

Open Awards Qualification Unit



This unit forms part of a regulated qualification.

1 Unit Details

Unit Title:	Sustainability in the Construction Industry
Unit Reference Number:	Y/506/9084
Level:	Level 2
Credit Value:	5
Minimum GLH:	30

2 Learning Outcomes and Criteria

Learning Outcome (The Learner will):	Assessment Criterion (The Learner can):
1. Understand the concept of sustainability as it applies to the construction and built environment sector	1.1 Explain what is meant by sustainability
	1.2 Evaluate the relevance of sustainability to the construction and built environment sector
2. Know the issues affecting the development of a sustainable built environment	2.1 Identify the issues associated with the provision of a sustainable built environment
	2.2 Describe the issues associated with the provision of a sustainable built environment
3. Know how sustainability can benefit the built environment both locally and nationally	3.1 Identify the benefits of using sustainable construction, in both local and national terms
	3.2 Describe the benefits of using sustainable construction, in both local and national terms
4. Know how sustainable design and construction techniques are used to address environmental issues	4.1 Identify the sustainable design and construction techniques used to minimise environmental impact
	4.2 Describe the sustainable design and construction techniques used to minimise environmental impact