**COURSE TITLE:** FITTING PHASE 1

**COURSE DURATION :** 12 Weeks

**TARGET POPULATION:** 1st year Apprentices

**COURSE CONTENT :** This course is designed to enable the trainee to get a good basic

grounding and expose him to the skills and machinery that he

must use in the trade. Identify engineering metals, their

characteristics and applications, and common metal tests and

treatments used in engineering.

* Induction to Shukela
* Select, use and care for engineering measuring equipment.
* Select, use and care for engineering power tools.
* Select, use and care for engineering hand tools.
* Perform basic welding / joining of metals.
* Mark of basic engineering shapes.
* Read, interpret and produce basic engineering drawings.
* Maintain static seals in machines and / or equipment.
* Maintain indirect drives.
* Maintain pipe systems.
* Perform routine maintenance.
* Sling loads.
* Operate and monitor a drilling machine to produce simple components.
* Operate and monitor a milling machine to produce simple components.
* Operate and monitor a lathe to produce simple components.

**COURSE TITLE:** FITTING PHASE 2

**COURSE DURATION:** 9 WEEKS

**TARGET POPULATION:** 2nd Year Apprentices who have successfully Completed Phase 1

individuals who have been recommended for this course as a

result of an assessment conducted at this Centre.

**COURSE CONTENT:**

This course is predominantly machine tool orientated and exposes the trainee to the following:

* Grind tools and drill bits.
* Maintain bearings in machines and equipment.
* Maintain pumps.
* Maintain direct drives.
* Maintain dynamic seals in machines and equipment.
* Maintain brakes and clutches.
* Maintain lubricating systems.
* Maintain conveyor systems.
* Maintain gearboxes.
* Maintain safety valves.
* Laser alignment.

**COURSE TITLE:** FITTING PHASE 3

**COURSE DURATION :** 8 WEEKS

**TARGET POPULATION:** 3rd or 4th year Apprentices who have successfully completed the

Phase 2 Apprentice Fitter course and are eligible to attempt the

National Trade Test. Individuals who have been in this trade for

more than 5 years and have successfully completed an

assessment conducted at this Centre.

**COURSE CONTENT:**

* Maintain pneumatic systems.
* Maintain hydraulic systems.
* Commission and assembly of machinery.
* Advanced hand skills.
* Reinforcement of best practices for alignment, brakes and bearings