

About Devan

Devan Chemicals is a dynamic developer, manufacturer and supplier of innovative chemical applications mainly for the textile industry. Founded in 1977 in Belgium and grown into an international player with offices in the US, UK and Portugal. We are seeking a flexible and **enthusiastic part-time (20hrs per week) Laboratory Technician** for our UK office, situated at Devan-PPT Chemicals Ltd, Merlin Court, Ripley Road, Ambergate, Derbyshire, DE56 2EP.

Responsibilities

- Receipt of samples for tests and input of associated data into laboratory database
- Preparation of all reagents and materials used in testing
- Execute chemical applications for various purposes (pre-sales, R&D testing, Quality Control, client projects) through different techniques (padding spraying, etc.) on a wide range of textiles
- Execute standardised laboratory tests according to protocol to control the performance characteristics of textile substrates and to conform them to health and safety regulations
- Format test and application reports, with the use of templates, to share the results internally and externally
- Offer support to sales and clients (indirectly)

Qualifications

We are looking for a colleague with at least 4 GCSE's grades 9 to 4 (A+ → C) including Maths and Science.

Preferably a minimum of two years laboratory experience. Previous work in the chemical or textile industry is an advantage.

Knowledge, skills & abilities

- You should have a good knowledge of laboratory practices
- You can work alone and are organised and safety conscious
- You must have a high degree of accuracy
- You are a real team player
- You are proficient in English (verbal and written)
- You are proficient with Microsoft Office (Word, Excel,...)

We offer

Devan Chemicals offers a competitive salary with fringe benefits (meal allowance, commuting allowance, health insurance,...). To ensure a good work-life balance of the employees Devan uses flexible working hours.

If you are interested in joining a vibrant and growing chemical company, please apply by sending your resume to lynn.jones@devan-uk.com