

Qualification Unit

This unit forms part of a regulated qualification.

Unit Title: Introduction to Waste and Recycling

Unit Reference Number: R/615/0188

Level: One (1)

Credit Value: Four (4)

Minimum Guided Learning Hours: 32

| Learning Outcome (The Learner will): | Assessment Criterion (The Learner can): |
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| 1. Understand how to accept and collect waste and recyclable materials | 1.1 Identify types of waste for collection |
| | 1.2 Identify types of waste that can be recycled |
| | 1.3 Identify types of containers used for collecting waste |
| | 1.4 Describe types of hazards when collecting waste |
| | 1.5 Describe handling procedures for different types of waste |
| | 1.6 State the importance of segregating recyclable materials: a) At acceptance point b) At collection point |
| 2. Understand how to sort and prepare waste and recyclables | 2.1 Identify materials that are suitable for processing for a) Waste b) Recycling |
| | 2.2 Identify materials unsuitable for processing |
| | 2.3 Explain how to deal with residues arising from the sorting and preparation process |
| | 2.4 Identify hazardous materials and explain what action should be taken to ensure safe working practice |
| 3. Understand how to remove and dispose of waste | 3.1 Identify types of waste for disposal |

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| 3.2 | Describe the processes for removing and disposing of different types of waste |
| 3.3 | Describe types of hazards when removing and disposing waste |