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60131901 Level 2 Diploma in Wood Machining for Joinery Manufacture

OVERVIEW

For those interested in a career as a trades person working with wood in the construction industry, this qualification is ideal for developing skills and knowledge of wood machining for joinery manufacture. You will learn about the industry, including the principles of machine manufactured joinery, and about health, safety and environmental issues faced on construction sites, and how to communicate with others on the job. You will also learn practical skills specific to joinery manufacture, including setting and operating fixed sawing machines, fixed planing machines, fixed jointing machines, fixed profiling machines and fixed sanding machines. You have the option to study setting and operating NC/CNC machines.

This is a Framework qualification that consists of seven units of assessment, and an optional unit in NC/CNC machines.

There are no entry requirements for this qualification – it is available to anyone over the age of 16 that is interested in learning more about joinery manufacture. However, you are likely to hold a previous qualification, such as the Level 1 Diploma in Carpentry and Joinery, or have equivalent experience working with wood, preferably with a joinery focus. You will be seeking to consolidate your skills and knowledge of the trade in order to progress to further learning and specialisation in joinery manufacture.

WHAT COULD THIS QUALIFICATION LEAD TO?

This qualification helps prepare you for work in the construction industry, with a specific focus on wood machining joinery manufacture. You are likely to progress on to study the Level 2 NVQ, either as part of an apprenticeship, or as a standalone qualification. Complementary NVQ qualifications are:

- 600/7752/9 Level 2 NVQ Diploma In Wood Occupations (Construction)

WHO SUPPORTS THIS QUALIFICATION?

This qualification is supported by hundreds of colleges in the UK. We are grateful to have specific support from the following City & Guilds Construction centres:

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Colchester Institute
South & City College Birmingham

We are also grateful to have support for this qualification from the Federation of Master Builders.