

START DATE & DURATION:

The qualification start date is flexible and should be completed within 18 months.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

There are no entry requirements for this qualification. Anyone over the age of 19 that is seeking to demonstrate competence in working in wood occupations can take this qualification. However, it is preferable that you hold the Wood Occupations (Construction) Level 2 NVQ Diploma, or have significant experience working with wood within the construction industry, along with the appropriate level of English and Maths.

WHAT QUALIFICATIONS WILL I GET?

Wood Occupations (Construction) Level 3 NVQ Diploma

QUALIFICATION OVERVIEW:

This is a work-based learning qualification for those who are already employed as a specialist carpenter in the construction sector. It allows you to learn, develop and practise the skills required for employment and/or career progression in specialist carpentry. You will cut, shape and install complex fixtures and fittings such as walls, roofs and staircases. You may specialise further in areas such as shopfitting, wheelwrighting and joinery. You will also learn how to work safely in a supervisory capacity as part of a team building and refurbishing homes or non-domestic properties.

UNITS/TOPICS COVERED:

To achieve this qualification a minimum of 146 credits need to be attained. This comprises the 7 mandatory units plus 2 units from the optional unit group.

Mandatory units:

1. Setting Up and Using Transportable Cutting and Shaping Machines in the Workplace
2. Installing bespoke second fixing components in the Workplace
3. Installing bespoke first fixing components in the Workplace
4. Developing and Maintaining Good Occupational Working Relationships in the Workplace
5. Conforming to General Health, Safety and Welfare in the Workplace
6. Confirming Work Activities and Resources for an Occupational Work Area in the Workplace
7. Confirming the Occupational Method of Work in the Workplace

Optional units:

1. Maintaining non-structural or structural components in the workplace
2. Erecting Structural Carcassing Components in the Workplace
3. Erecting Complex Roof Structure Carcassing Components in the Workplace

TYPE OF ASSESSMENT:

You will be assessed on your Portfolio of Evidence that is gathered in the workplace.

WHERE CAN IT LEAD?

This qualification prepares you for work in the construction industry, with a specific focus on wood occupations. Upon completion you can apply to CSCS, or other industry card schemes, to gain a recognised skills card. If you wish to progress further in construction, you may wish to study any of the following qualifications:

- Construction Site Supervision (Construction) Level 4 Diploma NVQ
- Construction Site Management (Construction) Level 6 Diploma NVQ

COURSE FEE: £2583

FREE tuition may apply if you are aged 24+ and meet the required criteria. Please contact Client Services for advice and guidance on funding and eligibility.

WHAT TO DO NEXT:

If you have an employer, please contact our Employer Services team on 01737 788316 or by emailing employerservices@esc.ac.uk.

To apply online for this qualification please visit www.esc.ac.uk.

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