

Forklift Driver

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📍 Sutton Coldfield, City and Borough of Birmingham

£ £12.21/hour

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Forklift Counterbalance Driver

Location: Sutton Coldfield (B76)

Hours: Monday to Friday, 5:30 - 14:00

Pay: £12.21 per hour

Looking for a new opportunity?

We're hiring experienced FLT Counterbalance **Drivers** to join a busy Tray Wash site near Birmingham.

This is a fast-paced role that requires strong attention to detail, teamwork, and a valid **forklift** licence.

What you'll do:

- Operate FLT Counterbalance trucks safely and efficiently
- Load/unload deliveries and move goods across the warehouse
- Carry out routine equipment checks
- Support general warehouse operations and housekeeping
- Accurately follow documentation and site procedures

What you'll need:

- Valid FLT Counterbalance licence
- Solid understanding of health & safety and **forklift** safety practices
- Good physical fitness and eye for detail
- Ability to attend an on-site assessment (theory & practical)
- Previous experience in a shift leader or team support role is desirable

What's on offer:

- Full-time, ongoing work with weekly pay
- Potential to go permanent after 12 weeks
- Work with a well-established logistics provider

Apply today to secure your assessment slot. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

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Type: **Permanent**

Contract Length: **N/A**

Contact Name: [Login or register to view](#)

Job Reference: **FLTBR**

Job ID: **224726632**

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Eyob Hunter
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The Business connection
Sutton Coldfield B78
22 February 2026

Dear Hiring Manager,

I am writing to apply for the Forklift Driver position in Sutton Coldfield, as advertised by The Business Connection. I have experience operating forklifts in warehouse environments and a strong understanding of safe handling, stock movement, and workplace health and safety procedures.

I hold a valid forklift licence and have previously been responsible for loading and unloading goods, moving stock efficiently. I am reliable, hardworking, and able to work both independently and as part of a team to meet targets and deadlines.

I am keen to bring my skills to your client in Sutton Coldfield and would welcome the opportunity to discuss my application further.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Yours

sincerely,

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A highly motivated and enthusiastic individual with a strong commitment to personal and professional growth. Eager to begin a career where I can apply my adaptability, strong work ethic, and passion for learning. Known for being a quick learner who can thrive in a fast-paced environment and work well both independently and as part of a team. Equipped with excellent communication skills and a positive attitude, I am ready to contribute to a dynamic workplace and take on new challenges. Seeking an entry level position where I can develop my skills and grow within an organization.

Skills:

Quick learner: Interested in learning new things and talking on new skills.

Organizational Skills: Developed in my time as an Events Organizer in Ethiopia.

Communication: Capable communicating complex information with colleagues and customers, at all levels of business.

Time management: Strong time management ability developed over my varied work history. Ensured that materials and systems are put into place ahead of time.

Teamwork: Having worked in strong teams in my professional and personal life, as a footballer.

Attention to detail: accuracy in handling materials and equipment

Operating the forklift safely: Carrying out proper vehicle inspections, and how to drive a forklift on indoor as well as rough outdoor terrain.

Work Experience

Events Organizer/ Worker, Community Events, Ethiopia (Mar 2023-Jun 2023 and Jul 2022-Sep 2022).

- Assisted in organizing a Charity distribution event, where donated clothes, books and computers could be distributed to members of the local community.
- Performed inventory and package assortment.

- Supported staff with daily administrative tasks such as filing, data entry, and answering phone calls.

Construction laborer, Self-employed (March 2022- December 2022)

- Bricklaying, steel arranging and performing general laborer tasks as part of a larger team.
- Ensuring accuracy and quality of work to standards set by a foreman.

Music DJ, Africana, Ethiopia (October 2022- Dec 2022).

- Working as part of a team, performing Dj duties as part of a larger crew.
- Performing market research and considering the tastes of the area for setlists.

Education

- **Certificate of Pedestrian Pallet Truck Low Level (2025)** Birmingham- An RTITB Accredited Training Organization
- **Certificate of Counterbalance Lift Truck (2025)** Birmingham- An RTITB Accredited Training Organization
- **Warehouse and logistics Maximus UK(2025)**
- **Diploma of High school (2020-2023)** Shashemane – Including Natural Science, English and Math's.