

Session 2009/2010

NVQ Level 2 - Performing Engineering Operations - PEO (Mechanical and Electrical) (Ref: T73)

Course Duration: One Year
Part Time: 1¾ days per week

Course Outline

This full-time course is primarily practical in nature and aimed at young people who wish to begin their training in engineering. Successful completion of this course is one of the entry requirements for progression onto the BTEC First Diploma in Engineering or City & Guilds 2330 Electrical Installation. This course is also the first year of an Apprenticeship in Engineering, for which the completion of eight units is required.

Course Content

The course builds practical skills and training takes place in our well-equipped workshops on the campus. The course consists of six units:

Mandatory units

- Working safely in an Engineering environment
- Working efficiently and effectively in Engineering
- Using and communicating technical information

Optional electrical units

- Electrical wiring
- Electrical installation

Optional mechanical units

- Machining engineering
- Fitting using hand skills

Assessment

Assessment takes place throughout the course, in the form of practical assignments and some written coursework.

Entry Requirements

In order to gain entry onto the course you must:

- Have PEO Level 1 or a minimum of 2 GCSE 's Grades D to E in the areas of Maths, English, Science or IT or have achieved at least Level 1 in Literacy and Numeracy as, well as a high score in the dictation exercise in a College based Initial Assessment process
- Achieved 80% attendance on any previous College based course
- Be able to demonstrate a conscientious attitude and interest in engineering at interview
- Undertake appropriate additional support should this be required
- Provide their own substantial footwear and overalls, which must be worn at all times when undertaking practical activities. Other materials should also be provided by the learner including pens, paper, files etc

How to Apply

Application forms can be obtained from the Enrolment Centre, telephone 01785 275607. You can also download an application form for part-time courses by visiting our website www.staffordcoll.ac.uk. The completed form should be returned to: Enrolment Centre, Stafford College, Earl Street, Stafford ST16 2QR.

Further Information

If you would like any more information about the College or our courses then write, visit or telephone The Enrolment Centre on 01785 275607. Our email address is enquiries@staffordcoll.ac.uk. If you are unsure about which course to take, we can arrange for you to get the advice you need from a member of our guidance team.

Equality and Diversity

Stafford College is committed to achieving equality of opportunity for all staff, students and members of the community it serves. In doing so, the College will actively work to achieve equality regardless of age, race, skin colour, disability, gender, marital status, sexuality and faith.

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