City & Guilds

BUILDING FUTURES THROUGH SKILLS

A guide to our construction qualifications and apprenticeships



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INTRODUCTION

The construction industry is a vital part of the UK's economy and infrastructure, employing millions across a wide range of roles. With the sector adapting to new technologies, sustainability goals and evolving building standards, the need for highly skilled construction professionals has never been greater.

At City & Guilds, we are dedicated to supporting the growth of this dynamic industry by offering a comprehensive portfolio of tailored qualifications and apprenticeships. From core trades like bricklaying, carpentry and joinery, painting and decorating, and plastering to specialist areas including retrofit, site supervision and project management, our programmes are designed to meet the demands of the construction landscape today and in the future.

From level 1 to 4 qualifications to apprenticeships and specialised short courses, our industry-recognised programmes cater to diverse career paths and skill levels.

Our programmes are developed in collaboration with employers and industry experts to ensure learners are equipped with the skills, knowledge, and practical experience they need to succeed in their careers. Whether a learner is looking to upskill, retrain, or start a new career in construction, City & Guilds is there to help on every step of the way. Together, we can shape the next generation of construction professionals and build a sustainable future.

By choosing City & Guilds, you gain access to:

- A vast library of qualification materials and resources
- Support from our team of industry and technical experts
- Guidance on curriculum planning, delivery, funding updates, and quality assurance

Join us in shaping the future of the construction sector and developing the skilled professionals needed to meet the industry's evolving needs.



CONSTRUCTION SECTOR SNAPSHOT

We've been in the trades for generations, and our construction portfolio is unrivalled in its breadth, making our qualifications and apprenticeships the perfect route into industry.

Apprenticeships

Apprenticeships are available for learners over 16, and are funded by the government or via an employer levy. We are an approved EPAO for the main trade standards in construction.

Qualifications

We offer a range of qualifications across key construction sub-sectors including Technicals, VRQs and NVQs with courses from entry level 3 to level 4 to meet the needs of new and experienced construction professionals.

Green qualifications

Our green qualifications help equip the construction workforce with the skills needed in a more sustainable world.

ILM – leadership in construction

Our leadership and management experts, ILM, partnered with industry experts CITB and IQ to develop qualifications that equip learners with the essential skills to effectively lead, supervise and safely manage staff in the sector.

Functional Skills

Our Functional Skills qualifications provide learners with the essential skills to navigate real-life situations, support future employment opportunities and further their studies confidently and successfully.

Assured

Assured is our in-house training accreditation service, designed to support training success and achieving business goals.

Some of our key trades

- Bricklayer
- Carpentry and joinery
- Groundworker
- Maintenance operative
- Painting and decorating
- Plastering
- Retrofit



CONSTRUCTION QUALIFICATIONS AND APPRENTICESHIPS

Short courses

Our short courses offer targeted upskilling across key trades. Developed to meet industry demand, they offer a flexible way to deliver specialist training without lengthy programme commitments - giving tradespeople practical skills they can apply immediately on site across new builds, refurbishment and retrofit projects.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
VRQs			
Level 2 Award in Damp and Mould Awareness	601/7788/4	7	England
Level 3 Award in Applying Coating Using Spray Methods (Painting and Decorating) (6721-13)	610/7823/2	45	England
Level 3 Award in Plaster Skimming, Taping & Jointing (6722-13)	610/7873/6	34	England
Level 3 Award in Introduction to Spray Plastering, Incorporating External Wall Insulation (EWI) (6723-13)	610/7874/8	30	England



Construction skills

Our construction skills qualifications offer a comprehensive introduction to core trades, equipping learners with foundational knowledge in areas like bricklaying, carpentry and joinery, plastering, painting and tiling to support entry into various industry roles.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
VRQs			
Entry Level Award in Construction Skills (6219-01)	601/0405/3	90-100	England, Wales
Entry Level Certificate in Construction Skills (6219-02)	601/0283/4	150-160	England, Wales
Entry Level Extended Certificate in Construction Skills (6219-03)	601/0512/4	270-280	England, Wales
Level 1 Award in Construction Skills (6219-04)	601/0324/3	90-100	England, Wales
Level 1 Certificate in Construction Skills (6219-05)	601/0330/9	150-160	England, Wales
Level 1 Extended Certificate in Construction Skills (6219-06)	601/0513/6	270-280	England, Wales
Level 1 Diploma in Construction Skills (6219-07)	601/0329/2	370-380	England, Wales
Level 1 Award Construction Skills (6219-08) (Trade specific pathways)	601/0088/6	100-110	England, Wales

› View our construction skills qualifications on our website

Now available for delivery

Level 2 Foundation Apprenticeship in Onsite Trades

City & Guilds is launching a new Level 2 apprenticeship to support entry into construction. Apprentices gain practical experience in bricklaying, site carpentry, and plastering (solid & fibrous), building essential skills and confidence for specialist roles, progression or employment. Developed with industry partners, this flexible, high-quality programme helps attract, train, and retain the next generation of skilled construction professionals.

