Plant, Construction & Business NVQs
We offer a wide range of National Vocational Qualifications (NVQs).

NVQs are qualifications that allow you to prove your competence in the workplace. You will have the opportunity to develop your current skills and knowledge at work. Our NVQs are carried out through work based assessment, meaning no classroom based activities.

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Need to get on site? Our NVQs are suitable to help you get the relevant CSCS or CPCS card

Employers, contractors and major site operators may require, that on-site workers have a valid **CSCS / CPCS card** appropriate to their profession and relevant to their qualifications.

If you do not have the correct card you may be refused site access.

In order to obtain or renew the correct card it is now necessary to complete an NVQ relevant to your profession.

If your card is due to expire soon, you may be able to extend your current card or apply for a red CSCS card until you complete your NVQ. To extend or apply for the red card, you must complete the relevant CITB Health, Safety & Environment test (within 2 years) and provide evidence from your training that you registered onto an NVQ.

Integrated Training Solutions (ITS) are a leading provider of NVQs within the construction industry with highly qualified NVQ assessors who help you achieve your goals quickly, affordably and easily. We work closely with you and support you through the process to make that happen, offering a flexible approach to ensure minimal disruption to your day job.

Find out how the NVQ process works, including how long it takes and what to expect at each stage, with our helpful online guide - [www.training-its.co.uk](http://www.training-its.co.uk)

With an extensive network right across the country you’re never too far from the results you require.

We’re passionate about NVQs and the potential they have to open doors to brighter futures for you. We have hundreds of pathways available for you to choose, why not take a look for yourself.

If you are a CITB levy payer you may be eligible to claim up to £600 on achievement of any NVQ (subject to terms and conditions).

Don’t forget
Plant NVQs

Enhances knowledge and skills for learners working in the construction and built environment sector across a broad range of areas. It will cover aspects such as preparing and operating compact cranes to lifting and transferring loads in the workplace. This will enable learners to work on a construction site, in a public place or on the highway, operating plant/machinery to transfer loads, excavate, lift and move materials to given specifications.

PATHWAYS AVAILABLE
- CRANES & SPECIALIST LIFTING
- FORK LIFT TRUCKS
- EXTRACTING
- TRANSPORTING LOADS
- WORK PLATFORMS
- LAYING & DISTRIBUTING
- COMPACTING
- PROCESSING
- LOADING & SECURING
- ROAD & RAIL
- ATTACHMENTS
- EXCAVATING
- SWEEPING, CLEANING, CLEARING
- OPERATIONS GUIDE
- MOVEMENT GUIDE

Plant operations enhances knowledge and skills in road plant and machinery. It includes preparing and operating cranes or machinery as well as giving learners the opportunity to specialise in various plant machines such as forklift trucks, excavators, scissor platforms, and cranes.

PATHWAYS AVAILABLE
- CRANES AND SPECIALIST LIFTING
- EXCAVATING
- EXTRACTING
- CONSTRUCTION & FORMING
- TRANSPORTING LOADS
- LAYING & DISTRIBUTING
- ATTACHMENTS
- IN-SHORE MARINE
- ROAD & RAIL
- ERECTING & DISMANTLING
- ROAD PLANT & MACHINERY
CONTROLLING LIFTING OPERATIONS  3-6 months  £ CPCs

Controlling lifting operations is ideal for individuals who specialise in slinging and signalling activities to carry out and control lifting operations. It covers attaching, preparing, guiding, positioning and placing suspended loads for movement as well as using, checking and preparing lifting accessories.

PLANT INSTALLATIONS  3-6 months  £ CPCs

Plant installations will assess learners on moving, handling and storing resources in the workplace as well as installing plant or machinery for operational activities. It also covers general health and safety awareness needed for the task.

PLANT MAINTENANCE  3-6 months  £ CPCs

allows learners to demonstrate competence at a level required by the construction industry. It includes general inspection, servicing, maintenance and repair activities in plant equipment and machinery.

PLANT MAINTENANCE  6-12 months  £ CPCs

Plant maintenance provides the opportunity for individuals who specialise in the maintenance and repair of construction plant and equipment to demonstrate their competence. It covers a range of different units and areas across the diverse nature of equipment within the construction plant and machinery maintenance industry.
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**PLANT INSTALLATION - TOWER CRANES**

Ideal for learners working in the construction and the built environment sector in the specialised area of tower cranes. Learners will be able to demonstrate competence on a variety of skills and knowledge such as dismantling, preparing, operating and inspecting tower cranes in the workplace.

