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To Whom It May Concern

Qualifications in Construction

Bridgwater College is located in the heart of Somerset, with main centres in Bridgwater and Cannington. The College has an excellent reputation both regionally and nationally as a highly successful provider of education and training. Bridgwater College has purpose-built construction training centres at the main site, in Wylds Road, Bridgwater and in Cannington.

As a leading provider of skills and training for the Construction Sector, we can confirm that we use the following qualifications provide opportunities for learners to the gain skills and knowledge required to progress into further learning in Construction trades. They also provide entry into work for some of our learners.

Woodworking Qualifications

HM Government estimates there are as many as 210,000 carpenters, joiners and other woodworkers in the UK. Due to the intermittent nature of work in construction, this workforce needs constant supply of new skills. To enable this, we fully support the following qualifications being included for funding:

- 60080462 Level 1 Diploma In Carpentry and Joinery (6706-13)
- 60080474 Level 2 Diploma In Site Carpentry (6706-23)
- 60090674 Level 2 Extended Diploma in Site Carpentry (6706-50)
- 60080486 Level 2 Diploma In Bench Joinery (6706-26)
- 60090686 Level 2 Extended Diploma in Bench Joinery (6706-51)
- 60131901 Level 2 Diploma in Wood Machining for Joinery Manufacture (6706-28)
- 60079952 Level 3 Diploma In Site Carpentry (6706-33)
- 60080504 Level 3 Diploma In Bench Joinery (6706-36)

These qualifications provide the skills and knowledge to gain an understanding of the Construction industry and provide a progression route through learning to become a specialist tradesman working in woodworking.



In order to prove competency, learners may also progress on to the following NVQ qualifications:

- 60077529 Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (Construction) – Site Carpentry
- 60077529 Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (Construction) – Bench Joinery
- 60077529 Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (Construction) – Structural Post and Beam Carpentry
- 60077529 Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (Construction) – Light Structural Timber Framing
- 60077529 Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (Construction) – Timber Frame Erection
- 60077529 Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (Construction) – Timber Decks and Cladding
- 60078492 Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (Construction) – Site Carpentry
- 60078492 Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (Construction) – Bench Joinery
- 60078492 Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (Construction) – Wheelwrighting
- 60078492 Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (Construction) – Shopfitting Site Work
- 60078492 Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (Construction) – Shopfitting Bench Work
- 60078492 Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations (Construction) – Structural Post and Beam Carpentry

Many learners also progress to higher level qualifications in site supervision and management, and a significant number also found the small and micro businesses that dominate employment in the construction industry.

We can confirm that we consent to our company name and logo being made publicly available on the City & Guilds website.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S Battersby', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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