

## City & Guilds

4807 Entry Level 3 Award in Skills for Working Life (QAN 601/3711/3)

### OVERVIEW

- What does this qualification cover?

This qualification consists of two or three units from a very wide range that could help you to develop your own personal skills, plus the chance to learn skills that will be helpful in work, learned through the context of interesting topics, such as working with animals, plants, experiencing the hospitality industry or undertaking crafts, such as pottery.

The preparing for work units include topics such as Prepare for and attend an interview, Investigating rights and responsibilities at work, Rights, responsibilities and citizenship, Plan and make a journey using public transport, Healthy living and Working as part of a team. They will help you to develop personal skills, and those used to interact with other people. They will be helpful if you want to go onto further study, living independently and potentially supported work.

There are a wide range of units within the following areas that you can achieve: Horticulture, Animal Care, Agriculture, Poultry, Horse Care, Floristry, Conservation, Metalwork, Woodwork, Painting and Decorating, Pottery, Recycling, Hotel, Catering and Retail, Vehicle Maintenance, Information Technology and Construction. These units will help you to develop work-related skills, learned through the context of vocational areas, depending upon which areas interest you the most.

You can choose to take units from any part of the qualification.

The choice of units will reflect the things that you are most interested in.

This is a Framework qualification.

## WHAT COULD THIS QUALIFICATION LEAD TO?

### **Who is the qualification aimed at?**

This is a qualification that is suitable whatever age you are, and it will help you to develop the ability to make use of skills, knowledge or understanding to carry out structured tasks and activities in familiar settings with guidance where needed.

It is a bite sized qualification allowing you to experience a very small sample of vocational or employability skills units.

It is also designed for those wishing to engage with learning or for those who may have barriers to learning.

### **How will the qualification enable learners to progress?**

This is a very small, bite-sized qualification and learners, once engaged in the learning process, can progress to larger sized qualifications by gaining more credit, or they could progress to supported employment.

This qualification could lead to supported employment as a:

- Supervised Conservation Trainee
- Assistant Farm Worker
- Catering Assistant (Food preparation)
- Supervised Machine Operator (Tools and turning)
- Assistant Groom
- Supervised Workshop Assistant

You could progress to a larger Certificate or Diploma at Entry 3 or to qualifications at Level 1 such as:

Level 1 Land-based Studies

Level 1 Work-based Land-based Operations

Level 1 Practical Horticulture Skills

Level 1 Equine Skills

Level 1 Work-based Animal Care

Level 1 Work-based Agriculture

There is a Certificate and a Diploma in Entry Level Skills for Working Life (Entry 3) which you could choose to take, which are similar to the Award but much larger in size.

You could also progress onto qualifications within the new City & Guilds Employability suite, at Entry Level to Level 2.

## WHO SUPPORTS THIS QUALIFICATION?

Askham Bryan College

Sparsholt College

Wiltshire College

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