6-12 months

**Pathways Available**

PAINTER

**Funding Available**

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**DECORATIVE FINISHING & INDUSTRIAL PAINTING**

This qualification will develop knowledge and skills in areas such as preparing surfaces for painting and applying paint systems by brush and roller. Additionally, individuals will be given the opportunity to evidence competence in areas such as moving, handling and storing resources in the workplace and erecting/dismantling working platforms.

3-6 months

**Pathways Available**

PAINTER

INDUSTRIAL PAINTER

**CSCS** SKILLED WORKER CARD
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**DEMOlITION**

Aimed at learners who are working, or want to work, in the construction and built environment sector as a demolition operative or plant operator. As well as covering general health and safety regulations in the workplace, learners will be able to demonstrate competence in removing and segregating components prior to demolition or inspecting and completing user maintenance on plant or machinery.

**PATHWAYS AVAILABLE**

- SOFT STRIP

**INTERIOR SYSTEMS**

Is ideal for learners to demonstrate competence in moving, handling and storing resources in the workplace. It also covers general health, safety and welfare whilst allowing learners to specialise in their dedicated pathway to demonstrate productive working practices in the workplace.

**PATHWAYS AVAILABLE**

- CEILING FIXING
- DRY LINING FINISHING
- DRY LINING BOARDER

**PLASTERING (SOLID)**

Plastering (solid) allows learners to demonstrate competence in plastering at a level required by the construction and the built environment industry. It will cover aspects such as applying finishing plaster to prepared surfaces, producing solid plaster finishes and applying solid render to background surfaces.

**INTERIOR SYSTEMS DRY LINING FIXING**

Aimed at learners in interior construction systems to confirm competence as a dry liner (fixer). As well as covering general health, safety and welfare in the workplace, learners will specialise in installation of plasterboard linings in the workplace and moving, handling and storing resources.

**PATHWAYS AVAILABLE**

- CEILING FIXING
- DRY LINING FINISHING
- DRY LINING BOARDER

**LEVEL 2 DIPLOMA**

**LEVEL 2 CERTIFICATE**

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**FUNDING AVAILABLE**

**SKILLED WORKER CARD**

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Steelfixing will develop knowledge and skills in areas such as general health and safety, productive working practices and moving, handling and storing resources. Learners will be able to specialise further in cutting and bending reinforcement steel to shape, fixing steel in situ and/or prefabricating reinforcement steel sections.

Ideal for learners working in this specialised area of construction. It provides the opportunity to demonstrate competence in installing fitted furniture as well as covering general health and safety in the workplace.

Formwork allows learners to demonstrate competence in productive working practices within this area of construction, such as erecting and striking timber and proprietary formwork as well as fabricating and maintaining timber and proprietary formwork systems in the workplace.

This qualification is aimed at learners in associated industrial occupations, demonstrating competence in passive fire protection. It covers aspects such as erecting and dismantling access/working platforms in the workplace as well as optional units such as installation of fire stopping, fire resisting ductwork and cavity barriers.
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WALL & FLOOR TILING

Provides the opportunity to develop skills and knowledge in wall and floor tiling, particularly preparing backgrounds to receive wall and/or floor tiling. It also allows learners to specialise in tiling wall and floor surfaces including being assessed on a selection of resources, minimisation of damage and compliance with health and safety.

TROWEL OCCUPATIONS

Allows learners to develop skills and knowledge required in bricklaying or craft masonry. It covers areas such as working on a construction site, setting out basic structures, working to given specifications, setting out and erecting masonry structures, placing and finishing concrete and render surfaces.

CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS & CIVIL ENGINEERING SERVICES

Appropriate for learners in the construction and built environment sector who work across a broad range of areas. It is designed to assess occupational competence in the workplace where learners must demonstrate skills and knowledge from laying kerbs and channels to excavation and reinstatement, drainage construction to structural concreting.

