

Open Awards Qualification Unit



This unit forms part of a regulated qualification.

1 Unit Details

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| Unit Title: | Carry out Basic Blocklaying |
| Unit Reference Number: | M/506/5025 |
| Level: | Level 1 |
| Credit Value: | 7 |
| Minimum GLH: | 70 |

2 Learning Outcomes and Criteria

| Learning Outcome (The Learner will): | Assessment Criterion (The Learner can): |
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| 1. Be able to prepare to build block walling to the given instruction and specification | 1.1 Confirm instructions to establish own work to be carried out |
| | 1.2 Check that information sources comply with good practice guidance and the work specification |
| | 1.3 Record discrepancies in information relating to the work and report to the authorised person |
| | 1.4 Produce a checklist of the resources required to carry out block walling and form joint finishes |
| | 1.5 Select the correct method of laying block walling to the required specification |
| | 1.6 Carry out basic calculations to determine quantities of resources required for building block walling to the given specification |
| | 1.7 Carry out checks to ensure that resources are suitable for constructing block walling |
| 2. Be able to set out for block walling to the given specification | 2.1 Position blocks, mortar and components in a safe manner |
| | 2.2 Handle and lift blocks within recommended safety limits and in accordance with legislation and official guidance |

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| | 2.3 | Set out to build straight block walls and return corners in accordance with the work specification |
| 3. Be able to build block walling using dense concrete and lightweight insulation blocks to the given specification | 3.1 | Prepare and cut blocks and components by hand in a safe and correct manner |
| | 3.2 | Build straight block walls and return corners using dense concrete and lightweight insulation blocks to the given specification |
| | 3.3 | Produce joint finishes to block walling to meet the given specification |
| | 3.4 | Conduct checks on completed work to ensure that it meets the given specification |