

Level 3 Apprenticeship Framework

Construction Crafts

The content of this framework has been developed between the Department for Employment and Learning in discussion with CITB-ConstructionSkills Northern Ireland. This is the only Level 3 training in this skill acceptable for the receipt of ApprenticeshipsNI funding.

1.0 PROVISION CONTENT

The provision shall comprise of four main elements to be delivered in an integrated manner, not isolated subjects.

2.0 MANDATORY OUTCOMES

Achievement in these will be assessed by verification through the appropriate awarding organisation certificate. Participants should choose one of the following pathways and complete one competence based qualification and its associated knowledge based qualification at Level 3.

Route 1 – Construction Building Sector

Competence Based Qualification	Knowledge Based Qualification
Pathway 1: Trowel Occupations	
Level 3 NVQ Diploma Trowel Occupations (Construction) 500/9117/7 Cskills Awards, 500/9403/8 Edexcel, 600/1273/0 SQA	Level 3 Diploma in Bricklaying, 500/4057/1 Cskills Awards
Pathway 2: Wood Occupations	
Level 3 NVQ Diploma Wood Occupations (Construction) Site Carpentry, Bench Joinery, Shopfitting, 500/9026/4 Cskills Awards, 500/9783/0 Edexcel,	Level 3 Diploma in Bench Joinery 500/4053/4 Cskills Awards, Level 3 Diploma in Site Carpentry 500/4058/3 Cskills Awards, Level 3 Diploma in Shopfitting 500/4049/2 Cskills Awards

Route 2 – Construction Civil Engineering

Competence Based Qualification	Knowledge Based Qualification
Pathway 1: Plant Maintenance	
Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Plant Maintenance (Construction), 500/9096/3 Cskills Awards, 600/1277/8 SQA	Level 3 Diploma in Plant Maintenance, 501/0812/8 Cskills Awards

Route 3 – Construction Specialist Sector

Competence Based Qualification	Knowledge Based Qualification
Pathway 1: Plastering	
Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Plastering (Construction), 500/9119/0 Cskills Awards, 600/1561/5 SQA.	Level 3 Diploma in Plastering Solid, 500/4101/0 Cskills Awards. Level 3 Diploma in Plastering Fibrous, 500/4100/9 Cskills Awards.
Pathway 2: Roofing Occupations	
Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Roofing Occupations (Construction), 500/9110/4 Cskills Awards, 600/1564/0 SQA.	Level 3 Diploma in Roof Slating and Tiling, 500/4093/5 Cskills Awards.
Pathway 3: Stonemasonry	
Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Stonemasonry, 500/9022/7 Cskills Awards, 600/1562/2 SQA.	Level 3 Diploma in Stonemasonry –Banker, 500/4339/0 Cskills Awards
Pathway 4: Wall and Floor Tiling	
Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Wall and Floor Tiling, 500/9770/2 Edexcel, 500/9012/4 Cskills Awards, 600/1272/9 SQA.	Level 3 Diploma in Wall and Floor Tiling, 500/4254/3 Cskills Awards.

3.0 MANDATORY ESSENTIAL SKILLS

Essential Skills: Application of Number – Level 2 Communication – Level 2
Information & Communication Technology – Level 1

4.0 EMPLOYMENT RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Induction covering workplace Employment Rights and Responsibilities (ERR) must be completed. The ERR is contained within the competence based qualification. Therefore, the evidence for the ERR will be the competence based certificate with the ERR unit listed as completed.

5.0 RESPONSIBILITIES

It is the responsibility of the supplier to ensure that the requirements of this framework are delivered in accordance with the ApprenticeshipsNI Operational Guidelines.

The Participant must be employed from day one

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