in the training programme, undergo further training as required and participate in schemes to ensure on-going competence.
- Work alongside the workshop staff and process documentation in a timely manner without compromising quality.

Qualifications/Skills

- Dexterity and attention to detail manipulating composite panels and build fixtures.
- Ability to read and understand technical drawings, documentation, work orders, quality specifications, and process guidelines.
- Strong team working skills and ethos.
- Strong attention to detail with the ability to work precisely and accurately to manufacturing schedules.
- Previous experience within a manual manufacturing environment.
- Aptitude for following safety protocols.
- Ability using cutting, trimming, sanding, drilling, and finishing tools.
- Capability to actively participate in continuous process improvement.
- Capacity to maintain clean, safe work environment and procedures.
- Experience with armoured vehicles would be preferable but not essential.
- German language is desirable but not essential.
- You will be a good team player with a positive attitude, a willingness to learn and develop your skills and being able to use initiative to suggest solutions to problems.
- Previous experience with bonding applications desirable.

Personal attributes and other requirements

- As a defence contractor, we have a number of security obligations placed upon the Company, which means that all our staff, must be able to successfully achieve the relevant security clearances.
- Holds a valid UK driving license.
- A passion for working in engineering/defence environment.

Working Conditions

Typically, office based (Newcastle upon Tyne) but occasional travel may be required across the UK and with potential periods overseas when required.