



**BLUE LION**  
TRAINING ACADEMY



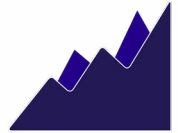
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## WHO IS THIS APPRENTICESHIP SUITABLE FOR?

Improvement Specialists are responsible for leading the deployment of the improvement strategy. They will have a broad and deep technical expertise in advanced Lean, Six Sigma, Project and Change Management tools & principles which will enable them to support the delivery of improvement opportunities aligned to the business goals.

### Learn about:-

- Leading Improvement Teams
- Project Planning
- Voice of the Customer
- Process Mapping & Analysis
- Data Analysis – Statistical Process Control
- Failure Mode Avoidance
- Process Thinking
- Safe working



Level 5  
Improvement  
Specialist

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- ✓ Need to be employed in a Continuous Improvement Management role
- ✓ Previously completed either Yellow or Green Belt Lean Six Sigma qualification
- ✓ UK Resident for the last 3 years
- ✓ English & Maths qualifications desirable

## JOB TITLES INCLUDE

Transformation Manager,  
Continuous Improvement Expert,  
CI Lead or Manager



**CI & MANAGEMENT PATHWAY: LEVEL 5 - IMPROVEMENT SPECIALIST APPRENTICESHIP**

## APPRENTICESHIP COMPONENTS

### DELIVERY MODEL

Build on your knowledge of Continuous Improvement whilst coaching & mentoring Practitioners within your organisation. Learn to utilise Minitab to analyse your team's data & feedback to manage the Continuous Improvement process whilst supported by a Blue Lion expert tutor!

Our flexible delivery model will introduce each learner to the tools & techniques required to support each learner to manage projects effectively.

At Blue Lion, you can expect to receive:-

- Tailored tutor led delivery
- Personalised 1-2-1 tutor support sessions
- Assessments to demonstrate knowledge
- Set tasks to apply skills & behaviours
- Tri-partite progress reviews with Manager & tutor

### WHY BLUE LION TRAINING ACADEMY?

- ✓ Grade 1 Outstanding "OFSTED" training provider
- ✓ Lean Six Sigma Black Belt certification included
- ✓ Full key account management with monthly or quarterly reviews
- ✓ Learner centric reporting suite for employers
- ✓ Sector specific tutors with industry experience
- ✓ Bespoke delivery made fit for purpose
- ✓ 100% first time pass rate
- ✓ Local and national delivery
- ✓ Full cost training also available on request

### FUNCTIONAL SKILLS

All learners will be required to complete Level 2 Functional Skills English & Maths, unless they can provide certificates for previous qualifications achieved e.g. GCSE's, A-Levels, Key Skills. Whether they're just starting out their career journey or are a mature learner who have misplaced their certificates, there's no need to worry!

Our dedicated tutors are committed to guiding each learner every step of the way, ensuring they successfully achieve their Functional Skills.

Learners can embrace the opportunity to enhance their skills and secure a brighter future in their chosen field, supported by our Blue Lion team.

### OFF THE JOB TRAINING (OTJ)

Learners are required to complete 6 hours of "OTJ" training per week. All activities are designed to support learners develop the knowledge, skills and behaviours to become occupationally competent.

Learners can access tasks and activities through our e-learning platform bud, which simplifies OTJ logging for effortless tracking!

### END POINT ASSESSMENT

**Assessment method 1:** Examination based on mini case studies with multiple choice exam  
**Assessment method 2:** Professional discussion underpinned by a portfolio of evidence