



Course details

Course title

Preparation for working in the Construction Industry

Course code

Q00027734

Course date

Start: 20/07/26

End: 31/07/26

Number of classes

20 sessions

Timetable

Mon 20th Jul, 9:30 to 12:00

Mon 20th Jul, 12:30 to 16:00

Tue 21st Jul, 9:30 to 12:00

Tue 21st Jul, 12:30 to 16:00

Wed 22nd Jul, 9:30 to 12:00

Wed 22nd Jul, 12:30 to 16:00

Thu 23rd Jul, 9:30 to 12:00

Thu 23rd Jul, 12:30 to 16:00

Fri 24th Jul, 9:30 to 12:00

Fri 24th Jul, 12:30 to 16:00

Mon 27th Jul, 9:30 to 12:00

Mon 27th Jul, 12:30 to 16:30

Tue 28th Jul, 9:30 to 12:00

Tue 28th Jul, 12:30 to 16:30

Wed 29th Jul, 9:30 to 12:00

Wed 29th Jul, 12:30 to 16:30

Thu 30th Jul, 9:30 to 12:00

Thu 30th Jul, 12:30 to 16:30

Fri 31st Jul, 9:30 to 12:00

Fri 31st Jul, 12:30 to 14:00

Tutor

Reece Dickinson

Fee range

Funding available - £480.00

How you'll learn

You'll join a small group of fellow learners for classes at the venue indicated. Some materials may be provided in our virtual learning environment.

Got it!

In venue

Venue

St Georges Community Centre, Wakefield (
Broadway
Lupset
WAKEFIELD
WF2 8AA

Level of study

1

Course overview

This 60 GLH course supports adults to start or progress a career in construction. It begins with an initial assessment to identify each learner's strengths, goals, and any barriers to learning or employment. From this, an individual learning plan is created with clear, achievable targets and agreed support. Learners will gain an introduction to construction, exploring the skills, knowledge, and job roles available. Employability skills such as teamwork, communication, and problem-solving are embedded and linked to real employer vacancies. The course includes the Ascentis Level 1 Award in Health and Safety in a Construction Environment, a nationally recognised qualification required to work safely on site and apply for a CSCS card. Learners receive full support to prepare for and pass the CSCS test. In addition, learners will gain an understanding of the requirements of the National Plant Operators Registration Scheme and how to gain the NPORS Red Card. Finally, learners receive one-to-one employment support, including coaching, CV and application help, mock interviews, and careers advice, helping them move confidently into construction jobs or further training. On successful completion of modules learners will also be awarded a Digital Badge to evidence their learning, for use on CVs and social media.

Course description

This course is designed to help adults build the skills, knowledge, and confidence needed to start a career in construction. It combines practical training, recognised qualifications, and personal support to help learners move into work or further training. At the start, every learner completes an initial assessment to identify their experience, goals, and any barriers they may face. From this, a personal learning plan is created, setting clear targets and outlining the support available throughout the course.

Learners are introduced to the construction industry, exploring different job roles and the skills employers are looking for. The course includes the Ascentis Level 1 Award in Health and Safety in a Construction

Environment, which is essential for anyone wanting to work on a site. Learners are supported to prepare for and pass the CSCS test, which is needed for site access.

Learners will be informed about the NPOR scheme and how to acquire the Red Card. Throughout the course, learners receive individual support with job applications, CVs, and interview preparation, as well as advice and coaching to help them take the next step into employment or further training.

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