

Level 2 NVQ Diploma/Certificate Plant Operations Qualification Outline

QUALIFICATION

Title: Level 2 Diploma/Certificate in Plant Operations - Cranes & Specialist Lifting Plant

CPCS Card: (if applicable) Mobile Crane (A60) / Lorry Loader (A36)/ Compact Crane (A66)/ Crawler Crane (A34)/ Telescopic Handler (A17)

Duration: Can be completed as quickly as needed. Maximum 9-12 months from initial registration

Cost: £695 plus VAT plus registration fees & additional charges if applicable

Funding: A Cskills Grant is available to companies who are in scope and registered. Please see our website for current information.

TARGET DELEGATES

This programme is aimed at individuals who hold a red CPCS card and need to achieve the relevant NVQ in order to convert to a Blue CPCS Competent Operator Card. For those who don't follow the CPCS Scheme, the qualification can be undertaken to underpin their competency in the job role.

OVERVIEW

In order to convert a CPCS Red Trained Plant Operator Card to a CPCS Blue Competent Operator Card, trained operators must achieve a Level 2 NVQ Diploma/Certificate in Plant Operations.

As well as converting their card to a Blue Competent Operator Card, the candidate will also receive a nationally recognised qualification which will be issued by Cskills Awards. This proves that they have demonstrated their competency in the workplace.

Ainscough Training Services is a Cskills Awards accredited assessment centre and we offer an assessment and verification service for candidates looking to achieve NVQs in Plant Operations.

To achieve the qualification candidates must gather naturally occurring work based evidence which would include some or all of the following:

- Time sheets provided by the operator which are signed by the operator and manager
- Daily/weekly plant checks signed by the operator and manager or fitter
- Method Statements/Risk Assessments specific to the operator
- Copies of CPCS card and any relevant training certificates
- Any other documentation which is agreed as being valid by the assessor and candidate

Once the candidate has gathered the above evidence and when they feel ready to be assessed, one of our assessors will visit them at work on-site and observe them carrying out their normal work activities. When our assessor is satisfied that the candidate has provided sufficient evidence they will be passed for verification and certification.

CERTIFICATION

On completion of the qualification certificates of achievement will be issued from the awarding body; Cskills Awards. Provided the candidate has an in date Operatives Health & Safety Test the Blue Competent Operator Card can then be applied for. These cards last for 5 years.