Find out more



Carpentry and joinery

Carpentry and joinery are fundamental to both the structural and finishing aspects of construction. Our qualifications and apprenticeships provide learners with essential skills in areas like framing, roofing, and interior woodwork, preparing them for diverse roles within the industry.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Diplomas			
Level 1 Diploma in Carpentry and Joinery (6706-13)	600/8046/2	368	England, NI
Level 2 Diploma in Site Carpentry (6706-23)	600/8047/4	452	England, NI
Level 2 Diploma in Bench Joinery (6706-26)	600/8048/6	435	England, NI
Level 3 Diploma in Site Carpentry (6706-33)	600/7995/2	583	England, NI
Level 3 Award in Fire Door Safety (6581-30)	610/1630/5	16	England, NI
Technicals			
Level 2 Technical Certificate in Site Carpentry (7906-20)	603/0352/9	360	England
New generation qualification			
Level 2 Extended Technical Occupational Entry in Wood Occupations (Diploma) (7255-62)	610/4591/3	411	England
Level 3 Technical Occupational Entry in Wood Occupations (7255-63)	610/6211/X	445	England
NVQs			
Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (6571) (3 pathways available - view pathways)	603/5981/X	271	England, Wales, NI
Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (6571) (7 pathways available - view pathways)	603/5962/6	349	England, Wales, NI

› View our carpentry and joinery qualifications on our website

Apprenticeships

Standard	EPA
Level 2 Carpentry and Joinery ST0264 Site Carpenter and Architectural Joiner pathways Version 1	Level 2 Carpentry and Joinery (9078-31) Version 1.3 › Find out more
Level 3 Craft Carpentry and Joinery ST0263 Advanced Site Carpenter and Advanced Architectural Joiner pathways	Level 3 Advanced Carpentry and Joinery (9079) • Carpentry and Joinery (9079-21) Version 1.1 • Craft Carpentry and Joinery (9079-31) Version 1.2 › Find out more



Bricklaying

Our qualifications and apprenticeships help learners develop the crucial practical skills needed for brick and block laying, decorative brickwork, and wall construction, ensuring they're equipped for the variety of projects they will face in their careers.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Diplomas			
Level 1 Diploma in Bricklaying (6705-13)	600/8052/8	382	England, NI
Level 2 Diploma in Bricklaying (6705-23)	600/7913/7	448	England, NI
Level 3 Diploma in Bricklaying (6705-33)	600/8083/8	532	England, NI
Technicals			
Level 2 Technical Certificate in Bricklaying (7905-20)	603/0313/X	360	England
New generation qualification			
Level 2 Technical Occupational Entry in Bricklaying (Diploma) (7255-52)	610/4544/5	480	England
Level 3 Technical Occupational Entry in Bricklaying (7255-53)	610/6210/8	505	England
NVQs			
Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Trowel Occupations (6570-04)	603/5922/5	394	England, Wales
Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Trowel Occupations (6570-05)	603/5923/7	847	England, Wales

› View our bricklaying qualifications on our website

Apprenticeships

Standard	EPA
Level 2 Bricklayer ST0095	Level 2 Bricklayer (9077) • Bricklayer (9077-12) • Bricklayer (9077-22) Version 1.3 › Find out more
Level 3 Craft Bricklayer ST1334	Level 3 Craft Bricklayer (9177-12) Version 1.2 › Find out more

Plastering

Plastering is crucial for both the structural integrity and finish of buildings, and our qualifications and apprenticeship prepare learners for roles in both domestic and commercial projects, covering surface preparation, applying different types of plaster, and decorative finishes.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Diplomas			
Level 1 Diploma in Plastering (6708-13)	600/7937/X	407	England, NI
Level 2 Diploma in Plastering (6708-23)	600/8051/6	521	England, NI
Level 2 Diploma in Dry Lining (6713-23)	601/3786/1	440	England, NI
Technicals			
Level 2 Technical Certificate in Plastering (7908-20)	603/0319/0	360	England
New generation qualification			
Level 2 Extended Technical Occupational Entry in Plastering - Solid and Dry Lining (Diploma) (7255-82)	610/4590/1	441	England

