

## Lathe Operator Job Description

### Responsibilities:

- Operating lathe machines to produce parts by following engineering drawings and specifications.
- Setting up, adjusting, and maintaining lathe equipment for optimal performance.
- Reading and interpreting blueprints and technical documents to determine machine setup and production methods.
- Inspecting finished products for quality and adherence to customer specifications.
- Collaborating with engineering and production teams to improve manufacturing processes and increase efficiency.
- Ensuring adherence to safety standards and procedures in the workshop.
- Documenting production details and maintaining records of machine operations and maintenance.

### Skills and Qualifications:

- Experience in operating lathe machines, preferably in the Aerospace or related industries.
- Familiarity with technical drawings and engineering principles.
- Basic knowledge of CAD software.
- Strong attention to detail and commitment to quality.
- Good communication skills and ability to work as part of a team.
- High school diploma or equivalent; technical certification or apprenticeship in machining is a plus.
- Physical stamina and ability to work in a manufacturing environment.