

DISTANCE LEARNING

Fire Safety

 LEVEL 2/5

This qualification is suitable for an employee who has responsibility in the workplace to undertake fire safety requirements. It will provide learners with the knowledge and skills to carry out designated duties as a Fire Warden/Marshall.

The course covers fire hazards, risk assessment, control of fire in the workplace and duties of both employers and employees.

Successful candidates will be awarded a national level 2/5 Fire Safety qualification, providing an ideal platform to higher level training or career development.

- **Study the course via distance learning**
- **A combination of self-study and webinars**
- **Guided by a qualified Trainer/Assessor**
- **Distance learning resources included**
- **Assessed via a professional discussion**
- **Ofqual or SQA Accreditation regulated qualification** (SUBJECT TO ASSESSMENT)



COURSE DURATION

The qualification has 3 assigned guided learning hours (GLH) and 7 hours total qualification time (TQT). GLH indicates the number of contact hours that the learner will have with the Trainer/Assessor.

TQT includes GLH but considers unsupervised learning and is an estimate of how long the average learner will take to achieve the qualification.

It is beneficial for the learner to undertake additional independent learning for example, by doing research on the internet.

THE QUALIFICATION CONSISTS OF ONE MANDATORY UNIT.

FAA LEVEL 2 AWARD IN FIRE SAFETY (RQF)						
QAN	Unit title	URN	Credit value	Level	GLH	TQT
600/8190/9	Fire Safety Principles	D/601/9698	1	2	3	7

AWARD IN FIRE SAFETY AT SCQF LEVEL 5						
QAN	Unit title	URN	Credit value	Level	GLH	TQT
R326 04	Fire Safety Principles	UD72 04	1	5	3	7

QAN – Qualification accreditation number

URN – Unit reference number

GLH – Guided learning hours

TQT – Total Qualification Time

COURSE SYLLABUS

A range of Fire Safety related subjects are covered including:

- How fires are caused
- Components of the fire triangle
- Fire hazards
- Fire and smoke spread
- Controlling the hazards
- Means of escape
- Fire detection and raising the alarm
- Fire signage
- Principles of extinguishing fires
- Safe use of equipment
- Firefighting systems
- Duties of employers
- Duties of employees
- Fire safety inspection
- Fire risk assessment
- Role of the fire warden
- Fire safety briefing

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

This qualification is available to learners aged 18 years or over. Learners must have the literacy skills to be able to read and self-learn the reference manual and additional resources.

In addition, the learner will need access to a computer with a reasonable internet connection in order to access the distance learning resources and communicate with the Trainer/Assessor.

ASSESSMENT

The qualification is assessed by a professional discussion with the Trainer/Assessor and evidenced by a recorded video call.

The learner has a maximum of 60 minutes to complete the assessment. There is no grading of the assessment; learners pass or are referred.

CERTIFICATION

An Award in Fire Safety will be issued to the learner, subject to successful assessment.

The qualification does not have an expiry date, but refresher training and keeping up to date with changes to policies, procedures and new legislation through ongoing CPD is vital..



HOW TO PROCEED

Training provider and course details: