

Course Information Sheet:

Pathway 3 – Skills for Life and Work

KEY FACTS

Course title:	Skills for Life and Work
Level:	Entry level
Accredited/Awarding organisation:	Accredited
Start date:	September
Duration:	36 weeks
Study location:	Classroom Learning

Who is this course for?

The purpose of the qualification is to provide a certificate-sized qualification for learners of all ages which will develop a wide range of personal, interpersonal and work-related skills, learned through the context of vocational areas. This course aims to develop and enhance skills required for the working environment and improve learners' confidence and communication skills in order to prepare them for Employment or a Supported Internship.

What will I gain from this course?

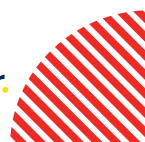
Skills of Life and Work qualification is developed for learners in their final steps before progression towards their future destinations which could be a Supported Internship, Apprenticeship, or Employment.

Pathway 3 begins by looking at progression plans by starting the year thinking about the future, this means staff are able to support the learners with vocational profiling, ensuring the course is tailored to each individual learner's potential progression pathway and end goal. Linking the course to learners likes and interests. Here are some of the elements of the programme-

- Assist learners in personal and work-related skills which could provide opportunities for further learning and the achievement of more credit.
- Provide motivation and recognition of progress and achievement through bite-sized learning.
- Provide progression opportunities into further learning, training and potential (supported) employment.
- Provide opportunity for progression to a larger qualification (diploma) at Entry Level and potentially to Level 1 with a view to possible sustainable employment or an apprenticeship.
- Develop personal and inter-personal skills to enable the learner to enhance their quality of life and behaviour within accepted norms and to develop independent living.
- Develop an awareness of the need to operate safely in a particular environment.
- Provide basic understanding of industrial practice through performing routine tasks.
- Develop mental and physical co-ordination, dexterity, mobility and confidence.



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What will I study?

Learners will develop the knowledge, understanding and essential skills employers look for in employees. These range from familiar 'key skills' such as team working, independent learning and problem solving, to more tricky-to-measure skills such as

How will I study?

The course will be delivered in a classroom setting and will include an element of work-related activities to support skills development. A more hands-on way of learning will give you practical skills and knowledge and will be carefully balanced with health and safety requirements. You will work in a learning environment designed to help you reach your true potential with excellent pastoral and academic support from our dedicated staff, who have a wealth of experience as well as links to local industry and enrichment trips to build confidence and team skills.

What are the entry requirements?

You don't need to have any specific prior learning to take this qualification. You will need to complete an assessment in Essential Skills, English and maths.

How will I be assessed?

This will consist of a portfolio of evidence which demonstrates achievement of 100% of the learning outcomes associated with each unit.

The evidence could include:

- Worksheets
- Practical work
- Assignments
- Assessor observation
- Candidates proof of work

Progression and Careers:

Following the successful completion of this course, you may progress to work-based learning and develop your skills, knowledge and understanding necessary to demonstrate competency either in a Supported Internship or further education.

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