PATHWAYS AVAILABLE

MODULAR PAVING (CONSTRUCTION)
LAYING KERBS & CHANNELS
GENERAL CONSTRUCTION
DRAINAGE CONSTRUCTION
NON STRUCTURAL CONCRETING
EXCAVATION & REINSTATEMENT
GENERAL BUILDING OPERATIONS

LEVEL 2 DIPLOMA

4-6 months

LEVEL 2 CERTIFICATE

4-6 months

LEVEL 2 DIPLOMA

4-6 months

FUNDING AVAILABLE
This qualification will develop knowledge and skills in areas such as: developing and maintaining working relationships, preparing and processing invitations to tender, preparing programmes and schedules of work, operating project information systems, and operating health, safety and welfare systems in construction. Learners can specialise in several different areas of construction contracting operations from buying to estimating to planning and more.

**PATHWAYS AVAILABLE**
- ESTIMATING
- BUYING
- PLANNING
- SURVEYING
- SITEM TECHNICAL SUPPORT
- DESIGN CO-ORDINATOR
- GENERAL

**LEVEL 3 DIPLOMA**

**WOOD OCCUPATIONS**

Wood occupations will allow learners to specialise and demonstrate competence in installing first and second fixing components; manufacturing routine architectural joinery; setting out and fabricating timber framework; installing frames and hinges and internal mouldings; erecting timber walls, roofs and floors; setting up and using cutting and shaping machines; or manufacturing routine architectural joinery products.

**PATHWAYS AVAILABLE**
- SITE CARPENTRY

**LEVEL 2 DIPLOMA**

**CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTING OPERATIONS**

**FUNDING AVAILABLE**

**LEVEL 3 DIPLOMA**

**LEVEL 2 DIPLOMA**
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LEVEL 3 DIPLOMA

WOOD OCCUPATIONS

Wood occupations will assess the knowledge, skills and competence of learners who specialise in a wood based occupation in the construction industry, confirming work activities, resources and occupational methods in the workplace. With a number of pathways to choose from such as site carpentry, architectural joinery, structural post and beam carpentry and timber frame erection.

PATHWAYS AVAILABLE
- SITE CARPENTRY
- ARCHITECTURAL JOINERY
- SHOPFITTING SITE WORK
- SHOPFITTING BENCH WORK
- TIMBER FRAME
- STRUCTURAL POST & BEAM CARPENTRY

FORMWORK

FORMWORK is ideal for learners to demonstrate competence in erecting and striking timber and proprietary formwork as well as constructing, maintaining and repairing complex timber and proprietary formwork. It also covers general health and safety practices whilst developing knowledge and skills on occupational methods of work.

FORMWORK 6-12 months

TROWEL OCCUPATIONS

This qualification allows learners to demonstrate competence in specific trowel occupations such as setting out and erecting both complex and non-complex masonry structures in the workplace. Learners will be given the opportunity to develop their skills and knowledge in further optional units in areas such as erecting, repairing and maintaining masonry structures, producing plastering finished and installing drainage.

TROWEL OCCUPATIONS 6-12 months

LEVEL 3 DIPLOMA

W O R D S A M E N C E

WOOD OCCUPATIONS

FORMWORK

TROWEL OCCUPATIONS

LEVEL 3 DIPLOMA

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LEVEL 3 DIPLOMA

CONTROLLING LIFTING OPERATIONS - SUPERVISING LIFTS

6-12 months

CPCS

Ideal for learners in the construction industry who specialise in lifting suspended loads. It covers supervising lifting operations using lifting equipment, co-ordinating and organising control and preparation of work, as well as allocating and monitoring the use of equipment.

LEVEL 3 DIPLOMA

OCCUPATIONAL WORK SUPERVISION

6-12 months

CPCS

Allow learners to demonstrate competence through confirming the occupational method of work in the workplace and being assessed on work activities such as co-ordinating and organising work operations and resources for the occupational work area.

LEVEL 3 CERTIFICATE

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH & SAFETY

6-12 months

CPCS

Develops skills and knowledge to monitor and develop procedures to safely control work operations. Learners will be assessed on promoting a culture of health and safety in the workplace whilst ensuring responsibility for reviewing procedures and planning actions to reduce risks of incidents.

LEVEL 4 DIPLOMA

LIFTING OPERATIONS - SUPERVISING LIFTS

6-12 months

CPCS

Ideal for learners working in supervising lifting operations and will provide the opportunity to demonstrate competence in using, allocating and monitoring lifting equipment as well as co-ordinating preparation work for lifting operations.

