

Business and Management

Assessing: Vocational Achievement Level 3 Work-based Certificate

In Brief

Start Date / Duration

There are various start dates throughout the year and can take up to two years to complete the qualification.

Entry Requirements

You must be working in a role where you are required to assess competence based qualifications in the work place, e.g. NVQs and you are required to assess/moderate within a college, training workshop or classroom situation.

You will achieve

Level 3 Certificate in Assessing Vocational Achievement

Course Overview

The course covers the understanding of principles and practices of assessment, assessing vocational skills, knowledge and understanding and assessing occupational competence in the work environment.

This qualification is intended for those who assess both occupational competence in the work environment and vocational skills, knowledge and understanding in environments other than the workplace (for example a workshop, classroom or other training environment)

Course Content

This qualification will be delivered through a variety of activities and one to one tutorials.

The course consists of the following modules:

- Understanding the Principles and Practices of Assessment
- Assess Vocational Skills; Knowledge and Understanding
- Assess Occupational Competence in the Work Environment

You will study:

- Understand the principles; planning and decision making of assessment
- Understand different assessment methods and how to involve learners and others in assessment
- Understand quality assurance of assessment process
- Understand how to manage information relating to assessment
- Understand the legal and good practice requirements in relation to assessment
- Plan the assessment of occupational competence
- Make assessment decisions about occupational competence
- Provide information following the assessment of occupational competence
- Prepare for and carry out feedback on assessments of vocational skills, knowledge and understanding and occupational competence
- Maintain legal and good practice when assessing vocational skills, knowledge and understanding and occupational competence

How will I be assessed?

You will be assessed through the coursework you produce and the activities you take part in.

What Equipment Will I Need?

No specialist equipment required.

Where will I study?

You will study in your workplace.

What can I do next?

Progression routes for this unit are the Award in Education and Training Level 3 [<https://www.barnsley.ac.uk/course/teaching-education-and-training-award-level-3-part-time/>] or Certificate in Education and Training Level 4 teaching programmes. [<https://www.barnsley.ac.uk/course/teaching-certificate-education-training-level-4-part-time/>]

How much does the course cost?

£800 full fee payable.

Extra information

Advanced Learner Loans

This course may be eligible for an Advanced Learner Loan. Contact our friendly Information Team on +44 (0)1226 216 123 or email info@barnsley.ac.uk [mailto:info@barnsley.ac.uk] . about eligibility and how to apply. You can also visit the Advanced Learner Loan [<https://www.barnsley.ac.uk/courses/paying-for-your-course/advanced-learner-loans/>] page.

Full Fee Payable

If the course is listed as full fee payable, you will have to pay for the course.

Contact the Information Unit

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Additional Learning Support

Our Additional Learning Support team can provide you with the support you need. Please contact them on +44 (0)1226 216 769.

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