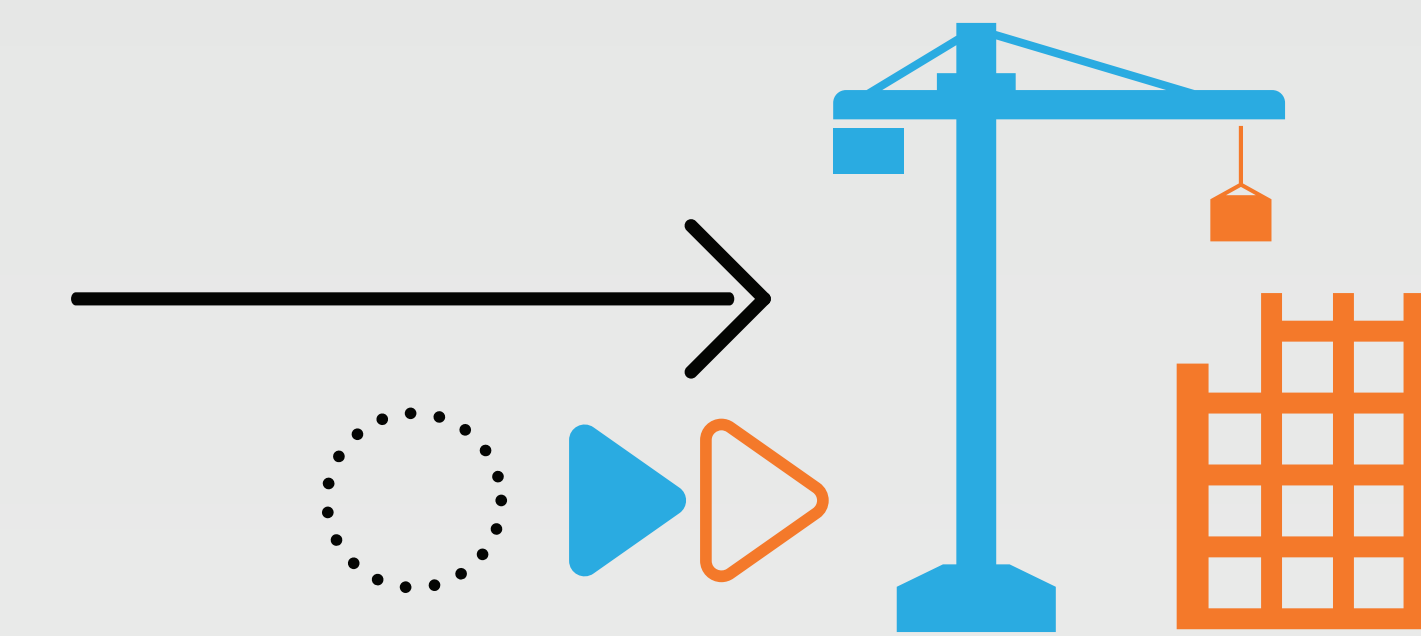


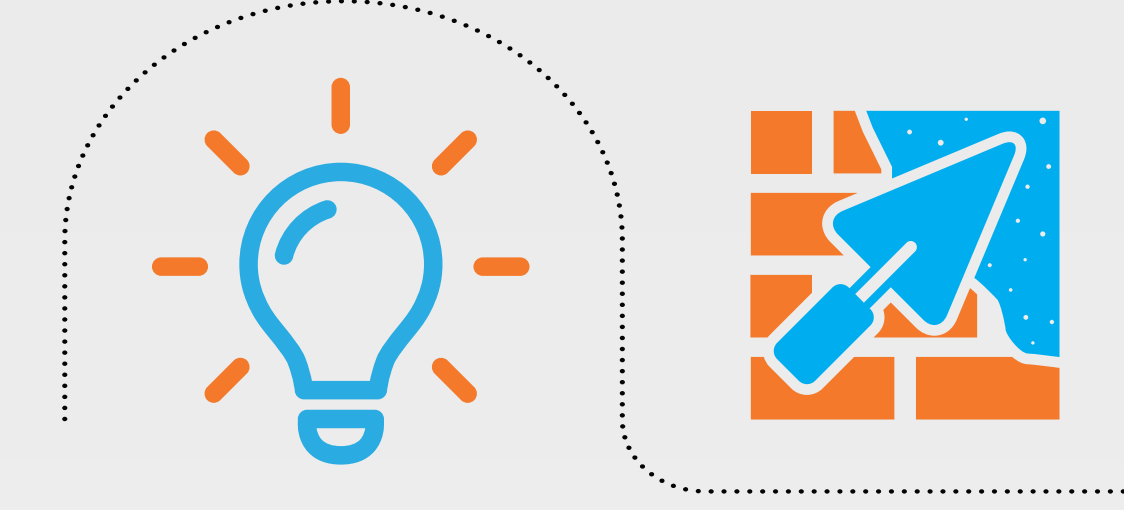
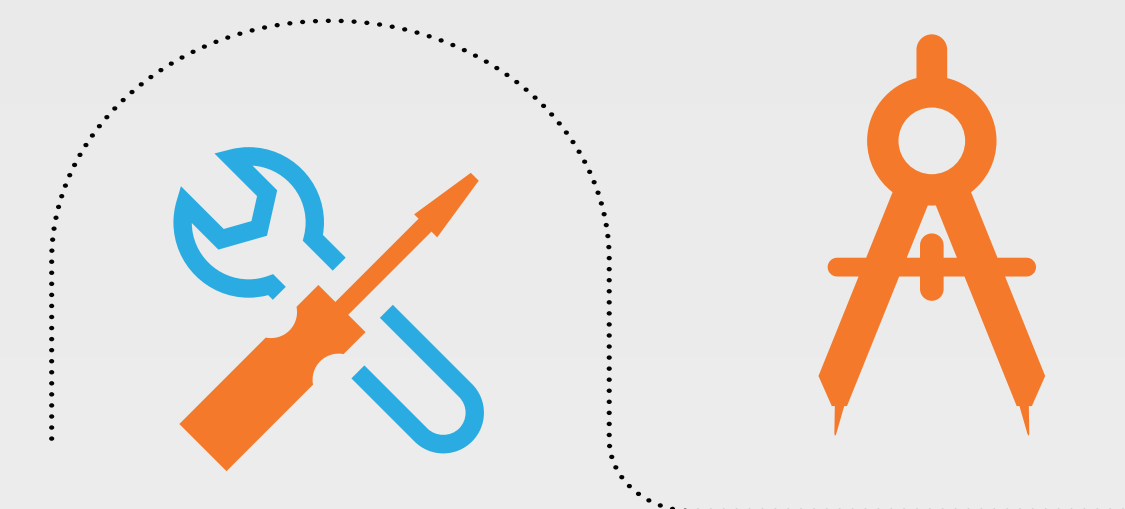
# Your Construction Career in Oldham



## Find your perfect career in construction

The construction sector includes planning, designing, building, fitting-out, upgrading and refurbishing, maintaining (and sometimes demolishing) all types of structures, including houses,

factories, hospitals, schools, railway stations, power stations, roads and bridges, drains and sewers. Jobs can be office based, but usually involve visiting or working on construction sites.



