

# Jon Faltys

**Age:** 21

**Job Title:** Engineering Technician

**Company Name:** Behlen Mfg. Co.

**College:** Central Community College, Columbus

**Degree or Certification:** Associates Mechanical Engineering  
Drafting



## **What does your company do?**

They design and manufacture various steel products. I work specifically in the buildings department.

## **What attracted you to the company?**

They have a well known reputation as being a top employer in the area.

## **Please list some of your duties:**

Detail buildings to be manufactured, and draw building plans and details for the customer/builder.

## **What are the best/most interesting things about your job?**

Every job is different, making for a wide variety of work. Each project provides a different job and design.

## **What is the most rewarding thing about your job?**

I enjoy computers and math, so this job allows me to use two of my favorite skills.

## **How did you decide on this career path?**

I have always liked to draw, and after taking some drafting classes in high school I realized that it would be the perfect career for me because it was something I enjoyed doing.

## **What kind of school, classes, and training most prepared you with the necessary skills?**

Classes that helped the most were math and drafting. They are both used a lot in my daily work activities.

## **Do you make a good living?**

*(A specific \$ amount is not necessary, but we'd like to know how you feel about your standard of living, i.e., the things you can afford, such as a new home or vehicle, savings, investments, entertainment, etc.)*

I like to think I make a good living. It has allowed me to have nice vehicles, buy a house and get married. A really enjoyable lifestyle for a recent graduate.

## **What kind of salary and benefits can a new employee at your company expect?**

Behlen Mfg. Co. offers a very competitive pay that along with their excellent benefit packages, makes them one of the best employers in the area.

## **What kind of technology do you use and interact with?**

Everyday I use computers, phones, printers, and specific computer software to help my perform my job.

**What advice would you give to students who are undecided on a career choice?**

Enter into a career field, where everyday you are doing something that you enjoy. It makes everyday work seem more fun. There's nothing better then getting paid to do something you really enjoy.

**Finally, what do you think makes you a good Dream Team candidate?**

I think that I make a good Dream Team candidate because of my work ethic. I believe that the way I feel about my job shows specifically in my quality of work.