600/4886/4 Level 2 Diploma in Vehicle Valeting Principles

• Who is this qualification for?

This qualification is for you if you are aged 16 years old or over and would like to know how to clean motor vehicles, inside and out.

Although you may already have some previous training or practical experience, it is not necessary to hold any previous qualifications or being in a current work placement to take this qualification.

• What does this qualification cover?

The key skills you will have acquired upon achievement of this qualification are:

• using high pressure hoses to clean vehicles
• steam cleaning the engine, frame and wheel arches
• cleaning windows, wheels, door handles and mirrors
• vacuuming and shampooing upholstery and carpets
• applying gels and polishes to surfaces
• painting rubber dressings on tyre walls
• maintaining a safe working environment and professional image.

Other non-technical but essential skills also include: how to maintain good working relationships with colleagues and customers in the automotive work environment by using effective communication and support.

Colleges and training centres may work with local employers who will contribute to the knowledge and delivery of training. This practical training is ideal preparation for training on the job or specialist further study.
Will the qualification lead to employment, and if so, in which job role and at what level?

This qualification will prepare you to become a car valet. You may work as part of a team, or independently as a mobile valet. You could also start your own business.

• Will the qualification lead to further learning?

You could develop further your leadership and management skills by taking a higher level qualification through the Institute of Leadership and Management (ILM).

WHO SUPPORTS THIS QUALIFICATION?

This qualification is supported by the Retail Motor Industry Federation (RMI).

The Retail Motor Industry Federation (RMI) is a leading automotive trade body in the UK, representing franchised car and commercial vehicle dealers; independent garages; bodyshops; motorcycle dealers, petrol retailers; auction houses and cherished number plate dealers who provide sales and services to motorists and businesses across the UK.

THIS IS A SUBSTANTIAL VOCATIONAL QUALIFICATION AT LEVEL 2.

For further information on this qualification please refer to the qualification handbook: