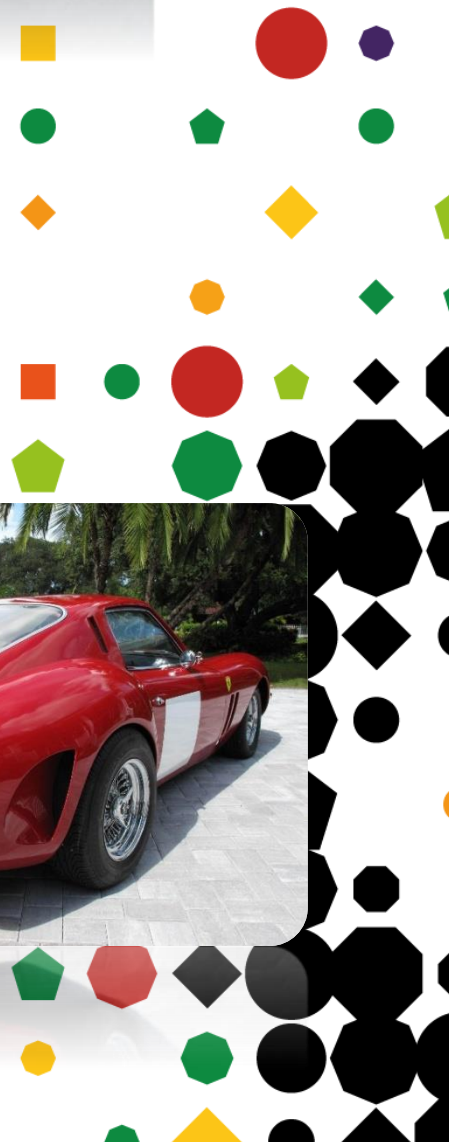




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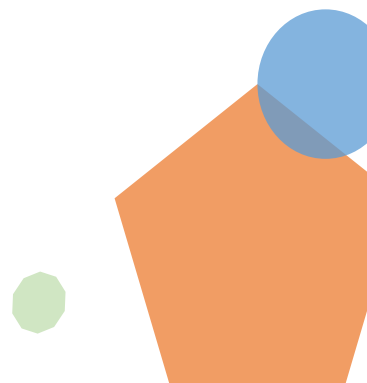
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Welcome

It's been a very busy Spring period supporting centres with EPA preparation sessions, which includes EPA task and centre setup along with ensuring the apprentices are prepared technically for the EPA assessment. We also discuss the importance of ensuring apprentices are physically/mentally prepared for their end point assessment, this will help to mitigate the potential stress and manage anxiety. If you have any concerns regards EPA set up and preparation, please don't hesitate to contact our Technical Advisor Paul Tunncliffe @ paul.tunncliffe@cityandguilds.com .

One of the Industry sectors most in demand for employees with a specific skill set is the renewable and sustainability energy sector, highlighted with the recent COP26 and Government Green Skills Agenda. City and Guilds is developing new qualifications for Electric/Hybrid and Hydrogen Fuel Cell Vehicles designed to provide Electric Vehicle (EV) awareness, suitable for new EV customers, vehicle sales personnel, valeters and anyone who may be encountering electric vehicles. There is also level 2 and 3 remove and replacement of components for Electric Vehicle and Hydrogen Fuel Cell Technology.

Level 4 is aimed at diagnostic and rectification of Electric and Hydrogen Fuel Cell vehicles. The new designed Electric and Hydrogen qualifications can also be adapted for Rail and Marine, as these sectors are now engaging with this technology in line with the Governments decarbonisation Plan. There are updates below within the newsletter regards the redeveloped 4290 (7290) and 4270 (7270) qualifications, which includes the electric and hydrogen anticipated qualifications go live date.



Please make sure you follow us on LinkedIn [LinkedIn page](#) and have signed up for [email update link](#) for information on future webinars

EPA New Centre support contact details

E: EPA.Quality@cityandguilds.com

T: 0300 303 5352

E: EPA Booking Team and Resits epa@cityandguilds.com

T: 02072943409

EPA

Despite the challenges of lockdown, we continue to be busy delivering EPA for Light, Heavy and Autocare Standards. We are learning to live with Covid-19, however still being careful and working with Covid-19 guidelines during practical tests. Just a reminder that we are now live for registrations within Paint, Panel and MET technician. Please click onto the link for more details:

[Link to Paint, Panel & MET EPA Products](#)

Well done to your Apprentices who completed their Automotive EPA events so far in 2022.

