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0070 Level 2 Diploma in Work-based Environmental Conservation 500/9062/8

OVERVIEW

- What does this qualification cover?

This qualification covers a very wide range of areas related to the skills and knowledge required for working in the Environmental Conservation industry. All learners will cover the mandatory core units of:

Monitoring and maintaining health and safety
Maintain and develop personal performance
Establish and maintain effective working relationships with others

Depending upon which pathway is chosen from:

- Environmental Conservation
- Access and recreation
- Rivers, coasts and waterways

You are then required to take some units from specified groups and some optional units, that could include:

- Conduct and report on a field survey for habitat types
- Monitor and report on water levels
- Conduct and report on a field survey for access networks
- Work with and consult the local community
- Collect, sort and process materials for recycling
- Promote responsible public use of the environment.

The choice of optional units will reflect the work environment that you are in, and the type of role that you are carrying out.

This is a Framework qualification.

- Who could take this qualification? OR who is this qualification designed for?

It is a work-related, competence-based qualification, and is designed for someone in work or who wishes to progress into work. It reflects the skills and knowledge needed to do a job effectively, and shows that you are competent in the area of work the qualification represents.

The qualification may allow you to combine working for an Environmental business, such as a Wildlife Trust, conservation trust or similar job, and typically involves you attending one day a week at College or with a Training Provider.

You could do this Level 2 Diploma as a stand-alone qualification, or you could take it as part of an apprenticeship.

There are no specific prior achievements required to take this qualification, but a Level 1 or another Level 2 qualification in other Land-based related subjects could be an advantage.

You need to be 16 years old or over to take this qualification.

WHAT COULD THIS QUALIFICATION LEAD TO?

This qualification could lead to jobs such as:

- Estate worker
- Ranger
- Conservation worker
- Community officer
- Education officer

You could progress to other qualifications at Level 3 such as:

Level 3 Certificate in Countryside Management
Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Countryside Management
Level 3 90 Credit Diploma in Countryside Management
Level 3 Diploma in Countryside Management
Level 3 Extended Diploma in Countryside Management
Level 3 Diploma in Work-based Environmental Conservation

There is a smaller Certificate in Level 2 Work-based Environmental Conservation which you could choose to take, but it is not part of the Apprenticeship at Level 2.

WHO SUPPORTS THIS QUALIFICATION?

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