### Design, Surveying and Planning

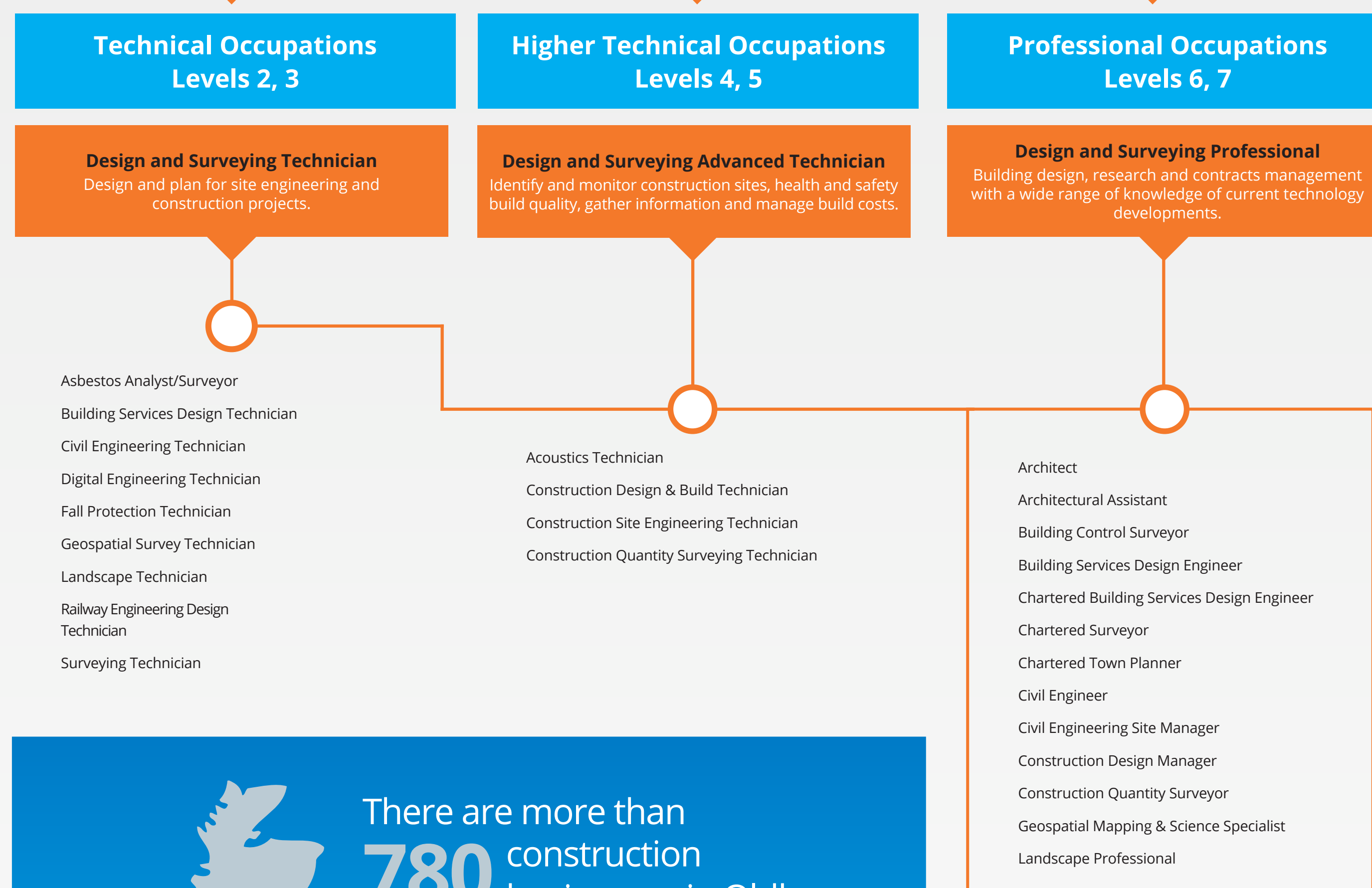


### Building Services Engineering

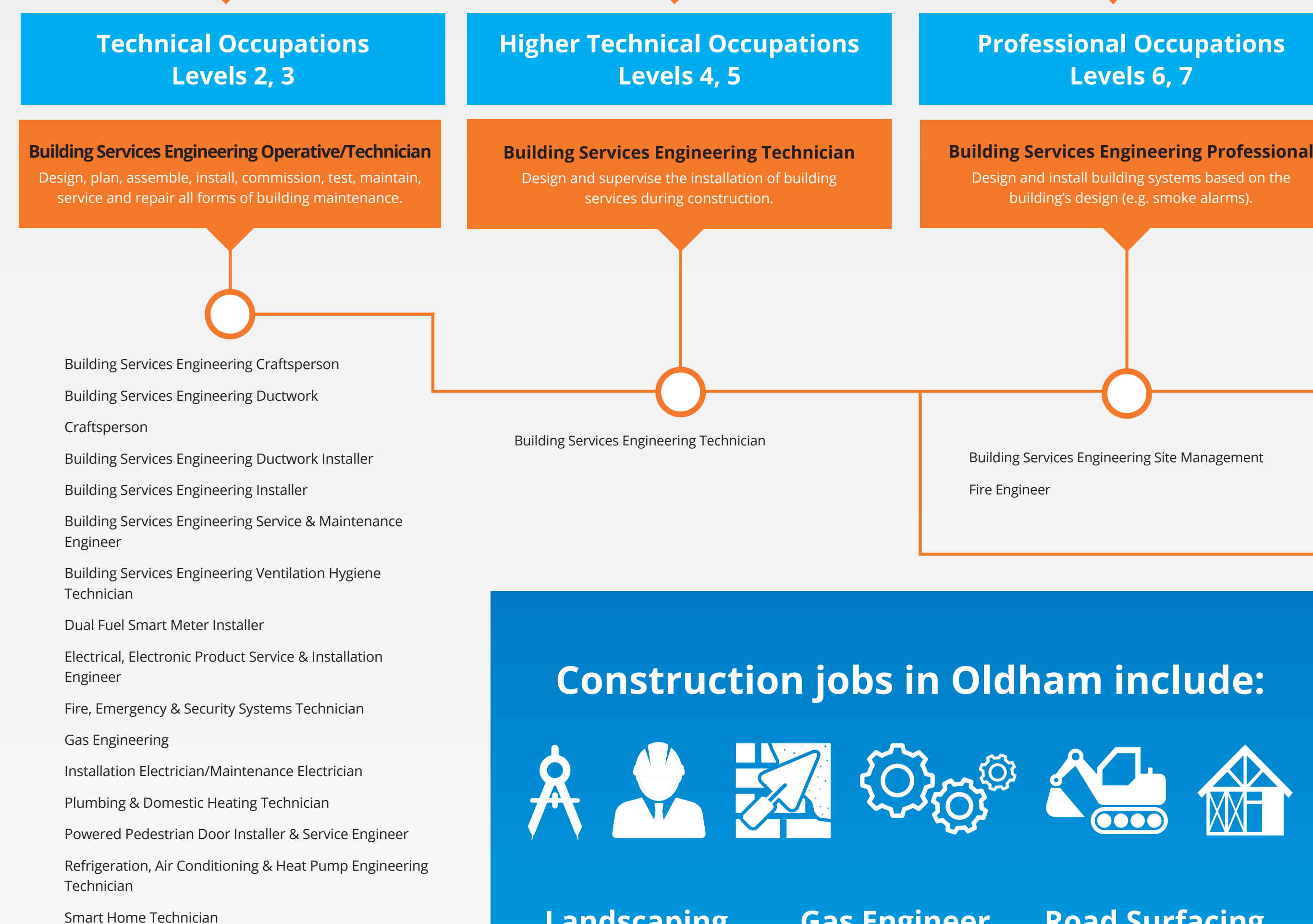


### Onsite Construction

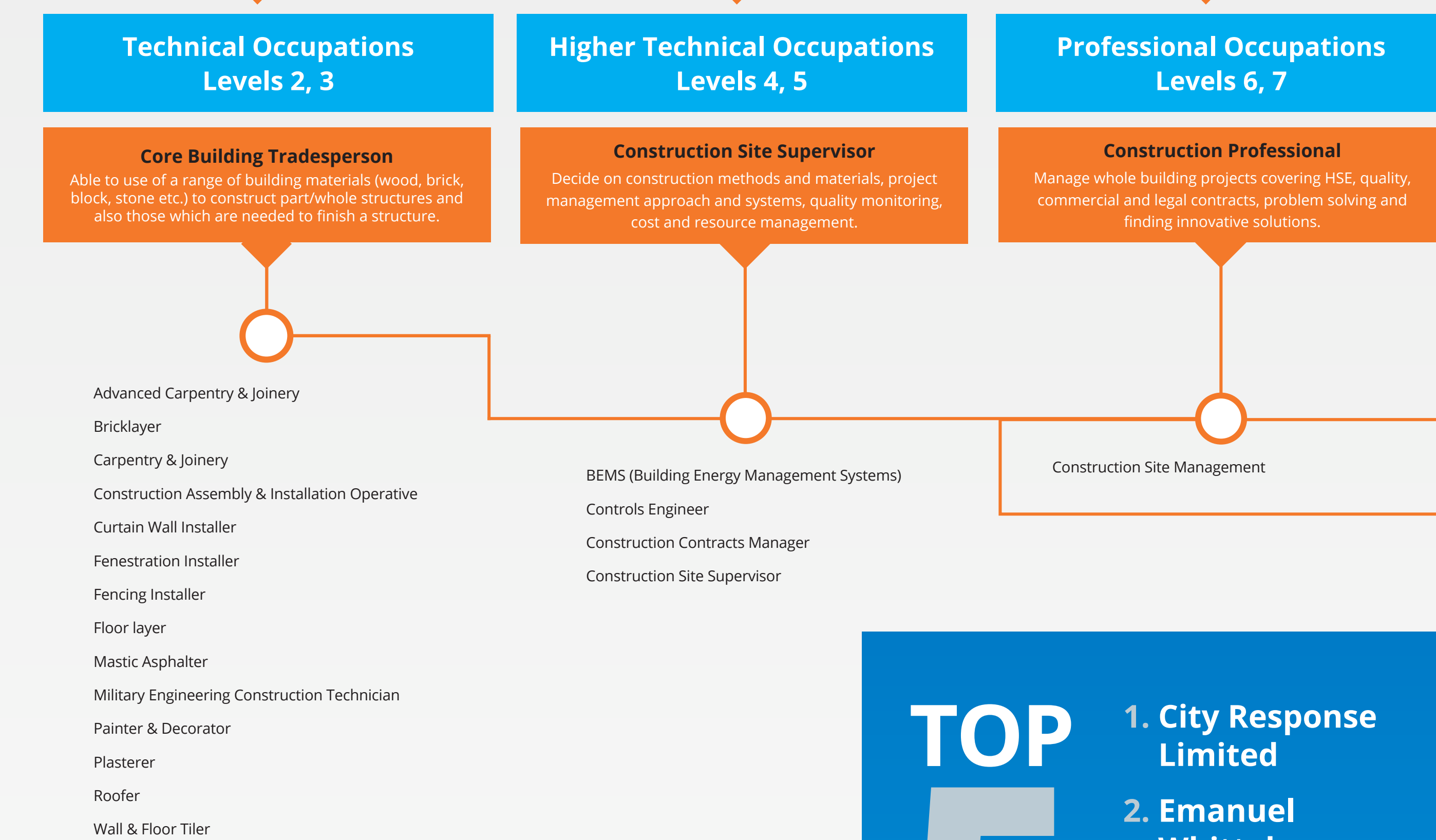
These are the three routes into **Design, Surveying and Planning**



These are the three routes into **Building Services Engineering**



These are the three routes into **Onsite Construction**



There are more than **780** construction businesses in Oldham

employing over **32,000** people in the construction industry in Oldham.

It'll take time to get qualified in your chosen trade, but it pays off. Your apprenticeship will fly by and there's always a demand for tradesmen.

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### Construction jobs in Oldham include:

- Landscaping Architect
- Construction Site Manager
- Plasterer
- Roofers
- Highway Maintenance
- Gas Engineer Surveyor
- Construction Site Engineer
- Floor Layer
- Controls Engineer
- Bricklayer
- Road Surfacing Operative
- Scaffolder
- Electrician
- Plumber
- Lifting Technician
- Pipefitter

**Utilities Installation and Maintenance Operative/Technician**  
 Install, exchange, commission and maintain metering systems, appliances, lighting and other road-based utilities.

