

The Vacancy

Geocore Site Investigations Limited part of RSK Group Ltd are a site investigations contractor.

We now have an opportunity for a **Lead Driller** to join our team in **Redcar** to deliver geotechnical services.

Lead Driller – Redcar

The successful candidate will have relevant industry experience. The role will involve undertaking ground investigations, drilling geo-environmental boreholes, open holing, rotary coring, Geocore-S, water boreholes and the installation and Geothermal Loops.

Responsibilities:

- Problem solving ensuring constant borehole progression safely
- To supervise and provide the Drilling Assistants with clear instructions. Ensuring relevant training is provided with a view to promoting them to Lead Drillers
- Communicate regularly with the Technical Manager on daily progress, target completion and issues arising
- To ensure all appropriate PPE is worn at all times
- Understand specific testing instructions, completing and reporting work to the required British Standards & Eurocode for testing & sampling on time and in the appropriate format
- Undertake hand excavated inspection pits, general labouring duties and general reinstatement
- Ensuring maintenance & appearance of works vehicle & rig is kept to high standard
- Carry out routine maintenance on plant and equipment and report all defects
- Provide effective input to projects consistent with your skills and experience
- Leave work areas clean and tidy and organise your work to minimise reinstatement

Experience and Qualifications:

- GCSE in Maths and English, Grade C or above (or equivalent)
- Previous manual / technical work
- Full UK driving licence is essential

- Flexibility to work throughout the UK regularly at short notice
- Previous drilling experience - desirable
- Health and safety qualification
- Strong problem-solving skills
- CSCS Card - desirable
- Telescopic handler licence - desirable
- Team work and Organisational skills

Salary and benefits:

- **£27,000 - £32,000 Depending on Experience**
- **Over time** - Basic hours are 39 per week, with employees working between 45-52 hours on average - Great Overtime potential!
- Contributory Pension Scheme
- A flexible benefits programme including the option to buy additional holidays, childcare vouchers and private health care
- Regular training and development including an opportunity to obtain NVQ status
- Access to mental health support
- Professional financial advice
- Discounted gym memberships