

Katie Helliwell

Construction (Digital
Construction
Management) Level 5
Foundation Degree Higher
Level Apprenticeship

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Katie started studying her HLA with the goal of getting practical experience out on site as she worked towards her gualification.

According to Katie, the best thing about undertaking a HLA is getting to work and study at the same time. She also thinks it has given her greater experience and understanding on how the construction industry works. Katie says: "My experience has been challenging but rewarding. It is a lifetime achievement and I have had really good fun along the way".

Katie recommends anyone considering a HLA to "just go for it". She says employers are so friendly and helpful, she has no regrets and believes its important you be yourself and find an employer that's the best fit for you.

Katie also says: "There are going to be good days and bad days, but you will have this anywhere you go - just don't panic. It's all part of the experience and you will always learn."

Applications are open for the Construction (Digital Construction Management) Level 5 Foundation Degree Higher Level Apprenticeship.

This course is validated by The Open University.

Upon completion, graduates are eligible for progression onto BSc (Hons) Construction Degree HLA at SRC or other BSc Construction courses at UK universities.