



EDUCATION & TRAINING AWARD, LEVEL 3

Goal:

To provide learners with the knowledge and skills required to deliver inclusive and engaging education and training sessions, while understanding key teaching responsibilities and learner assessment techniques.

Target group:

This qualification is designed for; individuals considering a teaching or training role in further education; Current trainers or instructors seeking a formal teaching qualification; and Assessors looking to expand their skills into teaching.

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Highlights:

- Nationally recognised qualification for those entering the teaching profession.
- No formal teaching experience is required, making it accessible for aspiring trainers.
- Practical microteaching assessment enhances the hands-on learning experience.

Description

The Qualsafe Level 3 Award in Education and Training (RQF) is an introductory teaching qualification tailored for those looking to work in the further education and skills sector. The course provides a foundation for planning, delivering, and evaluating inclusive training sessions, ensuring learners are equipped with essential teaching skills. Delivered over four days, the programme includes both theoretical and practical elements. Topics covered include maintaining a safe and supportive learning environment, effective assessment methods, and providing constructive feedback. A key component is the microteaching assessment, where learners deliver a short teaching session to their peers. Successful candidates will be prepared to work in settings such as Further Education (FE) colleges, independent training providers, and local authority education services. This qualification is a recognised entry point for those seeking a career in education and training.

Compliance:

This qualification aligns with both the National Occupational Standards for Learning and Development and the 2022 Professional Standards for Teachers and Trainers in Education and Training.

Previous knowledge:

There are no formal prerequisites. However, learners should have relevant subject knowledge in their chosen teaching area and a minimum Level 2 English proficiency is recommended.

Requirements:

Delegates should be 19 years of age or older and have completed an initial skills assessment. Participation in a microteaching session is also required.

Progression:


Successful completion of this course may choose to progress to further Qualsafe teaching/training awards such as Level 3 Award in Assessing Vocationally Related Achievement (RQF), Level 4 Certificate in Education and Training (RQF) or Level 5 Diploma in Education and Training (RQF).

Theoretical elements:

- Roles and responsibilities in education and training.
- Maintaining a safe and supportive learning environment.
- Building professional relationships in teaching.
- Referral processes for learner support needs.
- Assessment methods and adapting them for learners.
- Using and recording constructive feedback.

Practical elements:

- Microteaching: Planning, delivering, and evaluating a short teaching session.



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Course length

30 hours (4 days)




Instructor

1:12



Period of validity

CPD Required



Certification

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Venue

Outreach Rescue training facilities near Bangor, North Wales, Raglan, South Wales. Client-specified locations can also be considered on request.