

Prisma Colour **Rising Stars**

Kayla



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Kayla joined the Prisma Group working at Silvergate in October 2024. With a passion for creativity and precision Kayla took on our Trainee Colour match Technician role. In only 11 months she has thrived and developed a strong foundation within her role. We caught up with Kayla to hear more of her journey.



Kayla's Journey



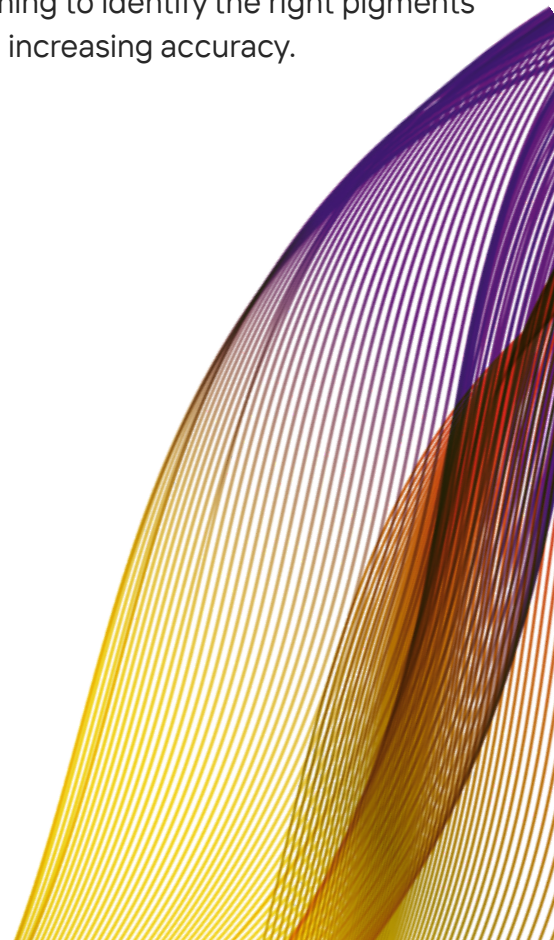
Kayla joined Silvergate within the Prisma group a year ago as a Colour Match Technician in Training, drawn by the unique and intriguing nature of the role. Initially seeking a laboratory-based career, she discovered this opportunity and was immediately interested by its blend of science and creativity.

Although unfamiliar with the role at first, Kayla embraced the challenge with an open mind. She has found a passion for colour theory, learning to understand hues, tones, and saturations. She has also become proficient in using specialized equipment such as spectrometers and plaque-moulding machines..

Her proudest achievement to date is completing her first successful colour match, a milestone that marked a turning point in her confidence and technical skill. One of the key challenges she faced early on was selecting the correct pigments to achieve precise matches. Through hands-on experience and repetition, she gradually mastered the process, learning to identify the right pigments with increasing accuracy.

Looking Ahead

Looking ahead, I'm excited to continue learning and growing within a team that's been incredibly supportive and welcoming from the start—especially Mark Loughlin and Gary Moore, who helped me settle in. The social side of work has made the experience even more enjoyable, and I'm motivated to gain as much hands-on experience as possible so I can contribute meaningfully to the company's success. This role has helped me discover the kind of work I'm passionate about and clarified the direction I want to pursue. For anyone starting out, my advice is simple: take notes—they'll be your go-to guide when challenges arise.





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