# Qualification Specification

# GQA Level 3 Certificate in Curtain Wall Installation Competency Update

# Qualification Number: 610/3720/5

# Who is this qualification for?

The aim of this qualification is to confirm that the candidate who has achieved either the Level 2 NVQ in Curtain wall Installation or a Fenestration Installation NVQ/SVQ that was achieved in the context of Curtain Wall Installation and has auditable proof that they have continued to develop their competence, skills and knowledge in line with current trends and working practices in the curtain walling industry.

The candidate will need to demonstrate they can install components of the façade system and comply with the appropriate weatherproofing specification. All the work needs to be completed in accordance with relevant legislation, regulations and health and safety guidelines.

The qualification also has a Pathway for the Installers who have responsibility for supervising a team of Curtain Wall Installers.

# Entry requirements

This qualification is only available to those who have achieved a Level 2 NVQ in Curtain wall Installation or a Fenestration Installation NVQ/SVQ that was achieved in the context of Curtain Wall Installation

# Qualification support

This qualification has been designed and developed by GQA Qualifications with industry support.

# Regulatory information

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| Countries offered in: | England |
| Qualification type: | Occupational qualification |
| Subject/sector areas | Construction |
| Qualification operational start date: | 01/03/2024 |
| Applicable age ranges (years): | 18+ |

# 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:

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# Qualification achievement

It is not expected that all workers will complete the same tasks, so the qualification has been designed to allow flexibility and in turn, as wide an uptake as possible.

Individuals must complete the mandatory units.

The minimum credit value of the qualification is 13 credits.

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. The TQT for this qualification is 130 hours.

Qualifications are also required to indicate the number of hours of teaching someone would normally need to receive to achieve the qualification. These are referred to as Guided Learning Hours (GLH). The minimum GLH for this qualification is 58.

The unit of assessment sets 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. GQA Qualifications will issue a certificate complete with the learner’s name, the qualification and unit title and the credits achieved.

# Qualification Structure

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| **Qualification Title:** | | GQA Level 3 Certificate in Curtain Wall Installation Competency Update | | | | |
| **Qualification Number (QAN):** | | 610/3720/5 | | | | |
| **Total Credits:** | | 13 | **Guided Learning Hours (GLH)** | 58 | | |
| **Qualification Mandatory Units** | | | | | | |
| **Reg No** | **Internal Ref** | **Title** | | | **Level** | **Credit** |
| L/618/6364 | CWCC1 | Knowledge of Drawings, Specifications, Method Statements and Safety Glazing relating to Curtain Wall Installation | | | 2 | 3 |
| K/651/0171 | CWCC3 | Setting out a Curtain Walling system out the installation and deal with technical issues | | | 3 | 10 |
| **Supervisory Pathway** | | | | | | |
| R/651/0174 | CWCC4 | Supervising a Curtain Walling Installation project and a team of Curtain Walling | | | 3 | 10 |

# 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.