Keep in touch and up to date

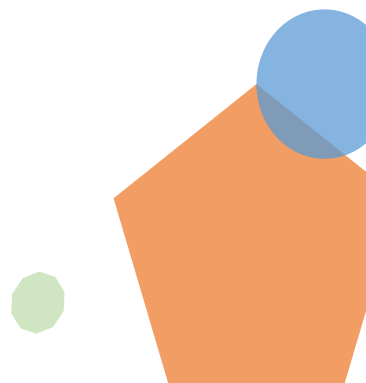
For regular updates and further information please follow us on:



Mike Nightingale (Industry Manager) – [LinkedIn Link](#)



Paul Tunnicliffe (Technical Advisor) – [LinkedIn Link](#)



All about Automotive

T levels (England)

From September 2022, in collaboration with Excellence Achievement and Learning (EAL), we will be offering the T Level technical qualifications (TQs) in all three pathways within the Engineering and Manufacturing route. These will only be available in England.

Engineering and Manufacturing: Manufacturing, Processing and Control
Engineering and Manufacturing: Maintenance, Installation and Repair
Engineering and Manufacturing: Design and Development

You may find this interesting as there is a “Light and Electric vehicles” pathway within the Maintenance Installation and repair route.

We are working on the content of the T- Level vehicle pathway and please get in touch if you would like to be involved.

<https://www.cityandguilds.com/tlevels/engineering>

Please find more information at [Link to T-Levels](#)

Support materials on SmartScreen with e-learning (all nations)

Auto e-learning – the library of virtual learning for vehicle maintenance

Whether you deliver apprenticeships or full time courses or just would like to update your tutors' CPD we have created a library of new virtual learning resources, which can be used by centres regardless of which qualifications or regions you deliver in.

This virtual learning provides the following advantages for learners:

- Designed for visual and kinaesthetic learners
- Learn by doing instead of memorising
- Uses serious gaming principles
- Full of interactive animations and simulations
- Photorealistic graphics
- Discovery-based learning
- Focuses on doing, not reading
- Hones problem solving skills
- Develops critical thinking

The topics covered in this virtual learning package are:

- Properties and applications of materials in the automotive industry
- Automotive servicing and inspection operations
- Automotive business workshop practices



- Automotive mechanical systems
- Automotive electrical and electronic systems
- Automotive technology and future innovation
- Management in the automotive industry
- Vehicle design and manufacturing process
- Automotive systems, diagnostics and repair
- Science and maths in automotive industry systems
- EMS Engine management simulations.

Available in the Walled Garden. Code: SS9422*

On programme resources – ATM's (Apprentice Training Manuals)

Apprenticeship training manuals

Available for the following standards:

- (9304) Level 2 Autocare technician
- (9302) Level 3 Heavy vehicle service and maintenance technician
- (9301) Level 3 Motor vehicle service and maintenance technician (light vehicle)

These training manuals provide apprentices with a range of practical tasks to apply their knowledge and skills in preparation for assessment. The manual supports formative learning, by allowing the apprentice to track their progress and record evidence. Each manual includes:

- tasks to support reflective learning and evidence literacy, numeracy and behavioural competencies
- integrated tasks to provide 'stretch' learning
- checklists for each task, where assessors can provide feedback.

These training manuals can also be used to develop evidence for the Showcase Portfolio for EPA

Apprenticeship webinars

Watch our recorded webinars explaining our offer for the following new apprenticeship standards:

- (9304) Level 2 Autocare technician
- (9302) Level 3 Heavy vehicle service and maintenance technician
- (9301) Level 3 Motor vehicle service and maintenance technician (light vehicle)
- (7290/70 Recent New Qualifications Webinar)
<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/recording/7146643483646261263>

Click the following link to access the webinar:

<https://www.cityandguilds.com/apprenticeships/events-and-webinars>
Digital Credentials for Automotive.

Digital credentials are now an integrated part of our apprenticeship offer and more recently, our wider qualification offer. For more details please go to <https://www.cityandguilds.com/digital-credentials>

Latest additions to Digital Credentials include Automotive VRQ's and our MOT Qualifications.

