



south essex college
SKILLS | EDUCATION | CAREERS

The average
quantity surveyor
salary in Essex is
£47,000.

Construction & Engineering Career Destinations

Where will your course take you?

Due to a sector-wide skills shortage, employment prospects for engineering and manufacturing professionals are good.



LEVEL 2 QUALIFICATION REQUIRED

Welder
Car mechanic
Carpenter joiner
Builders retailer
Apprenticeship
Painter & decorator
Tiler
Electricians mate/technician
Bricklayer
Trade/own business

LEVEL 3 DIPLOMA QUALIFICATION REQUIRED

CAD designer
Air-conditioning engineer
Wind turbine service technician
Plasterer
Electrician

6.6 %

THERE WERE AN ESTIMATED 2.4 MILLION JOB OPENINGS IN THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY IN 2019, 6.6% OF ALL JOBS THE UK.



ESSEX IS HOME TO SOME OF THE WORLD'S BEST ENGINEERING: BAE SYSTEMS, FORD MOTOR COMPANY, RAYTHEON AND TELEDYNE E2V.



LEVEL 4 - 6 + QUALIFICATION REQUIRED AND INDUSTRY-RELATED EXPERIENCE

Contracts manager
Software developer/engineer
Surveyor
Naval architects
Drone engineer
Nuclear engineer
Robotic engineer
Plumber
Business development/tender managers
Quantity surveyor
Civil engineer
Site manager
Aerospace engineer
Marine engineer
Environmental/Industrial/Biomedical or Chemical engineer
Architect
Architect (technologies)
Offshore engineer

PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES

- Reasonably good maths
- An interest in the physical world & how things work
- A love of solving problems
- Good communication and team-working skills
- An interest in technology and new developments