

# Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Wood Occupations



Carpentry is one of the oldest skilled trades and real profession, the name comes from old French “Charpentier” or carriage maker and wood remains one of the key materials used in construction today. Earliest examples of Carpentry can be found in the Greensted church in England dating back to the 11th Century or the Nanchan Temple, China from the year 782. This qualification will support various job roles within construction.

Bench joiners generally construct door, windows, staircases and use specialist machinery. Shopfitters work from design plans and transform an empty room into a sophisticated interior. Carpenters use specialist tools and a variety of woods often designing and creating bespoke fixtures such as furniture and kitchens.

## Pathways

- Site Carpentry
- Architectural Joinery
- Structural Post & Beam Carpentry
- Light structural Timber Framing
- Timber Frame Erection
- Timber Decks and Cladding

## Topics covered within the qualification

- Setting Up and Using Transportable Cutting and Shaping Machines
- Conforming to General Health, Safety and Welfare
- Conforming to Productive Working Practices
- Moving, Handling and Storing Resources
- Installing rainscreen Wall Cladding Systems
- Installing Specialised Wall Cladding and Bespoke Systems
- Installing Timber Wall Cladding Systems
- Installing Low Level Timber Decks
- Installing Elevated Timber Decks

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## Eligibility

- Already working within the role
- A good level of reading, writing and spoken English

## Skills, interests and qualities

- Conforming to General Health, Safety and Welfare
- Conforming to Productive Working Practices
- Moving, Handling and Storing Resources
- Setting Up and Using Transportable Cutting and Shaping Machines

## National Delivery method

- On site assessment and training (OSAT)
- Gathering an ePortfolio of evidence

## Duration

3 – 6 months

## Opportunities

- Nationally-recognised qualification
- Potential jobs:
  - New builds
  - Refurbishments
  - Specialist areas
- This qualification will provide you with the ability to apply for the Blue CSCS Skilled Worker Card

## Income

- Average salary: £30,000
- Salaries will vary depending on location / employer
- Self-employed operatives set their own rates

## Progression routes

- Progress into employment in their chosen trade
- Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Occupational Wood Occupations
- Become an Assessor

## Price

**£1,000 + VAT**



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