Enable your learners to become brand ambassadors and reach new audiences with your programme offer, as your participants share their achievements on social media across the web in a secure and verifiable way.

*These are awarded automatically on completion by providing the learners email address upon registration

Examples



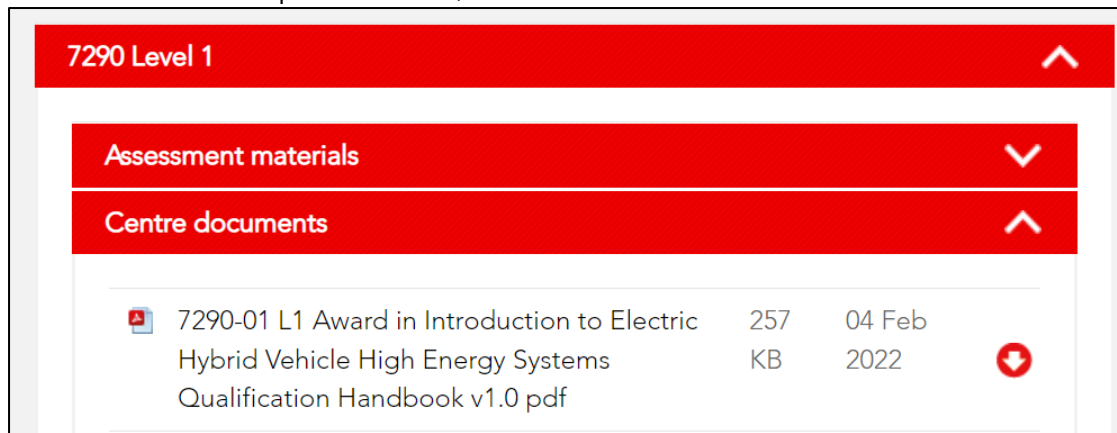
New Developments Update:

We can now confirm that the 7290 Level 1 Certificate and Diploma Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3 qualifications information and qualification handbooks are now available via the City and Guilds website: [7290 -Automotive Maintenance and Repair qualifications and training courses | City & Guilds \(cityandguilds.com\)](https://www.cityandguilds.com/7290-Automotive-Maintenance-and-Repair-qualifications-and-training-courses)



The qualifications will be live and available for funding from 1st June 2022.

The new 7270 Level 2 and Level 3 competence qualifications information and handbooks are also available to view on the city and guilds website: [7270 -Automotive Maintenance and Repair qualifications and training courses | City & Guilds \(cityandguilds.com\)](https://www.cityandguilds.com/7270-Automotive-Maintenance-and-Repair-qualifications-and-training-courses)

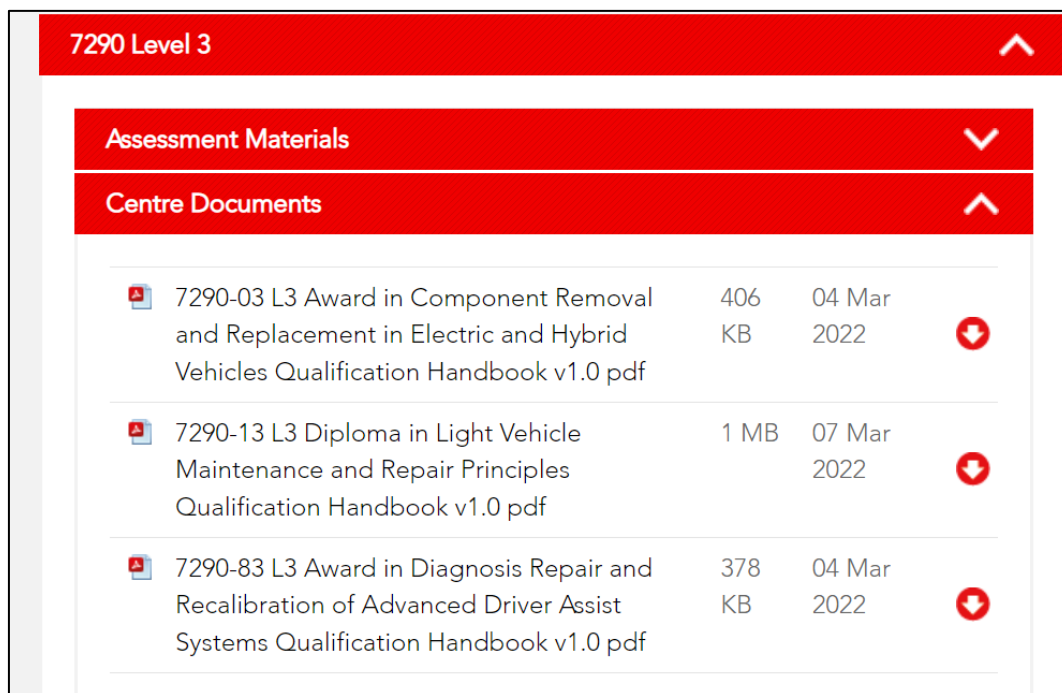
We are also excited to announce that the new Electric Vehicle and ADAS Qualifications information and handbooks are available via City and Guilds website. You will find the information under the drop-down menu for the relevant level of qualification, as demonstrated below:









