



AutoStart is a new automotive based vocational training programme designed for learners in school who are aged 14-16. This new programme is designed to be delivered 1 day a week (taking up 20% of the curriculum time) alongside the learners core GCSE's and other optional choices, over a two year period and incorporates:

- A nationally accredited automotive vocational qualification at Key Stage 4 focusing on vehicle maintenance & repair, which will provide the learner with relevant technical knowledge and skills;
- A minimum of 20 days automotive work experience to give the learner an opportunity to experience the real world of work in an automotive environment and also a chance to put the knowledge and skills they have learned through their qualification into practice;
- Automatic entry onto Indicate, which is a free curriculum-linked teacher and student resource focusing on building the learners skills in Mathematics by contextualizing to the automotive industry;
- CV writing and interviewing skills.

This exciting new programme will be piloted from September 2012. Please contact laurab@motor.org.uk for more information on the programme and how to **get involved**.