

City & Guilds

4807 Entry Level 2 Certificate in Skills for Working Life (QAN 601/3709/5)

OVERVIEW

- What does this qualification cover?

This qualification covers a very wide range of units that will help you to develop your own personal skills, plus the chance to learn skills that will be helpful in work, learned through the context of interesting topics, such as working with animals, plants or undertaking crafts, such as pottery.

The preparing for work units include topics such as communication, healthy living, personal finance and working as part of a group. They will help you to develop personal skills, and those used to interact with other people. They will be helpful if you want to go onto further study, living independently and potentially supported work.

There are a wide range of units within the following areas that you can achieve: Horticulture, Animal Care, Horse Care, Floristry, Conservation, Metalwork, Woodwork, Painting and Decorating, Pottery, Recycling, Vehicle Maintenance and Construction. These units will help you to develop work-related skills, learned through the context of vocational areas, depending upon which areas interest you the most.

Optional units could include bed down farm animals, provide food and water for poultry, groom a horse, weed a planted area, wrap flowers and plants, plant an area to attract wildlife, separate waste materials, wash the outside of a motor car or van, recognise, use and care for basic construction tools, use sandpaper on wood based materials, glaze a pot, recognise and cut metal and prepare a surface for painting.

The choice of optional units will reflect the things that you are most interested in. You can choose to focus on animal, plant or craft units only, or you can choose to take a choice of units from a range of the vocational areas. The Certificate can be endorsed with the following pathways:

- Land-based (Animals)
- Land-based (Plants)
- Craft, Design and Technology
- General

This is a Framework qualification.



WHAT COULD THIS QUALIFICATION LEAD TO?

Who is the qualification aimed at?

This is a qualification that is suitable whatever age you are, and it will help you to develop the ability to use skills, knowledge and understanding to carry out simple, familiar tasks and activities with guidance from your tutor.

This qualification can be part of a programme of study, or it may be taken as a stand alone qualification. It is a medium-sized qualification allowing you to focus on a small area of interest or experience a wider variety of vocational tasks.

It is also designed for those wishing to engage with learning or for those who may have barriers to learning.

How will the qualification enable learners to progress?

This is a small qualification and learners, once engaged in the learning process, can progress to larger sized qualifications by gaining more credit, or they could progress to supported employment.

This qualification could lead to supported employment as an:

- Assistant Gardener
- Assistant Farm Worker
- Assistant Yard Worker
- Assistant Groom
- Assistant Handy Person

You could progress on to a larger diploma sized qualification at Entry 2 or progress to qualifications at Entry 3 such as:

Entry Level Diploma in Skills for Working Life (Entry 2)

Entry Level Award in Skills for Working Life (Entry 3)

Entry Level Certificate in Skills for Working Life (Entry 3)

Entry Level Diploma in Skills for Working Life (Entry 3)

There is a Diploma in Entry Level Skills for Working Life (Entry 2) which you could choose to take, which is similar to the Certificate, but larger in size.

You could also progress onto qualifications within the new City & Guilds Employability suite, at Entry Level to Level 2.

WHO SUPPORTS THIS QUALIFICATION?

Askham Bryan College

Sparsholt College

Wiltshire College

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