Qualification Title: GQA Level 3 NVQ Diploma In Decorative Finishing-Painting and Decorating (Construction) V2

Qualification Number: 610/0054/0

Qualification Specification

# Who is this qualification for?

# "This qualification is aimed at you if you are experienced in preparing surfaces and applying surface coatings by brush and roller and hanging wallcoverings such as standard and foundation papers and / or non-standard width wallcoverings. You may also be involved in applying specialist finishing techniques including stencilling and/or applying coatings by airless spray methods. .

# This qualification covers both the practical skills and knowledge and understanding to carry out this

# role competently. The qualification is designed so that a broad range of skills in decorative finishes

# are demonstrated which are required by employers in this industry. The qualification is structured in

# a way which is flexible and will meets the specific needs of a number of roles in this industry. It is not expected that candidates working in this industry all do the same activities; the qualification is structured to ensure that there is a high degree of flexibility within the units available. "

# Entry requirements

There are no formal entry requirements for learners undertaking this qualification. However, centres must ensure that learners have the potential and opportunity to gain the qualification successfully.

# CSCS Cards

On completion of this qualification and either the CITB Health, Safety and Environmental touch screen test or the GQA Health and Safety assessment paper you will be eligible to apply for a full GQA CSCS Card. The health and safety evidence must have been completed within the 2 years preceding application. Once registered you will be eligible to apply for a temporary card provided you also meet the health and safety requirements. For more information please see: <https://gqaqualifications.com/construction-skills-certification-scheme/>

# Qualification support

This qualification has been designed and developed by GQA Qualifications with the support of ConstructionSkills.

# Regulatory information

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| Countries offered in:  | England, Northern Ireland |
| Qualification type: | Occupational Qualification |
| Subject/sector areas  | Building and construction |
| Qualification operational start date:  | 17/11/2021 |
| Qualification review date:  | 30/06/2025 |
| Applicable age ranges (years):  | 16-18, 19+ |

# Further information

Further information about this qualification can be obtained from: [www.gqaqualifications.com/qualifications](http://www.gqaqualifications.com/qualifications)

You can also contact GQA Qualifications directly at:

GQA Qualifications Ltd, Unit 1, 12 O’clock Court, Sheffield S4 7WW.

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# Qualification achievement

The qualification requires individuals to prove competent in preparing surfaces and applying surface coatings by brush and roller and hanging wallcoverings such as standard and foundation papers and / or non-standard width wallcoverings.

Qualifications are now required to indicate the total qualification time (TQT), this is to show the typical time it will take someone to attain the required skills and knowledge to meet the qualification criteria, this qualification has a TQT of 1050 hours.

Qualifications are also required to indicate the number of hours of teaching someone would normally need to receive in order to achieve the qualification. These are referred to as Guided Learning Hours (GLH). The GLH for this qualification is 570

The units of assessment set out learning outcomes which describe what learners need to be able to do and understand. The learning outcomes are defined by assessment criteria which are used to assess competence, expressed as skills achieved and learned knowledge and understanding, to achieve the units. Achievement of the mandatory unit and optional units will mean the qualification has been completed and will be subject to approval of a claim for certification. GQA Qualifications will issue a certificate complete with the learner’s name, the qualification and unit titles and the credits achieved.

# Qualification Structure

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| **Qualification Title:**  | GQA Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Decorative Finishing(Construction) V2  |
| **Qualification Number (QAN):** | 610/0054/0 |
| **Total Credits:** | 125 |
| **Total Qualification Time (TQT):** | 1050 |
| Candidates must complete all mandatory units to achieve the qualification. |
| **Unit number**  | **Title**  | **Level** | **Credit** |
| **Qualification Mandatory Units** |
| A/503/1170 | Conforming to general health, safety and welfare in the workplace | 1 | 2 |
| A/503/2772 | Confirming work activities and resources for an occupational work area in the workplace | 2 | 10 |
| M/503/2915 | Developing and maintaining good occupational working relationships in the workplace | 2 | 8 |
| R/503/2924 | Confirming the occupational method of work in the workplace | 2 | 11 |
| D/600/8281 | Erecting and dismantling access/working platforms in the workplace | 2 | 8 |
| J/650/0299 | Preparing surfaces for painting and/or decorating in the workplace | 2 | 27 |
| T/650/0300 | Applying surface coatings by brush and roller in the workplace | 2 | 22 |
| Optional units Group A-Minimum of 1 unit must be achieved from this group |
| H/650/0305 | Hang wallcoverings (standard and foundation papers) in the workplace | 3 | 26 |
| J/650/0306 | Hanging non-standard width wallcoverings in the workplace | 3 | 20 |
| Optional units Group B-Minimum of 1 unit must be achieved from this group |
| D/650/0303 | Applying coatings by the airless spray method in the workplace | 3 | 17 |
| L/650/0308 | Producing and applying complex stencils in the workplace | 3 | 21 |
| M/650/0309 | Hanging wallcoverings to complex surfaces in the workplace | 3 | 32 |
| Y/650/0310 | Hanging wallcoverings (specialised paper) in the workplace | 4 | 30 |

# Assessment

The qualification must be assessed using the following assessment method:

* Portfolio of Evidence

Learners are required to achieve all learning outcomes within units of assessment. All assessment is subject to internal quality assurance within approved centres providing this qualification. External quality assurance of assessment and internal quality assurance within approved centres is provided by GQA Qualifications.