



HABC Level 2 Award in Fire Safety (QCF)

One Day Course

Introduction

HABC qualifications specifically cover areas that the Health and Safety Executive (HSE) consider important. All our regulated qualifications form part of the Qualifications Credit Framework (QCF). These qualifications are recognised by Ofqual (the regulator of qualifications, examinations and assessments in England), the Welsh Government and vocational qualifications in Northern Ireland. HABC qualifications have received recognition from ProSkills who develop the national standards for occupational health and safety

Qualification Overview

This qualification is ideal for anyone involved in the management of fire safety in any workplace. Subjects covered include hazards and risks, controlling fire in the workplace, the principles and practice of fire safety management at work and the role of the nominated fire warden.

Accredited

The HABC Level 2 Award in Fire Safety (QCF) is accredited and recognised internationally and has been developed to protect customers, staff, brand reputation and profits.

Length of Course

This qualification is a one day classroom based course

Assessment

It is assessed by a multiple-choice examination, where the candidate must answer at least 20 out of 30 questions correctly. The examination will take a maximum of 1 hour to complete.

Credit Value: 1

Certification:

We aim to have results confirmed and certificates issued to successful candidates within 7 working days of examination

Cost:

In-house competitive rates for up to 12 candidates
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Learning Outcomes and Assessment



Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria
<i>The learner will:</i>	<i>The learner can:</i>
1. Understand the hazards and risks associated with fire in the workplace	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Explain how fires are caused in the workplace 2. Describe the components of the fire triangle. 3. Identify the hazards during or after a fire, including the products of combustion. 4. Describe the characteristics of fire and smoke spread.
2. Understand how fire risk is controlled in the workplace	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. State the different methods used to identify and control fire hazards. 2. Define the term 'means of escape' in relation to fire hazards. 3. Outline typical components for means of escape from fire hazards. 4. Describe methods of fire detection and raising the alarm. 5. Describe the principle of how fires are extinguished. 6. Describe how portable fire-fighting equipment should be used safely. 7. Identify common fixed fire-fighting systems and where they might be used.
3. Understand the principles and practice of fire safety management at work	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Outline the duties of employers and employees with respect to fire safety in the workplace. 2. Outline how to undertake a simple fire safety inspection in the workplace. 3. Describe the stages involved in a fire risk assessment.
4. Understand the role of the nominated fire warden	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. State the role and function of fire wardens in their workplace: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • on a day-to-day basis • during an emergency • if they are not in their designated areas of responsibility when the alarm is raised. 2. Outline the content of a fire safety briefing.

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