

Skills for Construction

Level 1 Award in Health and Safety in a Construction Environment (CSCS)

Course Information Sheet



The Level 1 Award in Health and Safety in a Construction Environment qualification provides an important foundation to Health and Safety for individuals working or intending to work within the Construction industry.

The qualification covers:

- risk assessment
- working at height
- manual handling
- improving health and safety at work
- the safe operation of equipment

The achievement of the Level 1 Award in Health and Safety in a Construction Environment qualification fulfils the mandatory training requirements for the CSCS Labourer Green Card.

***CSCS card is sponsored subject to achievement of all required elements**

Entry criteria

Good written and spoken English skills are required. The minimum English Language skills equivalent required are:

- B1 level qualification (Home Office's list of recognised English tests)
- Functional Skills Level E3-L1 in English and maths

Students will complete an English, Maths and Digital Skills initial assessment as part of the enrolment and registration process to assess suitability for the programme.

We will support students with any English, maths and Digital Skills needs as part of their programme. Available courses include Bridging the Gap programme and Functional Skills for those who would benefit from English, maths or Digital Skills training.

Course duration and start dates

Course duration: Two weeks

Course start dates: The programme lasts for two weeks and runs throughout the whole year except Easter, summer holidays and Christmas.

START ANY TIME

Attendance details

Days:

5 days a week: Monday – Friday, 10:30am – 3:30pm

Attendance arrangements:

In-centre and Online

Homework and self-study:

Students will need to commit 10-15 hours a week for homework (assignments) and for self-study (reading, research and e-learning).

Assessment/exam arrangements

The method of assessment for the qualification is through a portfolio of evidence.

Resources or equipment required for your course

Notebook, ruler, pen, pencil and a device (laptop) for online learning.
*If you do not have access to a PC or laptop, access to PC or laptop is available at the centre.

Certification and Accreditation details

Gateway Level 1 Award in Health and Safety in a Construction Environment

Industry Skills	In addition to the formal qualifications offered on this programme, a range of industry skills and qualifications required or desired by employers are offered to students to enhance their employment success and career prospects. These include: • Asbestos Awareness • Award in Emergency First Aid at Work
Personal and Professional Development	Students on this programme will benefit from two days of dedicated Personal and Professional Development. These are skills that will enhance student's learning both personally and professionally.
Progression options	Further learning and courses at LSDN: • IOSH Managing Occupational Health and Wellbeing • CMI Level 3 Award in Principles of Management and Leadership Further learning and courses outside of LSDN: • Level 1-3 Certificate/Diploma in Bricklaying • Level 1-3 Certificate/Diploma in Carpentry • Level 1-3 Certificate/Diploma in Painting and Decorating • Level 1-3 Certificate/Diploma in Tiling • Level 1-3 Certificate/Diploma in Plastering • Level 1-3 Certificate/Diploma in Plumbing • Level 1-3 Certificate/Diploma in Electrical Engineering
Career opportunities	Painter and Decorator, Builder, Plasterer, Carpenter, Plumber, Electrician, Building Surveyor. Find out more: https://www.goconstruct.org/
Delivery organisation	London Skills & Development Network (LSDN)
Delivery locations	2nd Floor, Suffolk House, George Street, Croydon, CR0 0YN Unit 3 Norfolk House, Wellesley Road, Croydon, CR0 1LH
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