

# Construction

(Constructing the Built Environment)



#### **Qualification details:**

#### **EDUQAS Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Constructing the Built Environment**

The course uses a 'plan, do, review' approach to learning where learners are introduced to a context for learning, review previous learning to plan activities, carry out activities and review outcomes and learning. This approach mirrors many work related activities in constructing the built environment, students will be required to practically construct objects and demonstrate their ability to wallpaper, fit skirting boards among other industry related tasks. The qualification provides learners with a broad knowledge of work in construction industry.

## What will students study?

The EDUQAS Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Constructing the Built Environment is made up of two exam units and one practical coursework unit:

- **Unit 1 Safety and security in construction** This is an internal coursework component usually completed during Year 10.
- **Unit 2 Developing construction projects** This is an externally assessed task (exam 2 hours).
- **Unit 3 Planning construction projects** This is an internal coursework component.

### How will you be assessed?

The coursework task is a practical 'plan, do, review' activity you will be asked to a plan construction project based on a set case study and will then have to complete the practical work and review your work.

#### Other Information:

The course will also involve lots of opportunity for you to practically apply your acquired skills and demonstrate your knowledge on the construction industry and health and safety. Some case study examples will be used to help students learning and specialist visiting speakers where possible to provide students with a real understanding of the construction sector.

### What can this qualification lead to?

This qualification can lead to study on a Level 2/3 qualification in Professional Construction Practice, study on a level 2 qualification in construction, including specialist areas such as plumbing, bricklaying and carpentry or apprenticeships in construction.

#### Do you have any questions?

Speak to Ms Gallagher/Mr Smithson for further information or visit the following link:

https://eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/constructing-the-built-environment/