

# Level 1 in Construction Multiskills



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Subject	Level	Study Mode	Duration	Start Date
Construction	Level 1	Full-Time	1 year	September 2024

## **Practical vs Theory**

70%

# The Course

Take your first step towards a career within Construction with this Level 1 course. A vocational qualification, the course gives you the opportunity to develop practical skills, knowledge and understanding of the construction industry. Learning in our dedicated Construction workshops, with specialist areas for bricklaying and plastering, you will gain a good introduction to a trade, enabling you to progress to study at a higher level and ultimately to work within the construction sector.

#### **Course Aims**

- > To offer a good starting point for preparing to work in construction.
- > To prepare you for further learning, apprenticeships/other employment or training.
- > To provide an understanding of a mix of practical construction skills, environmental and sustainability skills as well as employability skills.

#### What You Will Study

- > Construction health and safety
- > Construction Industry
- > Repair and Maintain Plasterwork
- > Repair and Maintain Masonry
- > Environmental Awareness and Sustainability in Construction
- > Handle, Move and Store Resources
- > Community Construction Project

### **Entry Requirements**

You will need a full Entry Level 3 qualification, or equivalent, as well as 3 GCSEs at grades 1-2, including Maths and English. A passion for the subject and one satisfactory reference are also required.

### **Teaching and Learning Approach**

The majority of the modules are practical based and are delivered in the construction workshop. There are some theory units in this course, which will be delivered in a classroom.

# Time Required on Campus

You will usually be on campus three days per week. You will also undertake work experience.

# **Work Experience**

You will be required to find a suitable work placement of at least 60 hours.

### How You're Assessed

You will be assessed through practical tests, online exams and written responses.

# Clothing, Equipment and Additional Costs

> Steel toe capped boots

## **Progression**

You will be able to progress to study Level 2 Bricklaying or to pursue an apprenticeship.

## **Careers**

This course will help you towards a career in Construction, i.e. as a labourer, construction operative, site worker, joiner or plasterer.