› View our plastering qualifications on our website

Apprenticeships

Standard	EPA
Level 2 Plasterer ST0096	Level 2 Plasterer (9086) • Plasterer (9086-12) • Plasterer - Solid (9086-21) Version 2.2 › Find out more
Level 3 Craft Plasterer ST1385	Level 3 Craft Plasterer – Solid (9186-12) › Find out more

Painting and decorating

Our painting and decorating qualifications and apprenticeships teach learners about surface preparation, coatings and finishing, giving them the expertise to work on both interiors and exteriors and take responsibility for transforming the appearance of buildings.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Diplomas			
Level 1 Diploma in Painting and Decorating (6707-13)	600/8778/X	402	England, NI
Level 2 Certificate in Painting and Decorating (6707-22)	600/8053/X	100	England, NI
Level 2 Diploma in Painting and Decorating (6707-23)	600/8584/8	445	England, NI
Level 3 Diploma in Painting and Decorating (6707-33)	600/8592/7	460	England, NI
Technicals			
Level 2 Technical Certificate in Painting and Decorating (7907-20)	603/0364/5	360	England
New generation qualification			
Level 2 Extended Technical Occupational Entry in Painting and Decorating (Diploma) (7255-72)	610/4542/1	375	England
NVQs			
Level 2 NVQ in Decorative Finishing and Industrial Painting Occupations - Painter (6572-21)	6572-21A-001	351	England, Wales, NI
Level 2 NVQ in Decorative Finishing and Industrial Painting Occupations - Industrial Painter (6572-22)	6572-22A-001	351	England, Wales, NI
Level 3 NVQ in Decorative Finishing - Painting and Decorating (6572-23)	6572-23A-001	621	England, Wales, NI

› View our painting and decorating qualifications on our website

Apprenticeships

Standard	EPA
Level 2 Painter and Decorator ST0295	Level 2 Painter and Decorator (9080) • Painter and Decorator (9080-12) • Painter and Decorator (9080-21) Version 1.2 › Find out more



Property maintenance operative

Property maintenance has a critical role to play in ensuring that buildings remain safe and functional. The qualifications and apprenticeship we offer support the development of a broad range of maintenance, repair and improvement skills for residential and commercial properties.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Diplomas			
Level 2 Diploma in Maintenance Operations (6711-23)	600/8049/8	469	England, NI
Technicals			
Level 2 Technical Award in Constructing and Maintaining the Built Environment (6720-24)	610/0657/9	120	England
New generation qualification			
Level 2 Extended Technical Occupational Entry in Maintenance Operations (Diploma) (7255-92)	610/4543/3	490	England

› View our property maintenance qualifications on our website

Apprenticeships

Standard	EPA
Level 2 Property Maintenance Operative ST0171	Level 2 Property Maintenance Operative (9673-02) Version 1.1 › Find out more

Housing management

Our housing qualifications support professional development through to senior housing leadership, helping organisations meet the Competence and Conduct Standard and evolving regulatory requirements, including Awaab's Law. They help housing professionals develop the knowledge, skills and confidence needed to meet professional standards and deliver better outcomes for residents.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Housing management			
Level 2 Award in Damp and Mould Awareness	601/7788/4	7	England
Level 3 Certificate in Professional Housing Management (6730-30)	500/6690/0	165	England
Level 4 Certificate in Professional Housing Management (6730-41)	610/7676/4	56	England
Level 5 Certificate in Professional Senior Housing Management (6730-51)	610/7774/4	71	England

Insulation and building treatments

The installation and maintenance of building insulation is vital to supporting green construction practices, improving building energy efficiency and reducing environmental impact. Learners completing our insulation qualifications gain essential skills in selecting, installing and maintaining insulation materials for a variety of building types.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Diplomas			
Level 2 NVQ in Insulation and Building Treatments (5931) (4 pathways available - view the level 2 pathways)	603/7687/9	264-274	England, Wales, NI
Level 3 NVQ in Insulation and Building Treatments (5931) (8 pathways available - view the level 3 pathways)	603/7689/2	329-659	England, Wales, NI

› View our insulation and building treatments qualifications on our website

Health and safety

Our health & safety qualification is for learners wishing to apply for the Construction Skills Certification Scheme (CSCS) Green Card. It provides learners with the knowledge to manage risks, conduct safety checks, and maintain compliance on construction sites.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Diplomas			
Level 1 Award in Health and Safety in a Construction Environment (6072-51)	603/1347/X	21	England, Wales, NI

