

## D2N2 Capital Growth Fund Case Study: KN Technical

A growing Mansfield business have doubled their capacity with help from the D2N2 Capital Growth Fund.



KN Technical was established in 2018 by experienced industry professionals Neil Smith and Kevin Thompson. Both had worked for UK steel fabricators for many years and grown frustrated with the lack of quality technical resources available in the industry. Using the latest CAD software, KN Technical offers a full Building Information Modelling (BIM) & detailing service to steelwork fabricators, main contractors, architects and consulting engineers. They assist their clients with 3D steel detailing, whilst offering technical support and commercial tracking of projects through the design stages.

As their client base expanded over the past two years, Neil and Kevin recognised the need to grow their team to in order to meet increasing demand.

Neil Smith, Director said “The business has developed significantly in such a short space of time, and we now need to bring in additional team members to meet the needs of our growing client base.”

“We have chosen to invest in the future of the business by bringing in quality graduate-level employees who can learn from the experience that Kevin and I have gained throughout our careers. The grant funding has helped us to provide the infrastructure to increase our team from 2 to 4 to meet the needs of our clients both now and in the near future”.

David Smith, Account Manager for the D2N2 Capital Growth Fund, said “This programme is geared towards helping growing businesses that can create new jobs. We are pleased to be able to support KN Technical with their expansion plans.”

“If you are a small or medium-sized businesses in Derby, Derbyshire Nottingham or Nottinghamshire with a capital investment project that will create new jobs, then the D2N2 Capital Growth Fund may be for you.”

The D2N2 Capital Growth Fund is delivered by [East Midlands Business Ltd](#) and funded by the [D2N2 Local Enterprise Partnership](#) through the European Regional Development Fund.

The fund is available to small and medium sized businesses across Derby, Derbyshire, Nottingham and Nottinghamshire. For further information on the D2N2 Capital Growth Fund and how to apply, please visit: [www.d2n2capitalgrowthfund.com](http://www.d2n2capitalgrowthfund.com)

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