Highway Electrical Maintenance & Installation Operative  
 Highway Electrician/Service Operative  
 Wireless Communications Rigger

**Facilities Management Operative/Supervisor**  
 Manage and maintain (planned and reactive) a building's mechanisms and systems across electrical, plumbing, plant, safety systems and other equipment.

**Facilities Manager**  
 Manage the services for a building including maintenance and repair.

**Facilities Management Professional**  
 Manage the services for a group of buildings or an estate along with their ongoing improvement and maintenance of their services.

Facilities Services Operative  
 Facilities Management Supervisor  
 Junior Energy Manager  
 Multi Skilled Maintenance & Repair Operative  
 Property Maintenance Operative

Facilities Manager

Facilities Manager

**Operative/Supervisor**  
 Use of heavy plant and equipment on surface construction sites and also specialist sites e.g. highways and tunnelling, and the ability to undertake specialist construction.

**Apprenticeships**

Asbestos Removal Operative  
 Construction Plant Operative  
 Commercial Thermal Insulation Operative  
 Demolition Operative  
 Highways Maintenance Skilled Operative  
 Highways Maintenance Supervisor

Hire Controller (Plant, Tools & Equipment)  
 Industrial Coatings Applicator  
 Industrial Thermal Insulation Technician  
 Road Surfacing Operative  
 Tramway Construction Operative  
 Tunnelling Operative

**Metal and Steel Operative**  
 Fabricate, assemble and erect steel components for on site building projects. Interprets drawings, plans, specifications and other information.

**Apprenticeships**

Scaffolder  
 Steel Fixer

Structural Steelwork Erector  
 Structural Steelwork Fabricator

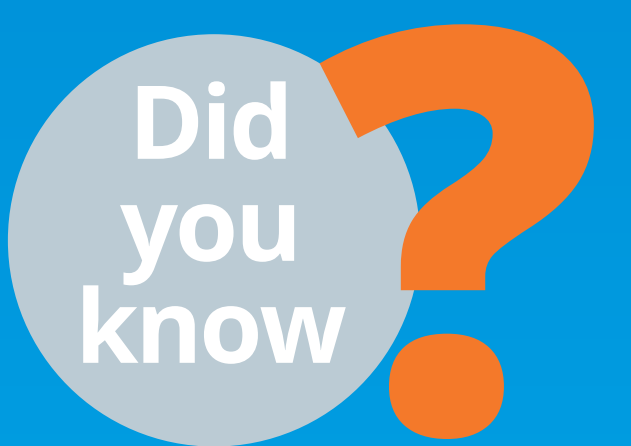
**Construction Specialist Operative/Technician**  
 Prepare and operate specialist on-site plant and equipment for lifting, pile driving, and pipe laying.

**Apprenticeships**

Damp Control & Timber Preservation Operative  
 Engineering Construction Erector/Rigger  
 Engineering Construction Pipefitter  
 Groundworker

Lifting Technician  
 Lightning Protection Operative  
 Piling Attendant  
 Stonemason

- TOP 5 Construction employers in Oldham**
1. City Response Limited
  2. Emanuel Whittaker Holdings Limited
  3. Heyrod Construction
  4. Skyline Limited
  5. U.K. Electronics Limited



You can work in a high level job such as an Architect or Quantity Surveyor without attending university.

Construction projects make a positive contribution to Oldham communities and the way in which we live.

### The Levels explained

Entry Level	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6	Level 7
Entry level courses to develop skill and increase confidence	GCSE grade 1 - 4, Level 1 certificates	GCSE grade 9 - 5, Level 2 NVQs, Level 2 diplomas	T Level A-Levels, Level 3 NVQs, Level 3 certificates	HNCS, Level 4 diplomas	Foundation degrees, HNDs, Level 5 diplomas	Bachelors degrees (e.g. BA or BSc)	Masters degree, postgraduate certificates, postgraduate diplomas



**Key**

- Career choice
- Progression path
- Occupational cluster
- Pathway only available as an apprenticeship

## FIND YOUR PERFECT CAREER IN CONSTRUCTION

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