

Fact Sheet: Health & Safety



Qualification Number: 600/0645/6 Credit Value: 30

HABC Level 3 Award in Health and Safety in the Workplace (QCF)

This qualification provides progression from the Level 2 Award in Health and Safety in the Workplace and is intended principally for those who are operating in a supervisory or managerial role. It aims to equip learners with the skills necessary for the effective supervision of staff. It also focuses on the importance of the health and safety culture of a business, which will be an invaluable resource to those taking the qualification.

Learners achieving the Level 3 qualification will know that supervisors and managers have legal and moral obligations to ensure health and safety within a business and that this includes obligations to employees, contractors, suppliers and members of the public. They will also be able to take responsibility for ensuring the competency of the workforce and for identifying hazards, implementing controls and taking appropriate corrective action when necessary. Furthermore, holders of the Level 3 Award will assist businesses to demonstrate their legal requirement to engage a 'competent person'.

How long will it take me to achieve this qualification?

This qualification requires 30 guided learning hours.

How is the qualification assessed?

Through a 2 hour, 60-question multiple-choice examination. Learners must achieve a score of at least 40 out of 60 in order to pass and at least 50 out of 60 to achieve a merit.

What next?

Learners achieving this qualification are able to progress to further qualifications, such as:

- HABC Level 4 Award in Health and Safety (QCF)
- Level 3/4 Occupational Health and Safety competency-based qualifications (QCF)

Where can this course be taken?

Through any HABC approved training centre.

