**SYSTEMS DEVELOPER**

**(INDUSTRIAL YEAR PLACEMENT)**

**VASTRE ENTERPRISE PARK– NEWTOWN**

**LAURA ASHLEY LTD IT DEPARTMENT**

Laura Ashley is a quintessentially English lifestyle brand founded on a rich design heritage and on the traditional values of quality and originality. We use prints and designs that evoke the alluring beauty of the English countryside, for the way you live today.

The IT department supports the company’s international operations in UK, Ireland, France and the Far East, as well as our franchise partners across the world. We are seeking Industrial Year Placement candidates for an exciting opportunity for a Systems Developer based in our Newtown, Powys operation centre.

This role requires the candidate to develop and support a broad range of applications throughout the business across customer ordering, retail and logistics business areas. Technologies include Oracle ADF, Webcenter Portal, Oracle SOA suite and BPEL, Microsoft, Java, and PHP. A number of agile collaboration technologies are being rolled-out from Atlassian suite including JIRA, Bitbucket, Confluence and Bamboo. The hours of work are 37.5 hours per week.

The main duties include:

* To write and support software
* To work closely with analysts and other technical specialists
* To develop reports and queries
* To produce documentation , ie specifications, test scripts, training guides

The successful candidate needs to have excellent communication skills and be able to learn and adapt to new technology. Must have a methodical approach and attention to detail, along with an aptitude for problem solving/fault finding.

If you are interested in applying for this role please send your covering letter and CV to - HR Department, Unit E, Vastre Enterprise Park, Newtown, Powys SY16 1DZ or email newtownvacancies@lauraashley.com