› View our health and safety qualifications on our website

Groundworker

Groundworkers play a crucial role in preparing sites for construction, working closely with supervisors and engineers to interpret design specifications and ensure the site is ready for building. They remain involved throughout the project, supporting other trades like bricklayers and plant operatives. Our apprenticeship and groundworker-related qualifications covers key skills such as site preparation, excavation, and foundation laying, equipping learners for groundwork roles.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Diplomas			
Level 2 Certificate in Construction Operations - General Construction (6709-22)	600/8054/1	314	England, NI
NVQs			
Level 2 NVQ in Construction and Civil Engineering Operations (6574) (10 pathways available - view the level 2 pathways)	610/0709/2	188-359	England, Wales, NI

› View our groundworker qualifications on our website

Apprenticeships

Standard	EPA
Level 2 Groundworker ST0513	Level 2 Groundworker (9076-12) Version 1.3 › Find out more



"We chose the City & Guilds Retrofit qualifications because they offer a broader scope, covering industrial and commercial buildings - unlike other qualifications. With the industry shifting towards PAS 2035 standards, there's a growing need for professionals with a solid understanding of retrofit techniques. We want to futureproof ourselves but, more importantly, our learners. So, we need to deliver training that develops the skills employers need today, as well as those they will need in the future."

Shane Carter, Head of Quality, Compliance and Curriculum for BuildSkill

Read the case study

Facilities industry

The waste, recycling, and facilities sectors are essential to creating a more sustainable future. These qualifications provide learners with the foundational knowledge and skills to support environmentally responsible practices and drive lasting, ground-level impact.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Level 1 Award in Waste and Recycling (7612-02)	600/2937/7	46	England, NI
Level 1 Certificate in Introduction to the Facilities Industry (7612-03)	600/2938/9	113	England, NI

› View our facilities industry qualifications on our website

Masonry

Our masonry qualifications are distinguished from our bricklaying qualifications, in that candidates will learn tailored and specialised techniques in each of these areas, equipping learners to work on heritage sites and new builds alike.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Level 1 Diploma in Stonemasonry (6715-01)	601/3613/3	442	England
Level 2 Diploma in Stonemasonry (6715-02)	601/3612/1	459	England
Level 2 Diploma in Craft Masonry (6715-04)	601/3191/3	460	England
Level 3 Diploma in Stonemasonry (6715-03)	601/3598/0	447	England

› View our masonry qualifications on our website

Roofing

Our qualifications cover key techniques in roofing systems like tiling, slating, and waterproofing, preparing learners for crucial work across residential and commercial roofing projects.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Roofing Occupations (6569) (3 pathways available - view the level 2 pathways)	603/3397/2	193	England, Wales, NI

› View our roofing qualifications on our website

Interior systems

Interior systems professionals create functional and aesthetic interiors in commercial and residential spaces. Our qualifications in this area equip learners with skills in installing partitions, suspended ceilings, and various finishing systems, meeting industry standards and enhancing modern construction projects.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Level 2 NVQ Certificate in Interior Systems (6567) (10 pathways available - view the level 2 pathways)	603/3151/3 603/3152/5	194-364	England, Wales, NI

› View our interior systems qualifications on our website

Wall and floor tiling

Our selection of tiling qualifications develop key skills including surface preparation, material selection and tile application techniques, preparing learners for successful careers in a detail-oriented trade that enhances both functionality and aesthetics across various settings.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Diplomas			
Level 2 Diploma in Wall and Floor Tiling (6710-23)	600/8785/7	435	England, NI

› View our wall and floor tiling qualifications on our website

Leadership within construction

ILM has worked alongside the Construction Industry Training Board (CITB) and the Institute of Quarrying (IQ) to create a suite of qualifications for the construction sector. These qualifications are aimed at team leaders, supervisors, foremen and site managers, designed to equip learners with core skills to drive projects in line with the needs of employers and contractors.

Funding note: CITB funding available for employers.

Qualifications

Qualification	Accreditation number	Guided learning hours (GLH)	Available for delivery in
Level 3 Award in Leadership and Management Practice for the Construction and Built Environment Sector (8626-11)	601/5583/8	20	England, Wales, NI, International
Level 3 Certificate in Leadership and Management Practice for the Construction and Built Environment Sector (8626-21)	601/5584/X	57	England, Wales, NI, International
Level 3 Diploma in Leadership and Management Practice for the Construction and Built Environment Sector (8626-31)	601/5589/9	115	England, Wales, NI, International

› View our leadership with construction qualifications on our website

"The key to great leadership development is ensuring that it has real impact at work. With the help of industry experts, the IQ and the CITB, we've tailored our robust frameworks to suit the construction industry's specialist needs."

