

## Bricklaying and Trowel Occupations (Construction) Apprenticeship Level 3



<b>Apprenticeship Framework Title</b>	Bricklaying and Trowel Occupations
<b>Level</b>	3
<b>Sector</b>	Construction, Planning and the Built Environment
<b>Duration / Guided Learning Hours</b>	18 to 24 months
<b>Minimum Age of Learner</b>	16 Years

### The Programme

This programme is aimed at those who have completed the two year Apprenticeship programme in Trowel Occupations in Bricklaying and are working in Bricklaying.

**Potential Job Roles**     **Bricklayer:** Working on a construction site, to given specifications, setting out structures and carrying out complex building work.

### Employer Benefits

It is increasingly difficult to recruit skilled labour in the Construction industry so the obvious route is to increase the number of apprenticeships on offer and upskill your existing workforce.

Apprenticeships are an excellent way to support your organisation by harnessing new talent or helping to up skill your existing workforce. An apprenticeship is your chance to employ an individual committed to learning and developing their skills within your organisation. Your apprentice will bring technical skills and knowledge back to your business.

- Increase productivity
- Future-proof your business
- Give you the competitive edge
- Improve profits
- Reduce training costs
- Motivate your workforce

### Programme Design

The qualification comprises of mandatory generic units, mandatory specialist units and optional modules.

Mandatory Requirements	
Functional Skills	Level
Maths	2
English	2
Qualification and Skills	
<b>Combined Knowledge and Competence Based Qualification</b>	Level 3 Trowel Occupations (Construction)

<b>Employer Rights and Responsibilities</b>	Level 1 Award in Employee Rights and Responsibilities in the Construction Industry
<b>Personal Learning and Thinking Skills</b>	Creative thinking Independent enquiry Reflective learning Team working Self-management Effective participation

<b>Mandatory Units for Diploma</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>Unit Reference</b>	<b>Unit Title</b>
1	CSA L1Core01	Health, Safety and welfare in construction and associated industries
3	CSA L3Core07	Analysing technical information, quantities and communication with others
3	CSA L3 Core08	Analysing the construction industry and built environment
3	CSA L30cc132	Repair and maintain masonry structures

<b>Optional Units for Diploma : minimum of 2 to be discussed and decided with tutor</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>Unit Reference</b>	<b>Unit Title</b>
3	CSA L30cc131	Construct chimneys and fireplace structures
3	CSA L30cc133	Construct complex masonry structures
3	CSA L30cc134	Construct decorative features

<b>Mandatory Units for NVQ Level 3</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>Unit Reference</b>	<b>Unit Title</b>
3	QCF209v2	Confirming work activities and resources for an occupational area in the workplace
5	QCF210v2	Developing and maintaining good occupational working relationships in the workplace
3	QCF211v2	Confirming the occupational method of work in the workplace
2	QCF40v2	Erecting masonry structures in the workplace
2	QCF41v2	Setting out masonry structures in the workplace
3	QCF48v2	Setting out complex masonry structures in the workplace
3	QCF49v2	Erecting complex masonry structures in the workplace
3	QCF641	Conforming to general health and safety in the workplace

<b>Optional units for NVQ Level 3 : minimum of 1 to be discussed and decided with tutor</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>Unit Reference</b>	<b>Unit Title</b>
2	QCF42v2	Erecting masonry cladding in the workplace
2	QCF44v2	Erecting thin joint masonry structures in the workplace
2	QCF45v3	Placing and finishing non-specialist concrete in the workplace
2	QCF47v2	Maintaining slate and tile roofing in the workplace
2	QCF50v2	Repairing and maintaining masonry structures in the workplace
2	QCF639v2	Installing drainage in the workplace
2	QCF66	Producing internal solid plastering finishes in the workplace
2	QCF67	Producing external solid render finishes in the workplace

<b>Qualification Progression</b>	NVQ Level 6 Diploma in Construction Contracting Operations NVQ Level 6 Diploma in Construction Site Management
<b>Job role progression opportunities:</b>	Bricklaying has a wide range of opportunities that apprentices can be involved with in a structured career path, such as new builds and refurbishments.