

# I Choose Construction



The larger the logo, the more opportunities there are.

**TRAVEL TIME**  
 Doncaster: 30mins  
 Leeds: 40mins  
 Rotherham: 20mins  
 Sheffield: 25mins  
 Wakefield: 15mins

## Jobs 4 U

- Building Technician
- Painter and Decorator
- Demolition Operative
- Surveyor Technician
- Fence Installer
- Facilities Manager
- Home Inspector
- Scaffolder
- Stone Mason
- Joiner
- Electrician
- Roofer
- Plasterer

## Local

### Key Companies

- Balfour Beatty
- Ascot Doors Ltd
- BMBC - Property & Procurement
- Nu-Gas (Barnsley) Ltd
- CD Potter & Sons Ltd
- DJ Allen Builders Ltd
- Dodson Building Services Ltd
- Barnsley Community Building
- Trading Ltd



Have a look at [www.logon2careersbarnsley.co.uk](http://www.logon2careersbarnsley.co.uk) to find out more about Construction.

## Did You Know?

Construction covers a wide range of work such as putting up fences, installing windows, fixing burst pipes, designing and creating new buildings to managing a construction site.

The industry employs over 2.5 million people and continues to grow.

90% of the workforce is male, however there is an increase in women entering skilled trades.

92% of construction companies across Yorkshire and the Humber employ less than 13 employees, which makes it difficult for young people to find placements.

All new entrants must pass the ConstructionSkills test to access training.

Good numeracy and literacy, knowledge of technology and science is important for entry.

To increase your chances in this sector you must aim to get good GCSE grades.

The best way to get into construction is through an apprenticeship and gain qualifications as you work.

In 2008, the new Construction & Built Environment Diploma will be available in schools, colleges and work based learning providers.