Director of Product Development for ILM



MORE SKILLS SOLUTIONS FOR YOUR LEARNER

Support your learners at every stage of their journey with functional skills, employability skills, social media skills, leadership qualifications and more.

Sustainability and the green environment

Sustainability is now a priority across every industry, and employers are looking for individuals who understand how to work in more environmentally responsible ways. The Level 2 Award & Certificate in Sustainability and the Green Environment are ideal additions to your portfolio, helping you meet the growing demand for green skills across sectors.

Designed to support learners in any job role, these qualifications build knowledge around climate change, sustainability, and net zero, making them a strong fit alongside a wide range of programmes. Whether your learners are entering the workforce or upskilling for progression, this is a practical, future-focused way to broaden your offer and support meaningful career development.

› Learn more

Customer service skills

Great client experiences start with great customer service. Adding the Awards in Customer Service to your offer equips learners with the skills to confidently meet client needs, handle real-world interactions and create lasting impressions - essential for success in salons, spas, and beyond.

This flexible qualification is suitable for all learners, from those preparing for their first role to those with industry experience, helping providers deliver well-rounded, career-ready graduates who stand out to employers.

› Learn more

Retail knowledge

Add extra value to your programmes with our retail knowledge qualifications, designed to equip learners with the essential skills needed to succeed in a client-facing environment. Covering customer service, selling techniques, teamwork, and health and safety, this qualification gives learners the confidence to excel not only in salons and spas but also in the wider retail sector.

For providers, offering retail knowledge as part of your provision means broadening employability skills, helping learners stand out in a competitive market, and supporting smooth progression into first roles or career advancement opportunities.

› Learn more

ILM

Develop future-ready leaders with our industry-recognised leadership and management and coaching and mentoring portfolio, including qualifications, apprenticeships and accreditation. Supporting learners from supervision to strategic leadership (levels 2-7), ILM's flexible pathways align to career progression and organisational priorities, developing the practical, applied skills needed to lead people, teams and organisations with confidence and impact in the workplace.

› Find out more about ILM

Assured

We know that some organisations have specific training needs that cannot be met by existing qualifications. Our Assured service has been designed to evaluate and certify in-house training programmes against our Assured Benchmark Standards, confirming the quality of the processes and systems used to design, plan and deliver the training

Securing Assured recognition demonstrates the strength of your training both internally and externally, showing that you take your employees' development seriously and that you are ensuring your workforce has the skills that you need.

› Learn more about Assured

SKILLS FOR WORK & LIFE

Supporting NEET and at-risk learners into education, employment and brighter futures

Almost one million young people aged 16-24 are currently not in education, employment or training (NEET).

Our report, 'Counting the cost: The UK's Employability Skills Crisis', reveals that 64% of UK businesses say candidates with human capabilities such as face-to-face communication, problem solving, and effective time management are becoming harder to find.

This is putting providers under increasing pressure to engage learners, build confidence and support progression into positive destinations.

City & Guilds offers a suite of products and resources designed to help NEET and at-risk learners build confidence, develop employability skills and progress into education, training and work.



Provision to help support NEETs

Futures

Building brighter futures with digital credentials that recognise progress and build confidence.

Employability Framework

A structured approach to helping learners build the transferable skills, behaviours and confidence they need to succeed in the world of work.

› Find out more: Employability Framework

Curriculum Planning Guides

Bringing together sector-specific qualifications, units, and short courses, with employability skills mapped into clear, structured pathways.

› Find out more: Curriculum planning guides for adult learners and those who are NEET, or at risk learners

WHY WORK WITH CITY & GUILDS

Working with City & Guilds gives you access to comprehensive support including qualification resource materials, in-person and online events and direct, tailored support from our teams of sector and technical experts.

As part of our commitment to supporting learners into a job, on the job and onto the next job we also offer accreditation and certification for a modern, digital-first world, whether that's through our verifiable digital credentials or our Assured recognition service for in-house training programmes.

People support

We understand the value our customers put on having direct access to the support they need to maximise success. That's why our specialist teams are available to support you at every stage of planning and delivery.

