



West London Training Ltd



Apprenticeship in Gas Installation

The Apprenticeship in Gas Installation has been developed for candidates working towards a career in the Gas Installation and Maintenance Industry. The Apprenticeship scheme is a government initiative, and courses are heavily subsidised.

Course Content

The Apprenticeship comprises the NVQ (includes ACS), the Technical Certificate and Key Skills:

NVQ - C&G 6034 (Level 2)

Apprentices build a portfolio of their gas work, which is verified on-site by a WLT assessor. This element assesses practical competence. As part of the NVQ, students must achieve ACS as follows:

- Core Domestic Gas Safety (CCN1)
- Appliances (CEN1, CKR1, WAT1, HTR1)

Technical Certificate - C&G 6132 (Level 2)

This covers all the underpinning knowledge (technology principles) and practical skills required to achieve the NVQ.

Core Units

- Common Basic Gas Processes
- Maintaining Safety in Natural Gas
- Applying Core Gas Safety Measures
- Effective Working Relationships in the Gas Industry
- Electrical Supply and Earth Continuity
- Installation and Maintenance of Cookers
- Installation and Maintenance of Laundry Appliances
- Install, Commission, Decommission, Service and Maintain: Meters, Pipework, Warm Air and Water Heating Appliances, Space Heating Appliances

Key Skills

These are an integral part of the Apprenticeship programme. Three are required for the Apprenticeship in Gas Installation:

- Application of Number (Level 1)
- Communications (Level 1)
- I.C.T. (Level 1)

Training

Apprentices usually complete the course within 15 months. Day-release training takes place at WLT over 15 months. Apprentices spend the remainder of the week at their place of work, gaining experience and working towards their NVQ portfolio.

Materials/Equipment

Gas textbooks and training manuals are provided to students at the start of the course and technical handouts are distributed as appropriate. Additional reference books may be recommended. Tools and materials for use during practical sessions are provided by WLT. Students will need clothing and footwear suitable for workshop sessions.

Assessment

Each unit of the Technical Certificate is assessed via an on-line external examination and/or assignment element. For Key Skills students undertake an online assessment for each skill and a project. The NVQ is assessed via portfolio verification by a WLT assessor.

Pre-requisites

Applicants to the Apprenticeship should be aged between 16 and 24 years and engaged within the Gas industry, working alongside a Gas Safe registered operative. Limited funding may also be available for apprentices over 25 years of age. As a guide to suitability, applicants should have a good standard of education with some practical aptitude and transferable skills.



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Apprenticeship in Gas Installation (Continued)

At WLT, we are always happy to talk to you about our training programmes and your course options. If you would like to discuss your suitability for the course, or arrange to visit our training centre and meet our trainers, please contact us on 01252 400370.

Costs

The Apprenticeship scheme is a government initiative to promote training, and as such our courses are heavily subsidised. Fees for ACS Gas Safety assessments are payable. Please refer to our current price list for details.

Further Information

Full details of the Apprenticeship scheme can be found at: www.apprenticeships.org.uk
Details of the City & Guilds qualifications and requirements for assessment can be found at: www.cityandguilds.com

How to Apply

To find out more about an Apprenticeship with West London Training, to discuss your suitability and to apply, please contact us on **01252 400370** or email apprenticeships@wlt-group.com

Location

Training is delivered at our purpose-developed centre in Aldershot. The centre is located just 5 minutes from J4 of the M3 and is easily accessible by car and public transport. We have on-site parking and a refectory serving hot and cold food and drinks.

Want to know more?

Contact us to ask any questions and to arrange to visit to the centre. More details are also available on our website at www.wlt-group.com

Not sure if it's for you?

Come and see us! One of our trainers will be happy to show you around the centre, discuss the course with you in more detail and answer any questions you may have.

Frequently Asked Questions

I am not working in the industry / not a permanent UK resident, can I still do the course?

Although you will not be eligible for Apprenticeship funding, you can still undertake the training on a non-apprentice basis. Please contact us to discuss your circumstances and we will do our best to accommodate your needs.

I am an employer and would like to know more about taking on an Apprentice.

Please contact us and we will be happy to discuss the practicalities and benefits of taking on an apprentice with you.

I have started my training at another centre, can I transfer to WLT?

Yes, provided we have a group at a level suitable for the stage you have reached in your training, we are happy to accept students transferring from other centres/locations.

When does the next course start?

We operate year-round enrolment, so have courses starting several times each year. Please contact us for details of upcoming course dates.

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