The screenshot shows a web interface for the 7290 Level 1 qualification. At the top is a red header with the text "7290 Level 1" and an upward-pointing arrow. Below this are two red buttons: "Assessment materials" with a downward arrow and "Centre documents" with an upward arrow. Underneath, a table lists documents:

	7290-01 L1 Award in Introduction to Electric Hybrid Vehicle High Energy Systems Qualification Handbook v1.0 pdf	257 KB	04 Feb 2022	
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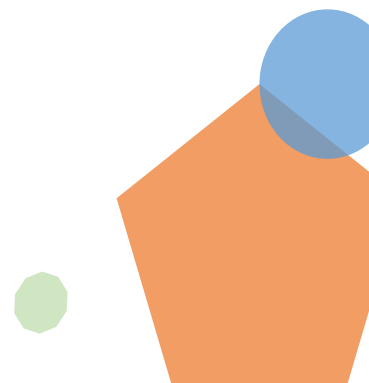
ADAS is under level 3 drop down menu:



The screenshot shows a web interface for the 7290 Level 3 qualification. At the top is a red header with the text "7290 Level 3" and an upward-pointing arrow. Below this are two red buttons: "Assessment Materials" with a downward arrow and "Centre Documents" with an upward arrow. Underneath, a table lists documents:

	7290-03 L3 Award in Component Removal and Replacement in Electric and Hybrid Vehicles Qualification Handbook v1.0 pdf	406 KB	04 Mar 2022	
	7290-13 L3 Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles Qualification Handbook v1.0 pdf	1 MB	07 Mar 2022	
	7290-83 L3 Award in Diagnosis Repair and Recalibration of Advanced Driver Assist Systems Qualification Handbook v1.0 pdf	378 KB	04 Mar 2022	

The Electric Vehicle 7290-04 Level 4 Award in Diagnostic and Rectification in Faults within Electric and Hybrid Vehicles should be available from end of June 2022.



Summary of the All-New Electric and ADAS Qualifications below
Green Highlighted Qualifications below are available for registration now!

7290-01 Level 1 Award in Introduction to Electric & Hybrid Vehicle High Energy Systems
7290-02 Level 2 Award in Safe Maintenance of Electric & Hybrid Vehicles
7290-72 Level 2 Award in Hazard Management of Electric & Hybrid Vehicles
7290-03 Level 3 Award in Component Removal and Replacement in Electric & Hybrid Vehicles
7290-63 Level 3 Award in Component Removal and Replacement in Hydrogen Fuel Cell Electric Vehicles
7290-04 City & Guilds Level 4 Award in Diagnosis and Rectification of Faults in Electric and Hybrid Vehicles
7290-64 City & Guilds Level 4 Award in Diagnosis and Rectification of Faults in Hydrogen Fuel Cell Electric Vehicles
7290-83 City & Guilds Level 3 Award in Diagnosis, Repair and Recalibration of Advanced Driver Assist Systems

Health and Safety:

The Health and Safety Executive website is a great resource for all Health and Safety related knowledge of latest regulations etc. [Introduction to Motor Vehicle Repair \(MVR\) \(hse.gov.uk\)](https://www.hse.gov.uk/mvr/)

For example, employers responsibilities regarding PPE for employers **Personal protective equipment (PPE) at work regulations from 6 April 2022**

