

# TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT

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## Construction

Welcome to Construction!

We appreciate leaving school and starting college can feel a bit overwhelming so it's really important that you choose the right career path in order for you to enjoy your time at college. Being motivated to achieve is a really positive way to start the career of your choice. As it is likely that you have not studied Construction at school it is worth looking into what the course involves and what progression routes will be open to you once you have completed your qualifications.

At East Surrey College we offer a range of Level 1, 2 and Level 3 Construction courses.

The majority of our trade qualifications all start at Level 1 and are a combination of practical and theory. You will need to demonstrate knowledge in the subject as well as the practical skills required by the industry. You will be required to achieve externally set exams, a range of practical tasks and written assessments. Successful completion can lead to the next level, apprenticeships or career opportunities.

We recommend Apprenticeships for all Level 3 trade qualifications.

Our BTEC Level 3 Construction qualification is predominantly theory-based and the attached tasks will help you prepare to study at this level. This qualification is designed for those looking to go onto Higher Apprenticeships or Higher Education.

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Below are some Construction YouTube clips that you may find interesting and will provide you with a taster on what you will learn on your course:

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AbW-kjzz254> Plumbing

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wDZY5x-t0g> Electrical Installation

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OLgu8Sk1EcM> Painting and Decorating

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vXNBdytGFIU> Carpentry

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z\\_o3AFqxrL0](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z_o3AFqxrL0) Bricklaying

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rpTqUEE58X4> Construction

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xTiqFF9MjLA> Construction

### **Work Submission**

Once you have completed your project, please forward the document (or if you have been working on a project offline eg a sketchbook portfolio please forward a photo of what you have completed) to the following email address along with your full name: [submissions@esc.ac.uk](mailto:submissions@esc.ac.uk). We'll then forward this on to our curriculum teams who will be in touch shortly.

May I take this opportunity to wish you every success on your learning journey and hope that we will see you at East Surrey College soon.

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