

# Construction

## Multi-Trade Property Maintenance in Construction (including Brickwork, Plastering and Joinery) Part-time

### In Brief

#### Start Date / Duration

This course started on 10 January 2023. Applications are still being taken. The course will run until Thursday 22 June 2023. Classes will take place on Tuesday and Thursday evenings between 6.00pm and 9.00pm.

#### Entry Requirements

The course is suitable if you are a complete beginner or if you have some previous knowledge.

#### You will achieve

City and Guilds certificate in Multi-Trade (6219) This will give you the skills and confidence to carry out small domestic household repairs.

### Course Overview

This practical course will enable you to increase your Bricklaying, Plastering and Carpentry and Joinery skills.

The course is suitable if you have some previous knowledge, or if you are a complete beginner. You can study in order to be able to carry out DIY in the home or with a view to undertaking a formal Construction qualification.

### Course Content

You will study basic elements of Bricklaying, Plastering, Carpentry and Joinery including:

- How to mix and apply plaster and rendering and carry out small repairs to damaged walls.
- How to build small brick structures, e.g. barbecues, garden walls, gate posts.
- Safe use of power tools, basic hand tool skills, timber product repairs and replacement.
- Tiling repairs and replacements for kitchens and bathrooms.
- Safe working methods and Personal Protective Equipment.

### How will I be assessed?

Highly trained trade experts will teach, train and coach you in each area and give you positive

feedback on ways to improve. They will support your progress and set tasks that will stretch and challenge your skill levels.

Each trade area will have a practical assessment you will need to complete to a good standard in fixed timescale. You will have a task book with a marking criterion set for each practical area.

## What Equipment Will I Need?

All tools and equipment will be supplied. All Personal Protective Equipment will be provided and must be worn.

## Where will I study?

Old Mill Lane campus  
Church Street  
Barnsley  
S70 2AX

## What can I do next?

After gaining a City and Guilds certificate you could study a full Level 2 trade qualification with us ([link to courses](#)).

You could also:

- Enter semi-skilled employment as a handyperson or caretaker.
- Study an apprenticeship (you will need an employer to do this).

## How much does the course cost?

£450. Adults in receipt of benefits may be eligible to study for free.

## 19+ Students

Aged 19 or over and thinking about further education? You may be eligible for free or reduced course fees. Please refer to our page ['paying for your course.'](#)

## Financial support

You may be eligible for assistance with expenses such as travel, books, equipment and childcare. For further information please contact the Student Services Team on +44 (0)1226 216 267.

## Extra information

### Contact the Information Unit

For further information please contact our friendly Information Team on +44 (0)1226 216 123 or email [info@barnsley.ac.uk](mailto:info@barnsley.ac.uk) [<mailto:info@barnsley.ac.uk>]

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