



# Foundation in Construction and the Built Environment (Level 2) (Full-Time)

You will cover practical craft skills, job knowledge and advanced trade techniques in your chosen path. You will also learn the interpretation of construction drawings and the calculation of materials and costings. Students are also encouraged to participate in Skills Competitions as a means of enhancing their practical ability and developing higher level skills.

Trade options available:

- Carpentry & Joinery / Roofing (Brecon, Maesteg, Neath, Newtown, Swansea)
- Brickwork & Construction Civils (Brecon, Maesteg, Neath, Newtown, Swansea)
- Plastering & Construction Civils (Maesteg, Neath, Swansea)
- Painting & Tiling (Neath, Newtown)

## Entry Requirements

Learners will need to have achieved, or be working towards their Level 2 Essential Skills English and Maths (or equivalent). GCSE Grade D or above in Maths and English

## Career Prospects

The qualification provides sufficient knowledge for learners to progress onto the progression qualification or an apprenticeship within the sector in their choice of trade.

## Course Modules

Introduction to the Built Environment, Introduction to the Trades in the Construction and Built Environment Sector, Introduction to the Built Environment Life Cycle, Employability in Construction and the Built Environment Sector, Protecting Health, Safety and the Environment when working in the Construction and Built Environment Sector, Introduction to emerging technologies in Construction and the Built Environment Sector, Plus the two trade units that are chosen.

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Coleg Bannau Brycheiniog  
Academi Chwaraeon Llandarcy  
Canolfan Ragoriaeth Adeiladwaith Maesteg  
Coleg Castell-nedd  
Coleg Y Drenewydd  
Coleg Pontardawe  
Canolfan Adeiladwaith Abertawe

Afan College  
Brecon Beacons College  
Llandarcy Academy of Sport  
Maesteg Construction Centre of Excellence  
Neath College  
Newtown College  
Pontardawe College  
Swansea Construction Centre





## Assessment

To achieve the qualification, students must pass an online multiple choice test, two practical assessments covering two trades, a guided discussion and a Health and Safety test.

## Additional Costs

You will require a range of Personal Protective Equipment and stationery prior to starting on the course including: Safety Boots, Safety Glasses, Face Mask, Calculator, Scale rule, pens, pencils and paper, A4 lever arch file.

## STUDY MODE

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## LOCATION

Brecon Beacons College - 0330 818 8100

Newtown College - 0330 818 8100

Maesteg Construction Centre - 0330 818 8100

Neath College - 0330 818 8100

Swansea Construction Centre - 0330 818 8100

## COURSE LENGTH

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