Learn more about our support teams:

Digital solutions managers
Our digital support team provide training sessions and advice on how to get the most out of our elearning and admin platforms to support a smooth and successful delivery.

› Find out more

Customer support team
Whatever your question, our customer support team are available to support with all enquiries from providers, employers and learners.

› Find out more

Partnership managers
From onboarding apprentices through to assessment, our partnership managers support customers at every stage of the apprenticeship journey.

› Find out more

Business development managers
Your local contact on-hand to support you with all aspects of qualifications, apprenticeships and skills development.

› Find out more

Client managers
Our team of training experts work with employers to identify learning needs to maximise organisational growth.

› Find out more

Technical advisors
Our technical experts offer flexible support with programme delivery through in-person and online events and visits.

› Find out more

Funding and policy team
Get access to easy-to-digest funding and policy information and the latest updates.

› Sign up for updates

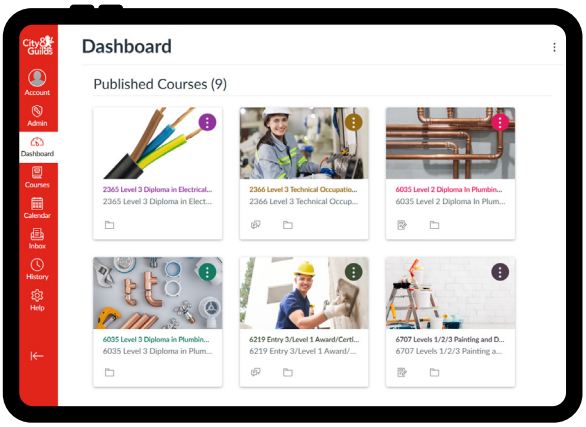


Networking and events

We run face-to-face and online events to keep you up to date with the latest policy and practice, as well as City & Guilds qualifications and services that support delivery.

› Explore our upcoming events





Teaching and learning support

SmartScreen is the City & Guilds tutor and learner support platform, providing online resources for our qualifications and apprenticeships.

Supporting over 150 qualifications and apprenticeships across 20 different industries, SmartScreen equips tutors and assessors with delivery tools and learners with engaging content.

› Learn more about SmartScreen

Digital credentials

As more and more of the hiring process moves to an online-first model, having a digital way to help showcase knowledge and skills to potential employers can be a crucial tool to support career progression.

Digital credentials are a visual representation of an individual's skills that provide a convenient way to easily capture and share accomplishments and abilities online with professional networks and potential employers. We offer digital credentials for the majority of our qualifications and programmes. They can be shared via email or social media and can provide a map of an individual's educational journey, giving your learners a competitive edge in the workplace.

› Learn more about digital credentials





Online resources and funding information

Qualifications reform hub

Stay informed with updated guidance, timelines, upcoming support events, FAQs and news around City & Guilds qualifications.

› Find out more

Apprenticeship reform

Find out more about apprenticeship assessment, including key policy updates, guidance on changes, new products in development, and upcoming events to help you navigate the future of apprenticeships with confidence.

› Find out more

Department for Education funding overview

View the Department for Education's full list of funding approval information for qualifications in England.

› Find out more

Teaching support

Enhance your skills and confidence with flexible qualifications designed to support effective teaching, learning, and assessment across diverse settings.

› Find out more

PARTNER WITH CITY & GUILDS

Interested in delivering City & Guilds qualifications or apprenticeships?

As a trusted leader in skills development, we offer a comprehensive range of qualifications and training solutions to prepare individuals for success in today's evolving workplace.

Working with us gives you access to a broad portfolio across multiple sectors, from entry-level qualifications to senior leadership pathways. Our on-hand support teams are here to help you deliver the best learning experience for your learners.

Complete the form below to request a call back to discuss your construction portfolio.

› Get in touch



About City & Guilds

City & Guilds is the global skills partner, empowering people, organisations and economies to develop the skills they need for growth. With almost 150 years of trusted expertise, we support people into work, help them develop on the job and move into the next job.

We work with Governments, employers, training providers, colleges and industry stakeholders to design and deliver high-quality training, qualifications, assessments and credentials that lead to meaningful career progression. We understand the life changing link between skills development, social mobility and success. Our solutions span critical sectors including construction, engineering, transport, energy and electrical, serving over 1 million learners annually.

Through our comprehensive portfolio of brands and trusted global network, we set industry-wide standards for technical, behavioural and commercial skills to improve performance and productivity. We believe you can achieve your potential - and we're here to help make it happen.

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