



Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Manufacturing Textile Products

Target Audience & Pre-Requisites

This qualification is suitable for candidates within the various sectors of the Textile Manufacturing Industry such as yarn preparation, fabric preparation, production, dyeing and finishing. Specific job roles could include Textile Technician, Dyeing Technician, Weaving Technician and Laboratory Technician.

Course Outline

This qualification is made up of a minimum of 37 credits, 34 of which must be at Level 3 or above. 12 credits must come from the mandatory units and at least 25 credits from optional units. (See reverse for details)

All of the work-related units are designed to measure a person's job competency.

Accreditation & Reward

Following successful completion, candidates will be awarded a certificate approved by ABC Awards and will have the opportunity to attend a formal presentation at the Textile Centre of Excellence's awards day. Opportunities for further progression are available and might include:

- Foundation Degree in Textiles
- ILM Level 3 Award in First Line Management

Course Delivery: Candidates are assessed in the workplace by qualified assessors. Candidates produce a portfolio of evidence to show knowledge and understanding of the units. Evidence can take a variety of formats including witness statements, observation reports, product evidence and assignments

Venue: Onsite at the employer's premises

Duration: Up to 36 months

Cost: No cost to eligible learners aged 16-18 via the Advanced Apprenticeship
Employer contribution required for anyone over the age of 19.

Course Dates: Candidates can begin this qualification at any point in the calendar year

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Units	Level	Credit value
Group A - Mandatory units		
Health, safety and security at work	2	3
Contribute to the continuous improvement of operations	3	9
Group B – Optional units (minimum of 21 credits needed)		
Configure & prove production machinery	3	8
Monitor & sustain equipment performance	3	8
Service textile machinery & equipment	3	8
Provide technical input to bulk production	3	8
Conduct sample analysis	3	8
Produce prototype samples	3	8
Conduct pre-production trials	3	8
Contribute to product development	3	9
Develop designs for textile products	3	8
Develop colour recipes for initial colour samples	3	8
Prove colour recipes for bulk production	3	8
Develop finishing processes & produce samples	3	8
Prove finishing routines for bulk production	3	8
Control textile testing procedures	3	8
Check calibration of equipment	3	8
Ensure compliance with legal, regulatory, ethical & social requirements	4	5
Plan, allocate & monitor work of a team	3	5
Group C – Optional units (minimum of 4 credits needed)		
Develop & evaluate operational plans for own area of responsibility	5	6
Provide leadership & direction for own area of responsibility	4	5
Develop working relationships with colleagues & stakeholders	4	4



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