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Construction site supervision allows learners to demonstrate competence when working on a construction site as site supervisors. Learners can specialise in a number of different areas whilst covering aspects such as assessing and recommending work methods for carrying out site operations, planning activities and resources to meet work requirements, co-ordinating and organising the control of work and controlling work process against agreed programmes.

PATHWAYS AVAILABLE
- BUILDING & CIVIL ENGINEERING
- HIGHWAYS MAINTENANCE & REPAIR
- RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT
- CONSERVATION
- DEMOLITION
- TUNNELLING

CONSTRUCTION SITE SUPERVISION 6-12 months CPCS

Develops knowledge and skills for planning lifting activities using cranes and/or lifting equipment in the workplace. It will assess learners in planning these activities and resources in line with established health and safety systems ensuring preparation of the site for project or operation.

CONTROLLING LIFTING OPERATIONS - PLANNING LIFTS 12 months CPCS

Ideal for learners in a position of health and safety leadership, being assessed on development and implementation of an effective system for health and safety practice on both individual and organisational levels. It covers proactive and reactive monitoring systems while maintaining knowledge of improvements to influence health and safety in the workplace.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH & SAFETY PRACTICE 12 months CPCS
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This qualification is suitable for learners with a traceable experience in contracts and/or project management, demonstrating competence in the necessary skills and knowledge to plan and organise work activities; obtain necessary project information; liaise with clients and other contractors and amend work programmes and schedules.

PATHWAYS AVAILABLE
- ESTIMATING
- BUYING
- PLANNING
- SURVEYING
- GENERAL

Construction site management will develop knowledge and skills in areas such as site management within the construction industry. It covers areas including building and civil engineering, conservation, demolition, highways and maintenance and residential development; all of which will allow learners to demonstrate competence in reviewing, planning and establishing high level site management.

PATHWAYS AVAILABLE
- BUILDING & CIVIL ENGINEERING
- HIGHWAYS MAINTENANCE & REPAIR
- RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT
- CONSERVATION
- DEMOLITION

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This qualification will allow learners to develop skills and knowledge on general business admin activities such as understanding principles of business document production and information management, understanding employer organisation, communicating in a business environment and providing administrative services.

Customer service is ideal for learners to demonstrate competence in delivery of customer service by being assessed on their understanding of customers, employer organisations and principles of customer service as well as managing personal performance and development.

Business administration will cover areas such as the principles of administration, business and business communication in order to demonstrate competence. It will also cover optional units such as negotiating, analysing and presenting business performance and data and creating business documents.

This qualification will provide learners the opportunity to demonstrate competence in customer service through a variety of aspects such as understanding customers and their retention, resolving customer problems, understanding a customer service environment and organising and delivering customer service.
To help you get the qualification that you need, from time to time we have access to funding for Level 2 NVQs in Plant Operations and Construction related trades, as long as you meet the eligibility criteria.

This funding is provided by the European Structural Investment fund (ESIF), meaning it is FREE* for you, and will enable you to get the NVQ you need for your CSCS or CPCS card or to gain an accreditation.

Keep an eye out for any funding we may have, it’s always worth giving us a call to find out more or visit our funded page online to watch our guide - www.training-its.co.uk

In order to benefit from the funding your company must:

- Have less than 249 employees
- Make sure attending learners are 20 years old or over.
- Be in an funded area
- Subject to eligibility

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Helping you through your NVQ, step by step:

1. Your booking form will be issued by us to complete, sign & return
2. 60% payment taken upfront
3. You will be registered 48 hours after payment & issued with a login to smart assessor
4. Our assessor will then call you to carry out a professional discussion & arrange first site visit
5. On final visit, we sign off your qualification (hooray!)
6. During this, there will be continuous interaction between yourself & your assessor to gather product evidence
7. Site visits continue. Level 2, 2-3 visits (4-6 months), level 3, 3-4 visits (4-6 months), level 6, 4-6 visits (6-12 months)
8. Upon first visit, our assessor will discuss learning plan, unit options, knowledge questioning & observe work activity
9. Your assessor completes the portfolio & submits for internal verification
10. Remaining 40% payment invoiced
11. Once payment is received, we will issue your certificate in the post

Still have questions? Call us on 01924 234 803 or visit training-its.co.uk

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