

Construction



Why choose a BTEC Level 2 in Construction?

BTEC Construction is for students who are interested in practical based activities which take place both inside and outside of a normal classroom environment.

Students will learn the basics on constructing a building from bricklaying through to painting and decorating.

What will I study:

☑ Unit 1— Construction Technology (CORE)

This unit is the study of how a building is constructed.

Assessment—External (exam)

☑ Unit 2—Construction and Design

This unit is the study of design and function of buildings.

Assessment—Internal (Coursework Assignment)

☑ Unit 3—Scientific and Mathematical Applications for Construction

Understanding science and mathematics used in construction projects.

Assessment—Internal (Coursework Assignment)

☑ Unit 6—Exploring Carpentry and Joinery Techniques. (OPTIONAL)

Understanding carpentry and its uses in the construction industry.

Assessment—Internal (Practical Assignment)

☑ Unit 7—Exploring Brickwork and Blockwork Techniques. (OPTIONAL)

Understanding bricklaying in the construction industry.

Assessment—Internal (Practical Assignment)

Who would this course suit?

Students who are interested in construction based activities such as: brick laying, carpentry, plumbing and electrical installation

How will I learn?

The course is made up of 2 core units and 2 mandatory units whom have to be completed by each candidate. Candidates will then complete 4 optional units. 3 units have been chosen based on the Centre's resources and expertise. The other optional unit can be chosen by the individual based on performance in other units and time required.

How will my work be assessed?

All units will be assessed via practical assessments based on the unit you are covering.

For example if you are covering bricklaying then your practical assessment will be a practical task based on building a certain type of wall.

How can I use this course after Year 11/ in the future?

After year 11 this course is ideal for those individuals who wish to continue their education and enroll on a BTEC level 3 course.

This is also suitable for those individuals who wish to pursue apprenticeships in the construction industry through various areas of construction such as building, carpentry, plumbing, tiling and electrical installation.

If I want to know more I should ask.....

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