

Open Awards Qualification Unit



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1 Unit Details

Unit Title:	Selecting Plants
Unit Reference Number:	T/615/9742
Level:	Level 2
Credit Value:	3
Minimum GLH:	24

2 Learning Outcomes and Criteria

Learning Outcome (The Learner will):	Assessment Criterion (The Learner can):
1. Understand plant categories	1.1 Distinguish between different plant categories
	1.2 For each of these categories, describe: a) Aesthetic uses b) Practical uses c) Environmental uses
2. Know how to select plants to produce particular effects	2.1 Explain the importance of considering plant characteristics when selecting plants When selecting plants for a specified location, explain the importance of: a) Plant characteristics b) Site characteristics
	2.3 Identify plants that provide continuity of display over a year

	<p>2.3 Identify and describe:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Hardy plants b) Hardy annuals suitable for a summer/autumn border c) Bedding plants suitable for a seasonal border d) Plants suitable for display containers in different seasons e) Plants that provide continuity of display over a year
	<p>2.4 Identify plants suitable for cut flowers</p>
<p>3. Be able to select plants for a specified location to encourage optimum bio-diversity</p>	<p>3.1 For a specified location and site, select plants that would encourage optimum bio-diversity</p>