

Pathways to Apprenticeships (Wales) Guidance for centres

About Pathways to Apprenticeships (Wales)

In recent times fewer companies have been able to take on Apprentices. So to give young people a chance, the Welsh Government is supporting potential Apprentices in different sector skills specific routes to vocational training to be given intensive training in colleges.

The programme includes: academic studies, practical training and assessment as well as relevant work experience that will prepare learners on successful completion to start an apprenticeship programme.

City & Guilds fully supports this initiative and has accredited the qualifications required for these pre-apprentices to successfully achieve the skills and knowledge required to progress into their personal and professional development.

Pathways to Apprenticeship (PtA) Programme in Automotive

For the academic year 2011/12, the Pathways to Apprenticeship (PtA) Programme in Automotive contains the following elements:

Level 2 Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles (4290-12) (QAN: 500/9707/6)

The following units which have been added to the qualification above **must** be taken:

- Automotive Internal Combustion and Electric Hybrid Technology Components and Operation
- Introduction to Low Carbon Technologies in the Automotive Industry (4290-713)
- Identify and Agree Motor Vehicle Customer Service Needs (4290-008 and -058)
- Removing and Fitting of Basic Light Vehicle Mechanical, Electrical and Trim _MET_ Components and Non Permanently Fixed Vehicle Body Panels (4290-218 and -268)
- Safe use of Oxy-Acetylene in Automotive Applications (4290-513 and -563)

Level 2 Award in Knowledge of Employees Rights and Responsibilities in the Automotive Sector (4277-01) (QAN: 600/1216/X)

Level 1 or 2 in Essential Skills Wales in Application of Number (3768)

Level 1 or 2 in Essential Skills Wales in Communications (3768)

Level 1 or 2 in Essential Skills Wales Information and Communication Technology (3768)