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601/0239/1 Level 1 Diploma in Introduction to the Hospitality Industry

OVERVIEW

- What does this qualification cover?

This qualification covers the required skills and knowledge for preparing to work in the Hospitality & Catering Industry. It is designed to meet the needs of learners who want to work in the industry. This qualification can provide the learner with basic skills in differing areas before deciding which specific route they would focus on.

The following areas that can be covered within this qualification:

- Introduction to kitchen equipment
- Applying for jobs and courses
- Preparing and displaying salads and sandwiches for service
- Introduction to pastry and cake preparation and cooking methods
- Assisting at a hospitality event
- Basic food preparation
- Basic cooking
- Guest services in the hospitality industry
- Preparing the dining area for service
- Essential knife skills for the catering industry
- Cleaning and storage procedures for cutlery and crockery
- Introduction to meal planning and preparation

Learners will complete the required mandatory units plus the required units selected from the range of optional units to achieve the full qualification.

This is a Framework qualification.

- Who could take this qualification?

For learners starting out in hospitality & catering and want a basic understanding of the industry, this qualification is designed for learners who want to prepare for further learning or training in the hospitality & catering sector.

This qualification is suitable for anyone from 14 years old or over to take this qualification.

WHAT COULD THIS QUALIFICATION LEAD TO?

This qualification could lead to jobs such as:

- Kitchen assistant
- Food service assistant
- Hotels – reception/accommodation

The learner could progress onto an apprenticeship at level 2 in hospitality & catering, such as professional cookery or food & beverage service or other qualifications such as:

- Level 1 Award in Culinary Skills
- Level 2 Diploma in Professional Food and Beverage Service
- Level 2 Diploma in Culinary Skills
- Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Food and Beverage Service
- Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Food production and cooking
- Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Professional Cookery (Preparation and Cooking)
- Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Professional Cookery
- Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Hospitality Services

WHO SUPPORTS THIS QUALIFICATION?

This qualification is supported by South Downs College, Northampton College and City of Bath College..