

NOW HIRING for August/September start! Mobile Classroom Construction Skills Tutor

This is a unique opportunity to make a difference to students seeking vocational skills. Working within the charitable sector you will have the opportunity to teach BTEC Level 1 Construction, AQA Awards and Engagement Construction Skills Courses to students aged 14 – 19 in school.



SATRO is a small but highly impactful educational charity working with young people from the ages of 8-19 in schools across Surrey and its bordering counties. We work with corporates and charitable funders to inspire a new generation of students in their interests, their pathways for the future and support to build the skills they will need.

Assistant Head Teacher, Altwood School *“A wonderful opportunity for students to engage in a meaningful programme that develops students both socially and academically. The SATRO construction course offers students real currency and enables them to succeed practically, setting them up as desirable candidates to progress onto college courses and apprenticeships. This is what vocational education should be!”*

SATRO Construction Students

- *“we get to experience things not on the curriculum”*
- *“Not focussed on academic ability”*
- *“Can lead to an apprenticeship or job”*
- *“Motivates me to come to school because it’s my favourite subject”*
- *“Like working in a small group”*
- *“Like being trusted to use tools”*

Parent of Student

“We’re really pleased that Kieron was chosen for this apprenticeship though his own merit. it was his talking about the SATRO construction course that so impressed them and really put him ahead of the other candidates.....I could not be prouder – thank you for giving him this experience.”



You will join a committed team of 8 mobile tutors with support from the central SATRO office for running qualifications and programme coordination. You will be provided with a van with all the tools and materials needed to teach the courses and will attend schools across your area for morning or afternoon weekly sessions per school, across an academic year. We currently teach over 430 students a year on a range of units covering joinery, plumbing, electrics, careers pathways and employability skills in mainstream, alternative provision, pupil referral units and special needs schools.

Salary: £28-34,000 (FTE) dependent on experience and qualifications

Hours: Term-time (plus 2 weeks) Part or Full-Time (minimum 3 days)

Location: SATRO is based in Surrey and works across Berkshire, Hampshire, Sussex and West London Boroughs.

You will have experience of the construction industry or other relevant industry as well as experience of teaching or training young people. This opportunity is open to those working in construction with training experience or those already working in the education sector as a Teaching Assistant or Technician who would like to grow their career in education. We offer Level 3 AET (previously PTTLs) training and support to staff without a teaching background.

Purpose of the Job:

SATRO is an educational charity running a fleet of 8 mobile classrooms, teaching construction skills to young people aged 14-19 in schools across Surrey, Hampshire, Berkshire, Sussex and West London Boroughs.

We are looking for an enthusiastic and personable individual who has a passion to inspire and enthuse young people to reach their full potential. We want someone who believes every young person has the potential to achieve and exceed their expectations. This is an exciting opportunity for an experienced individual who has worked in the construction industry, to teach a recognised qualification and key skills to differing groups of students and young people, including those with special needs. An ability to accommodate differential learning is essential.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:

- To work with learners giving practical instruction (predominately joinery/plumbing/electrics) and sharing vocational experiences in construction skills.
- Ensure that the learners have an effective and enjoyable learning experience by providing high quality information, guidance and advice.
- Plan, review and deliver quality practical and theory based sessions giving comprehensive instructions to learners.
- Complete all portfolio paperwork in line with SATRO and BTEC/AQA policies and standards. Assess learners work and cross reference against these standards giving detailed verbal and written feedback.

- Monitor and record student attendance and progress.

GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Work flexibly across locations in Surrey, Hampshire, Berkshire, Sussex and West London.
- Attend training and maintain CPD in both construction and education.
- Undertake any other responsibilities and ad hoc duties as required by SATRO.
- Promote the principles of Equality and Diversity and ensure that the policy is fully applied at all times.
- Understand and adhere to all personal responsibilities under Health & Safety and Safeguarding procedures, and ensure that the policies are adhered to at all times.
- Strictly adhere to all SATRO policies, processes and procedures and work to the values, vision and priorities of the Charity.

SKILLS, KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:

Essential

- A solid background and experience of working within the construction industry.
- Ability to deal effectively with and communicate clearly to people at all levels.
- Able to work unsupervised and manage work to meet targets and deadlines.
- A full clean driving licence.
- Candidates will be required to complete an enhanced DBS check.

Desirable

- Experience in education or training with young people.
- A teaching or training qualification or equivalent (we will support those without to gain a AET/PTLLS qualification).
- Good organisation and administrative skills.

Following interview we offer the opportunity for you to join one of our tutors at a session near you to gain an insight into the work involved in being a SATRO Construction tutor.

For an informal chat about the role, please contact Rachel Howseman, Construction Programme Manager on 01483 688071 or email rachel.howseman@satro.org.uk

To apply for this vacancy, please complete an application form and send to Rachel Howseman, Construction Programme Manager, rachel.howseman@satro.org.uk