## NVQ L2 Diploma in Trowel Occupations (Construction)

The Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Trowel Occupations is designed to assess occupational competence in the workplace. Learners are required to demonstrate their skills, knowledge and experience in bricklaying. This qualification is suitable for practicing bricklayers. This NVQ provides formal recognition of practicing as a bricklayer.

We offer a nationwide NVQ service using our on-line NVQ portfolio Learning Assistant. Your NVQ will be assessed using the product of your work e.g. contract documents. Your knowledge will be assessed using professional discussion or written reflective account.

**How much will my NVQ level 2 cost?**

Price: £700

**NVQ Payment Terms**

50% to begin the NVQ process; followed by 50% upon completion.

## NVQ Entry Requirements

The potential learner must be able to demonstrate that they can meet the skills, knowledge and experience requirements of the NVQ before enrolment.

## How long will my NVQ take to complete?

An NVQ assessment plan will be agreed during your Initial NVQ assessment & NVQ Induction; a planned end date will be agreed. However, we would expect your NVQ qualification to be complete with sixteen weeks.

## How is the NVQ qualification assessed?

Learning Assistant is the on-line NVQ portfolio used by our assessors. During the Initial assessment your assessor will identify the most appropriate optional units and provide advice and guidance regarding the range of evidence required. At this stage you will be introduced to Learning Assistant and uploading evidence for your NVQ.

Feedback regarding your progress will be provided in a variety of ways and your assessor will also maintain regular contact by phone, text message and email.

Your assessor will provide support throughout the assessment process to ensure timely completion of your NVQ.

## Industry recognition & benefits

The Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Trowel Occupations qualifies the holder to apply for the Construction Skills Certification Scheme (CSCS) blue skill card (<https://www.cscs.uk.com/card-type/manager/>).

## Grants

We are a CITB, Approved Training Organisation (ATO) for NVQs.

##### **What is a CITB ATO?**

A CITB ATO is an organisation that provides construction training courses and qualifications to a defined and industry-agreed training standard. If your company is registered with the CITB they can claim an NVQ grant payment of £600.00.

##### **How do I claim my grant?**

You can claim NVQ achievement grants if you’re an employer who is registered with CITB. This includes small employers (wage bill of less than £80k) who don’t have to pay the levy.

<https://www.citb.co.uk/grant/new-grants-scheme-2018/grant-scheme-rules/>

## CSCS Card Information

You will apply directly to CSCS for your card after you receive your NVQ certificate through the post from us. Link below for more information:

<https://www.cscs.uk.com/applying-for-cards/>

**NVQ level 2 in Trowel Occupations: Qualification Structure**

Mandatory Units:

1. Confirming to General Health, Safety and Welfare in the Workplace
2. Moving, Handling and Storing Resources in the Workplace
3. Erecting Masonry Structures in the Workplace
4. Setting Out Masonry Structures in the Workplace
5. Conforming to Productive Working Practices in the Workplace

Optional Units (select one unit from):

1. Erecting Masonry Cladding in the Workplace
2. Erecting Thin Joint Masonry Structures in the Workplace
3. Placing and Finishing Non-Specialist Concrete in the Workplace
4. Maintaining Slate and Tile Roofing in the Workplace
5. Repairing and Maintaining Masonry Structures in the Workplace
6. Producing Internal Solid Plastering Finishes in the Workplace
7. Producing External Solid Render Finishes in the Workplace
8. Installing Drainage in the Workplace