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# **Carpentry & Joinery**

| Subject Area  | Construction    |
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| Course Type   | School Leavers  |
| Study Level   | Level 2         |
| Delivery Mode | Full-time       |
| Location      | Trinity Green   |
| Duration      | 1 Academic Year |
| Start Date    | September 2024  |
| Course Code   | PA000083        |

# **Course Summary**

This is a Level 2 qualification is for anyone who wants to work as a Site Carpenter in the construction sector. You will learn, develop and practice the skills required for employment and/or career progression in Site Carpentry. This course is practical based with classroom theory sessions.

# **Modules**

#### **Course Content:**

- Principles of construction
- Structural carpentry
- Non-structural carpentry prior to plastering
- Non-structural carpentry following plastering
- Timber technology and the use of circular saw

# **Entry Requirements**

Entry to this course requires GCSE Maths and English at a grade 2 as well as a Level 1 qualification in Carpentry.

Please note that you will be required to wear safety boots with steel toe caps and hi-vis vest when working in the College workshops. Prior to enrolment on the course, please make sure you have access to these resources.

# **Work Experience**

Your course may include work experience or a work placement that could lead to the offer of a part-time or casual work, or you might work outside of your studies. Our students benefit from local site visits and trips to construction companies, such as our award-winning local partner Priestley Construction.

# **Progression**

Successful completion of this course can lead you to further study, apprenticeships as well as employment. A carpenter/joiner has the potential to earn anywhere between £12K and £40K per year. Working in the construction industry could see you constructing and managing major buildings, structures and facilities. Career opportunities are available through large construction contractors and smaller specialist employers in the public and private sectors. You could also train to become your own boss and become self-employed.

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