

Apprentice Moldmaker

Eagle Tool Company

Dyersville, IA

Company Description

Eagle Tool Company is a family-owned precision mold manufacturing company specializing in plastic injection and die cast molds. We take pride in craftsmanship, innovation, and developing skilled tradespeople through hands-on training and mentorship. We are currently seeking a motivated **Apprentice Moldmaker** to join our team and grow a long-term career in moldmaking.

Position Summary

The Apprentice Moldmaker will learn the fundamentals of mold construction, maintenance, and repair while working alongside experienced moldmakers. This is an excellent opportunity for individuals interested in precision manufacturing, machining, CAD/CAM and skilled trades.

Responsibilities

- Assist in the construction, assembly, and repair of plastic injection and die cast molds
- Learn to read and interpret blueprints, CAD drawings, and specifications
- Operate and maintain shop equipment such as mills, lathes, grinders, and CNC machines (training provided)
- Perform basic bench work including fitting, polishing, and spotting molds
- Support mold troubleshooting, maintenance, and preventative care
- Progress through apprenticeship training benchmarks and skill development goals

Qualifications

- High school diploma or GED required
- Mechanical aptitude and strong interest in hands-on work
- Ability to read basic measurements and use precision measuring tools (or willingness to learn)
- Strong work ethic, reliability, and attention to detail
- Ability to stand for extended periods and lift up to 50 lbs

What We Offer

- Optional paid apprenticeship program through NICC, with on-the-job training and classroom instruction supported by the company.
- Competitive starting pay with increases tied to skill milestones
- Retirement plan with company match
- Health Insurance and PTO
- Flexible hours
- Career Advancement Opportunities
- Stable, long-term career path in skilled trades
- Climate controlled environment

Work Schedule

- Full-time, first shift

How to Apply

Interested candidates are encouraged to apply by submitting a resume or work history to eagletl.com/contact or in person. No prior moldmaking experience is required—just a strong desire to learn and grow in the trade.