



# **All about Building Services**

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A newsletter from City & Guilds on professional and technical educational updates in Building Services for all nations.

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### **Extensions and Withdrawals**

#### Qualification extensions and withdrawals

2365-02/03 – The assessment strategies for these two awards (Level 2 and 3) changed in October 2017. As part of our qualification review process we updated our 2365 qualifications ensuring both levels are aligned to the new 5357 apprenticeship. Initial guidance gave centres a run-out time for any Evolve based assessments and also Centre marked Unit tasks. Centre feedback has identified that further dispensation has been applied to allow some centres to continue with the old assessments for the remainder of this academic year with a change then being in place from August 2018. From that date all centres should **only** be working towards the new versions of assessments and old versions cannot be claimed.

## **New qualifications**

## Technical Qualifications approved for delivery

**8202 Technical qualification** - https://www.cityandguilds.com/qualifications-and-apprenticeships/building-services-industry/electrical-installation/8202-technicals-in-building-services-engineering#tab=information

**Electrical Inspection and Testing (2391)** - https://www.cityandguilds.com/qualifications-and-apprenticeships/building-services-industry/electrical-installation/2391-electrical-inspection-and-testing#tab=documents

2382 - Going live on the website soon

# JIB registration

The JIB introduced the requirement that all new apprentice registrations must hold the ECS H&S assessment, prior to an apprentice registration being made, early last year.

The H&S unit of the apprenticeship can be used as an exemption for apprenticeship registration if (and only if) the apprenticeship registration is made directly by their college or training provider.

JIB apprenticeship registration includes the first apprentice ECS card at stage 1, ECS cards at stages 2, 3 & 4 and the final full ECS gold card when the full training pathway has been completed and certificated.

Apprentice registration is made electronically by the college or training provider once they have signed up to become a JIB Registered Training Provider. Registered training providers are also able to offer the ECS H&S assessment to their students and order ECS Work Experience cards. There is no charge for a college or training provider to become a JIB Registered Training Provider. The JIB also offers a JIB Preferred Provider status for colleges and training providers that meet the requirements. There is an annual fee to become a JIB Registered Training Provider but this also attracts discounts on JIB products and additional advantages such as the use of the JIB Preferred Provider logo.

For more information about the JIB Registered and Preferred Training Provider registration please visit

https://www.jib.org.uk/provider

# **New Learning Support Materials**

New enhanced SmartScreen packages available

Level 2 E-Learning for electrical and plumbing – updated with additional units since launch

- https://vimeo.com/231921511/d24c1e8bed
- https://vimeo.com/229998513/9131cb8644

#### **New Textbooks**

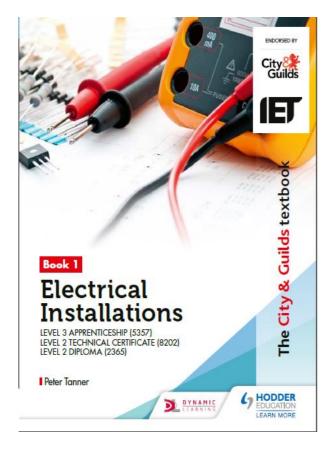
New electrotechnical books available

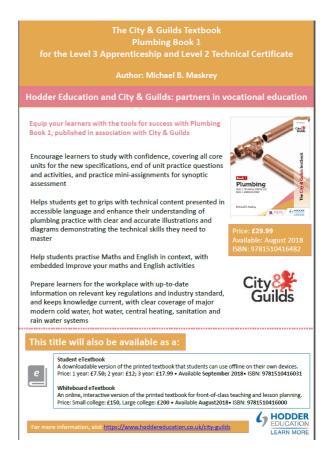
Book 1 Electrotechnical – September 2018

Book 2 Electrotechnical – November 2018

Book 1 Plumbing - August/September 2018

Book 2 Plumbing – Early 2019





**5357** – Logbooks and Apprenticeship training manual available as writeable pdfs through a smartscreen subscription - £350

#### **Smartscreen**

2391 - Planned July 2018

2382 – Planned for 2<sup>nd</sup> July availability – prices TBC

In Partnership with the IET we can offer the following packages

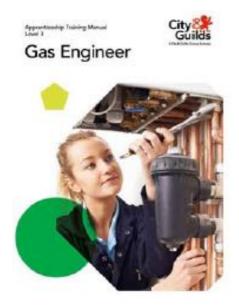
- Registration alone
- Registration and short e-learning course
- Registration and short e-learning course plus Regs book and on-site guide

Following products are also available to buy independently

- Short e-learning course (7 hours)
- Full e-learning course (35 hours)
- 18th edt. Wiring Regs book
- On-site guide

# **Level 3 Gas Engineer Apprenticeship Training Manual**

**Available now** - This training manual (£30) supports practical learning for the new gas apprenticeship and associated 9074 qualification – ordered through walled garden, smartscreen version coming soon



Gas Engineering smartscreen available – August 2018 £350

# **Regional Network Meetings/Events**

With education changing at a rapid pace, City & Guilds Technical Advisors are keen to keep everyone up to date.

