

Posting Title	Laboratory Technician
Location	Milton Keynes, UK
Job Category	R&D
Reporting to	Head Development Chemist
Hours	37.5 hours per week Monday to Friday

Job Description

We have a vacancy for a Laboratory Technician to work with our team of industry professionals who have unrivalled expertise in the adhesive world.

Our products are developed to meet the exacting needs of the markets they serve and designed to deliver unrivalled benefits to their end users.

They help our customers to maximise their own products potential, whilst differentiating their brands, improving product performance and maximising manufacturing efficiencies.

These products are used daily in tens of thousands of businesses and households globally- from box closing and carton sealing, the pages in a book, the mattress you lay on, or the self-adhesive tape used on your next present will all be manufactured using an adhesive.

Our drive to find answers for our customers has led to numerous industry firsts and technological breakthroughs. Can you work with us to continually beat our competitors to new discoveries, and bring those products to market?

We are looking for someone who can work closely within our team and with our customers to understand and satisfy their current and future business requirements.

We need someone with good written and verbal communication skills at all levels and proficient computer and numerical skills. Knowledge or experience within this industry or Chemistry would be an advantage, although full training will be given.

Your responsibilities will include:

- Preparation and analysis of technical enquiries
- Preparation of sample substrate testing , analysis and trials
- Handling and recording of data, which will include updating databases and filing hard copies
- Preparation of analytical reports
- General laboratory activities including data handling
- Methodical Validation and optimisation
- Conducting practical work within a laboratory environment
- Conducting FTIR testing and DMA analysis,

Attention to detail with the understanding of chemical process safety plus the technical ability and practical understanding of a wide range of analytical methodologies is also necessary for this role.

You will need to measure and monitor data with the ability to simplify complex issues.

Your hours of work will be 8.30am to 5.00pm, Monday to Thursday & 8.00am to 4.00pm on Friday with a 60 minute unpaid break.

We also offer 28 days holiday (including Bank Holidays), free private medical healthcare, pension, bonus, death in service benefits, free parking, a fully equipped canteen area for you to cook and store your meals, plus free tea and coffee.

Salary is £20,000 – 23,000 DOE.

Please send CV and cover letter to: careers@beardowadams.com

