

Opportunities for further study

Students who have successfully completed the Advanced Diploma may proceed to either CGLI 6000 series, Construction Crafts Supplementary Studies or Btec. Edexcel National Certificate in Building Studies.

Short Courses

Subject to demand the Construction Studies section will offer a variety of short courses for those engaged in the construction industry.

Entry requirements

Entry to the courses will be assessed using a range of diagnostic tests to ensure that each apprentice/student is capable at the level on which they are placed. Where students have not obtained the required levels of literacy or numeracy, support will be available to ensure that they can progress. A good degree of dexterity is an advantage.

The prospective student should be employed as an apprentice Carpenter and Joiner or as an apprentice in an allied trade, such as boat building, cabinet making or shop fitting. Mature students with appropriate craft experience may be accepted at the discretion of the College.



Further information:

If you are interested in this course and would like to find out more information, please contact:

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The following successive qualifications are available over a period of five years of attendance and study:

Certificate level

- Bench Joinery Level 1
1 year day-release

Diploma level

- Bench Joinery Level 11
- Site Carpentry Level 11
both 1 year day-releases

Advanced Diploma

- Bench Joinery Level 111
- Site Carpentry Level 111
both 1 year day-release

Progression

Entry to Diploma level is dependent on the student obtaining a pass at Certificate level. Likewise progression to Advanced Diploma can only be made once the Diploma is awarded.

Note: It is the responsibility of each student to ensure he/she has suitable protective clothing for practical sessions.

Certificate & Diploma

The course caters for apprentice carpenters and joiners in the construction and allied trades. It is designed to be complementary to the training and experience students will obtain in their employment, and to generate within the students the personal satisfaction from gaining formal qualifications.

Content

A. CORE SKILLS

This section includes:

- 1. SAFETY AT WORK:** To introduce the candidate to the prevention of hazards, to adopt safe procedures for themselves and others and to maintain safe working conditions.
- 2. MATHEMATICS & DRAWING:** To introduce the candidate to mathematical calculations, the use of drawing equipment in the production of construction and working template drawings, also to enable the candidate to calculate quantities and costs.
- 3. COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY WITHIN THE WORK PLACE**

Certificate & Diploma

B. TIMBER VOCATIONS: Basic Skills.

To introduce and develop tool skills in order to set out and make joints and components to form products.

C. MATERIALS

To enable the candidate to identify, select and understand the technical properties of materials and their suitability for the job.

D. PRACTICAL

Use of portable hand tools.

Carry out: carcassing and first fixings, flat and pitched roof work, finishings and second fixings. Fit kitchen and bathroom units.

The use of wood working machines to include: circular rip saw, cross cut saw, narrow band saw, chisel morticing machine, surface and thickness planer. Manufacture doors, windows, fitments and stairs etc.

ADVANCED DIPLOMA

This includes theory and practice. The aim of the course is to enable the candidate to carry out advanced construction processes. It strengthens the knowledge in safety at work, calculations and drawing, plus communication and information technology previously learnt at certificate and diploma level. In addition the course specifically identifies aspects of supervision, planning and administration to enable the candidates to plan, organise and supervise building operations.