All our dates for networks across all areas can be found on the below link. This is constantly updated so worth having a look at various intervals to make the most of the network meetings.

**Note** - Look out for the Plumbing & Heating Domestic Technician National launch from the NAPT (National Association of Plumbing Teachers) is planned for the 15<sup>th</sup> June in the Midlands area. The NAPT will be writing to all centres

#### https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/city-amp-guilds-12252766151

Some more recently advertised. (note some include electrical some specific to plumbing and gas)

Hertfordshire 22nd May Plumbing Gas and PMO

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bse-plumbing-gas-and-property-maintenance-centre-network-west-hertfordshire-college-tickets-42492788073

Castleford 29th May-plumbing gas electrical and PMO

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bse-regional-network-plumbing-electrical-etc-castleford-yorkshire-tickets-41813508329

Walsall 31st May-plumbing gas electrical and PMO

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bse-regional-network-plumbing-electrical-etc-midlands-tickets-40034849312

Oldham College (changed from Hopwood Hall) 5th June plumbing gas electrical and PMO https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bse-regional-network-plumbing-electrical-etc-hopwood-hall-manchester-area-tickets-41814044934

BSE Regional Network (plumbing and electrical) Buckinghamshire 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2018 - https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bse-regional-network-plumbing-and-electrical-buckinghamshire-tickets-45677461517

Taunton plumbing gas electrical and PMO 29th June https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bse-regional-network-plumbing-electrical-etc-bridgwater-and-taunton-college-tickets-42908286841

BSE Regional Network (plumbing and electrical etc.) Kings Lynne – 6<sup>th</sup> July - https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bse-regional-network-plumbing-and-electrical-etc-kings-lynne-tickets-45583028064

#### **Webinars**

#### **Previous webinars**

- 2391 webinar <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wAb-UQUPSkE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wAb-UQUPSkE</a>
- 2365 webinar https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OITMzF3vNL4&feature=youtu.be
- PMO webinar <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PgL7-CVm194">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PgL7-CVm194</a>
- Gas IQA <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y0rx7PEX2p0">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y0rx7PEX2p0</a>

# 18th Edition IET Wiring Regulations 2018

#### City & Guilds and IET - 18th Edition Webinar

This webinar will focus on the upcoming 18th edition Wiring regulations (Level 3 Award in the Requirements for Electrical Installations BS 7671:2018). We will be providing a comprehensive overview of technical content, support resources and how City & Guilds can help you transition from the current 17th edition to the new 18th edition. Your presenters for this webinar will be Steven Devine MIET (Senior Engineer) at the IET and Peter Tanner Lead Technical Consultant for City & Guilds. To ensure your space for this event please book now.

- Technical update
- Scope of the required qualification
- · Assessment methods and scope of assessment
- Support resources
- Impact on related qualifications and products
- Future network opportunities
- AOB
- Q&A

Registration link - https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6093913842875456257

## Update on government reforms

## Trailblazer Apprenticeship standards - England

It is anticipated that several trailblazer standards for core construction trades in England will be approved by the Institute for Apprenticeships (IfA) over the next couple of months. Once approved IfA will confirm the end dates for the SASE frameworks, but with a period of time where they will be running in parallel with the new Apprenticeship standards.

To check the status of standards currently in development, please visit the government website: https://www.instituteforapprenticeships.org/apprenticeship-standards/

## Post-16 Skills Plan consultation - England

Public consultation on the new "T-level" reforms opened on 30th November 2017 and closes on 8th February 2018. After this point we should start to see some further defined design principals of T-levels starting to emerge.

You can take part in the consultation here:

https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/implementation-of-t-level-programmes

#### **IGEM Gas Audits**

Please note – qualifications leading to GSR come under IGEM matters of gas training and have a requirement for auditable learning, information to follow

## Tell us what you think

All About Building Services is a newsletter that brings together all of the key developments from City & Guilds relevant to Construction skills learning across England, Scotland Northern Ireland and Wales. It contains updates on the range of teaching and learning resources we offer, plus relevant public policy or other information we think you might be interested in.

Each edition is numbered, so we can refer back to previous issues or tell you when information has been superseded.

If there's anything else you'd particularly like us to cover or explain more fully in future issues of All About, please feel free to drop us a line to **buildingservices@cityandguilds.com** 

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