

Qualification Unit

This unit forms part of a regulated qualification.

Unit Title: Traditional Millinery Skills

Unit Reference Number: J/652/3438

Level: One (1)

Credit Value: Four (4)

Minimum Guided Learning Hours: 35

Learning Outcome (The Learner will):	Assessment Criterion (The Learner can):
1. Know traditional millinery skills	1.1 Identify traditional skills used in millinery
	1.2 Describe the heritage of traditional millinery skills in comparison to modern day techniques
2. Be able to apply traditional millinery skills	2.1 Use basic blocking and shaping techniques
	2.2 Use basic construction and finishing techniques
	2.3 Use tools and equipment safely during practical activities
3. Be able to review practical work	3.1 Identify areas that worked well in completed millinery work
	3.2 Identify areas for improvement in completed millinery work

Indicative Content	
LO1	AC1.1 should include: • Blocking • Sizing • Shaping • Trimming • finishing. This could include e.g., felt, straw, blocked-covered and/or patterned hats. AC1.2 could include e.g., the purpose of blocking, sizing, shaping, trimming and

	finishing within hat production.
LO2	AC2.1 must include: • preparation of materials • basic blocking • shaping methods. AC2.2 must include: • joining • attaching components • trimming • finishing. AC2.3 must include safe handling and operation of tools and equipment.
LO3	AC3.2 could include e.g., improvements to techniques, processes and finished outcomes.

Assessment Requirements

This unit is internally assessed by the provider in accordance with the current Open Awards **Guide to Provider Assessment** and **Guide to Internal Quality Assurance**.

Evidence must include practical observation of learners carrying out basic millinery techniques.