

SECTOR FOCUS:

# Advanced Manufacturing in Lancashire

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Lancashire Enterprise Partnership

Lancashire is one of the UK's leading centres for Advanced Manufacturing and Engineering – with products manufactured in Lancashire being exported all over the world.

There are lots of exciting career opportunities in the sector due to the ageing population and growing demand for products that are made in the UK. This is creating high demand for young people with Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths qualifications.

## What jobs are available?

Typical jobs and starting annual salaries in the sector include:



DESIGN ENGINEER

**£23,000**



AEROSPACE ENGINEER

**£23,000**



CHEMICAL ENGINEER

**£28,000**



SENIOR TOOL MAKER

**£27,000**



TEXTILE DYEING TECHNICIAN

**£20,000**



FOOD SCIENTIST

**£22,000**

## Fast facts

Number of Lancashire employees includes:



AEROSPACE  
**12,900**



AUTOMOTIVE  
**4,100**



FOOD AND DRINK  
**13,500**



TEXTILES  
**3,700**



CHEMICALS  
**4,300**



The Enterprise Zones at Samlesbury and Warton will create an additional

**6,000**  
highly skilled jobs



Nearly  
**22,000**  
workers need replacing by 2022



## What companies are based in Lancashire?

Leading Advanced Manufacturing and Engineering employers include:

- BAE Systems
- BCW Engineering
- Burton's Foods
- Evans Vanodine International
- Fox's Biscuits
- Graham & Brown
- Hotter Shoes
- Leyland Trucks
- Panaz
- Pepsi
- Rolls Royce
- TRW Automotive
- Victrex

There are also many smaller businesses in the supply chain.

## How do I get into the sector?

You can get into advanced manufacturing via a number of routes, post 16, including:

- COLLEGES
- UNIVERSITIES
- TRAINING PROVIDERS
- APPRENTICESHIPS AND TRAINEESHIPS
- **Click on a route above to find out more**

## How do I find out more?

For more information, go to:

### NATIONAL CAREERS SERVICE

- <https://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk>

### LANCASHIRE SKILLS & EMPLOYMENT HUB

- [www.lancshireskillshub.co.uk](http://www.lancshireskillshub.co.uk)

### SEMTA

- [www.semta.org.uk](http://www.semta.org.uk)