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 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

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