



EAL – Junior Construction Crafts (Beginners)

Course Overview:

This course is suitable for primary school aged children and comprises 4 units. The units are designed to offer recognition of hand skills development in a number of construction trades, team work, communication skills and literacy and numeracy enhancement.

Overall, this programme encourages positive learning experiences, presenting vocational skills development as a real option for those young learners who may aspire to be our apprentices of the future

Course Content and Assessment Methods:

This programme includes the following:

Health and safety – recognising safety signs, how to work safely with tools, fire and first aid requirements

Bricklaying – how to mix mortar, how to lay bricks, how to joint brickwork

Carpentry – recognise joinery tools and how to keep them sharp, make basic wood joints, use mechanical fixings & adhesives to join timber

Plastering – know how to fix plasterboard to timber frames using nail and screws, cut plasterboard

Functional skills – measuring, drawing plans, making cutting lists, using effective oral communication techniques

Assessments will be carried out once the learner has had sufficient opportunity to practice and evidence their understanding and skills

Entry Requirements:

There are no specific entry requirements for this programme, although all learners must be physically able to meet the demands of the course.

Learners must wear suitable PPE (Personal Protective Equipment) – please speak to us for information about size options, as entry may be restricted if learners cannot safely wear the PPE

Progression Opportunities:

Learners can go on to complete the intermediate level programme which builds upon the skills and techniques developed during this study

Course Costs/Funding Arrangements:

Costs will vary according to class size and preferred duration. Please speak to a member of the team to discuss the available options and associated costs

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