

Open Awards Qualification Unit



This unit forms part of a regulated qualification.

1 Unit Details

Unit Title:	Floristry Techniques
Unit Reference Number:	H/615/8327
Level:	Level 1
Credit Value:	3
Minimum GLH:	27

2 Learning Outcomes and Criteria

Learning Outcome (The Learner will):	Assessment Criterion (The Learner can):
1. Know about relevant tools and equipment	1.1 Identify the function of essential tools in floristry
	1.2 Identify items of equipment for use in floristry
	1.3 State what the equipment identified is used for
2. Know about relevant plant material	2.1 Identify types of plant material used in floristry
	2.2 State the type of arrangement for which each plant material would be suitable
	2.3 Identify potentially hazardous plant materials
3. Know about conditioning techniques	3.1 Outline methods of conditioning plants
	3.2 State the benefits of conditioning plants
4. Know about preservation techniques	4.1 State when plant material should be picked for preservation
	4.2 Outline methods of preserving plants
5. Be able to identify basic design principles	5.1 Identify basic shapes in floral displays
	5.2 Identify line, bold and filler material in a given display
	5.3 Identify contrasting and complementary colours

6. Know about basic construction techniques

6.1 Outline basic construction/support techniques used in floral displays