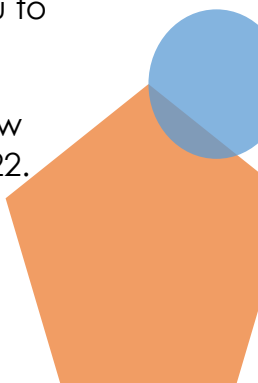
Please find the link below: [Personal protective equipment \(PPE\) at work regulations from 6 April 2022 \(hse.gov.uk\)](https://www.hse.gov.uk/ppe/)

MOT Qualifications 3428

Please note, we have recently updated the 3428 website along with the qualification handbooks for the MOT Testers (3428-02) and Managers Qualifications (3428-03).

We have recently uploaded a few new forms under centre documents, which must be used when delivering 3428-03 and 3428-02, please look out for the following: Tester Eligibility, Manager Declaration form, Training Course delivery Details Sheet and Latest Assessment Strategy. We encourage you to read through the latest assessment strategy.

Please can I remind you that there is a new Annual Assessment period now open, we encourage you to complete the assessment by end of May 2022.



all Trainers and Assessors must complete their **annual assessment** by the 31st March each year.

Please Note: The DVSA has introduced a new mechanical assessment this year, when you receive the link please log on and complete the assessment.

Following this you must also complete the new form (MOT User ID Form) with your DVSA user ID. The form can be found under "Trainer Documents" within the City and Guilds webpages, Link to MOT Documents and Information is here: **MOT Documentation and Forms**

Please send the form back to **automotive@cityandguilds.com**

In addition, DVSA require all Testers and Managers to complete MOT annual CPD training and keep a record of this for our EQA's to check on their sampling visit.

All about Marine

New qualifications for Boatbuilders and Marine Engineers

As part of our project to update our 2473 offer, please ensure you are signed up for email alerts for further details [email update link](#)

Our new (2473) marine qualifications have been developed to be included within the Foundation Phase and the Development Phase of the new Apprenticeship standards for boatbuilders and marine engineers, which will replace the current level 2 and level 3 Marine, Construction, Systems Engineering and Maintenance (Boatbuilding and Marine Engineering) qualifications from current Apprenticeship Frameworks.

Please Note: The Marine 2463 suite of qualifications are now closed for registrations

Remember:

These 2473 qualifications are part of the new Apprenticeship standard but can also be used as standalone.

You can access the handbook and assessment documentation in the link <http://www.cityandguilds.com/qualifications-and-apprenticeships/transport-maintenance/marine/2473-marine#tab=documents>

You can also download the factsheets for marketing purposes: <https://www.cityandguilds.com/apprenticeships/emerging-standards>



We also have new Digital Credentials for these Marine qualifications.

Example:



*These are awarded automatically on completion by providing the learners email address upon registration

All about Rail

9303-12 End Point Assessment (EPA) for Rail Engineering Operative (Track) open for registrations

Our 9303-12 EPA for Rail Engineering Operative standard is open for registrations.

For more information, please visit our website:

Link to website

Digital Credentials

We have now started to add digital credentials to our Rail Qualifications:

Examples:



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Become an independent assessor (IEPA) for Light and Heavy Vehicle, Paint, Panel and MET and Rail engineering operative

Role profiles for independent assessors and application forms can be found here:

Independent End-point Assessors | City & Guilds Group Careers (cityandguildsgroup.com)

For those who would like to apply for one of these roles, please remember you can access the standard and the assessment plan in the Institute for Apprenticeships' website: **Apprenticeship standards / Institute for Apprenticeships and Technical Education** . Just type in the sector you are looking for; example Light Vehicle then select vehicle-service and maintenance technician Light Vehicle Level 3 and all assessment and entry requirements information and documentation is freely available to access.

Tell us what you think

All about Automotive, Marine and Rail is a newsletter that brings together all of the key developments from City & Guilds relevant to skills learning across England, Scotland Northern Ireland and Wales. It contains updates on the range of teaching and learning resources we offer, plus relevant public policy or other information we think you might be interested in.

Each edition is numbered, so we can refer back to previous issues or tell you when information has been superseded.

If there's anything else you'd particularly like us to cover or explain more fully in future issues of *All About*, please feel free to drop us a line to Mike.Nightingale@cityandguilds.com

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