

# Construction

## Carpentry & Joinery

**Campus:** Dearne Valley College

**Code:** D07SP04

**Level:** 2

### About This Course

This Level 2 qualification provides learners with a range of carpentry and joinery skills and knowledge. Learners will also develop an understanding of the health and safety requirements for working in the construction industry, and the industry itself.

### What Will I Study?

You will study a range of topics depending on the chosen pathway including:

- Construction Health and Safety
- The Construction Industry
- Undertake Structural Carcassing Operations
- Preparing and using Carpentry and Joinery Portable Power Tools
- Maintaining Non-Structural Carpentry Work
- Marking out Routine Joinery Products from Setting Out Details
- Producing Setting Out Details for Routine Joinery Products
- Manufacturing standard joinery products
- Setting up and operating cutting and shaping machinery
- First fix carpentry operations
- Second fix carpentry operations

### Why Study Here?

- Work in industry-standard facilities
- Learn from industry professionals
- Develop wider skills such as employability and teamwork
- Undertake work placements wherever possible
- Participate in industry competitions and inter-college challenges

- Take part in enrichment activities such as golf, football and other activities
- Work in close partnership with local businesses
- Undertake work experience and meet with key employers in the trade

## Entry Requirements

The entrance requirements for the Level 2 Diploma qualifications in Constructions are;

- Grade 4 in GCSE English (or equivalent)
- Grade 4 in GCSE math (or equivalent)
- Applicants, will be expected to hold a Level 1 qualification in a Construction trade.
- Applicants will be assessed further during the interview process as construction experience will be considered.

## How To Apply

You can apply using our online application form and clicking the **Apply Now** button at the top of this page.

For more information support with your enquiry or application please contact Student Services by emailing [learn@dearne-coll.ac.uk](mailto:learn@dearne-coll.ac.uk) [mailto:[learn@dearne-coll.ac.uk](mailto:learn@dearne-coll.ac.uk)] or by calling **01709 513355**.

## What Courses Can I Progress Onto?

- L3 Site Carpentry
- L3 Architectural Joinery

## Tuition Fees

- 16-18 year olds do not need to pay course fees
- Those aged 19 or over may not need to pay fees depending on their circumstances. Find out if you qualify for help with fees.
- If you need further advice or guidance please contact the Enquiries Team on **01709 513333**.

## Additional Information

You will need to have safety footwear and usual pens and paper as required for studying

## **PLEASE NOTE**

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