

INDIVIDUALS WANTING TO UPSKILL OR RETRAIN

As well as offering apprenticeship training and NVQ assessment on a self-funded basis, we also offer

a selection of private training courses which can be delivered on an evening or day release basis.

This includes the following:

INTRODUCTION COURSES

- Site Carpentry and Bench Joinery
- Brickwork
- Painting and Decorating
- Plumbing and Heating

SHORT COURSES

- ■Three-day Intensive Plastering Course
- Spray Painting HVLP and Airless
- Two-day Wallpapering Course
- OCF Level I Award in Health and Safety within a Construction Environment

DAYTIME AND **EVENING COURSES**

Level 2 Diploma in:

Plumbing and Heating

Level 2 & 3 Diploma in:

- Site Carpentry
- Bench Joinery (Architectural Joinery)
- Brickwork (Trowel Occupations)
- Painting and Decorating
- Plastering

APPRENTICESHIPS AND NVOs

We offer:

Intermediate (Level 2)

- Site Carpentry Standard
- Bench Joinery (Architectural Joinery)
- Shopfitting Bench Joinery
- Shopfitting Site Carpentry

- Fitted Interiors
- Maintenance Operations
- Property Maintenance Standard
- Brickwork (Trowel Occupations)
- General Construction (Groundworks)
- Painting and Decorating
- Plastering (Solid Basic)
- Dry Lining Fixing/Finishing
- Plumbing and Heating Fenestration Installation
- Glazing
- Curtain Wall Installation
- Domestic Fascia, Soffit and Bargeboard Installation
- Fabrication of Glass Supporting Structures
- Glass Related Distribution and Warehousing

Advanced (Level 3)

- Site Carpentry
- Bench Joinery
- Shopfitting Site Carpentry
- Brickwork (Trowel Occupations)
- Painting and Decorating
- Plastering Solid
- Plumbing and Heating
- Site Supervision
- Fenestration Installation
- Fenestration Surveying
- Fabrication of Glass-Supporting Structures
- Glazing



INTERESTED IN OUR SERVICES?

If you are interested in any of the services that we offer, please get in contact and you will be directed to an appropriate member of staff.



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APPRENTICESHIPS, TRAINING AND NVQ ASSESSMENT

Together, let's create a sustainable workforce for the future.



A LITTLE INTRODUCTION

Construction Training Specialists (CTS) are an award winning training provider that operates across the United Kingdom.

We specialise within the construction sector and offer an impressive portfolio of Intermediate and Advanced qualifications accredited with CSkills Nocn, BPEC. BTECH, GQA and City and Guilds.



Our services includes apprenticeship training, assessment for experienced workers, individual training for those looking to upskill or retrain on a self-funded and funded basis, apprenticeship recruitment and training for the unemployed.

We work with all clients post sixteen who are looking to build a long term career in construction.

Established in 2003, CTS have continued to build strong working relationships with small and large businesses.

We are renowned for providing learners with the skills necessary to create long term sustainable careers in construction.

CTS have continued to subcontract with ITL Training who deliver Plumbing and Electrical Apprenticeships and CITB, the Construction Industry Training Board over the last few years. Throughout time both organisations have sent through a large amount of learners in every academic intake. As a result of this we have secured a strong working partnership with both providers. Our dedication to our learners and hard work over time has rightfully earned us our own Skills Funding Agency contract.

What we offer:

- An impressive portfolio of Intermediate and Advanced qualifications
- Tutors with site experience
- NVO Assessment for experienced site operatives
- Bespoke IQA Systems
- Self-funded and funded training courses



CTS offer a free recruitment service for businesses looking to recruit apprentices.

We assist employers by completing a training needs analysis, helping to identify what their business requirements are.

Our services include writing job descriptions, advertising vacancies on behalf of the employers, pre-screening applicants and arranging final interviews and work trials with the employer.



APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING AND ASSESSMENT

CTS offer an extensive range of construction apprenticeships including frameworks and standards that are delivered at Intermediate and Advanced levels.

Our timetable is delivered on a day release basis. Learners without previous industry knowledge or experience will



undertake an Intermediate qualification which may consist of an NVQ work based qualification, a Diploma, Functional Skills English and Maths (if applicable) and ERR (Employer Rights and Responsibilities). On completion learners can progress on to an Advanced Apprenticeship (Level 3) qualification.

As well as catering for our own students, CTS also offer an assessment service for colleges struggling to find time within their academic timetable to deliver on site assessment for their students. This is something which can be a cost effective and stress-free solution.



CTS offer two NVQ assessment routes aiming at experienced workers with no formal qualifications. Both options include the Experienced Worker Practical Assessment (EWPA) and On Site Assessment and Training (OSAT).

On successful completion of either assessment routes, candidates can apply for the appropriate CSCS card. EWPA is only available at NVQ Level 2 and OSAT can range from Level 2 - Level 6.



OSAT is aimed at those who have been working within the construction industry for three or more years.

The assessment is targeted at candidates who already have the relevant skills and expertise, but have not achieved any formal qualifications.

It is designed to enable individuals to achieve a recognised qualification without disruption to daily routines.

Entry requirements:

- More than three years' site experience
- Be working in a trade that is relevant to the qualification which has been chosen
- Be able to provide site evidence at the individuals place of work

EWPA is a method of off-site assessment which is available to bricklayers, carpenters and painters and decorators with five years' experience who require a fasttrack route to obtaining an NVQ qualification, leading to gaining the appropriate CSCS card. It is available to experienced workers who do not require any further training. This assessment method combines the use of witness testimonies, employer endorsement, practical assessment, professional discussion and underpinning knowledge questions.

Entry requirements:

- Have five or more years' experience in painting and decorating, carpentry or bricklaying
- Be able to provide witness testimonies
- Be able to provide evidence of your working history within the industry