



Summary of the:

GQA LEVEL 2 NVQ DIPLOMA IN ROOFING OCCUPATIONS (CONSTRUCTION) (601/8329/9)

Who is this qualification for?

This qualification is aimed at those who are involved in Roofing, more specifically in installing one or both of roof tiles and/or slates on site working from drawings and specifications. The qualification is at level 2 although some units may be at different levels and could be taken by those who are fully trained to deal with routine assignments and who require minimum supervision in undertaking the job, but is equally suitable for someone relatively new to the industry. All work completed must be carried out in accordance with Building Regulations and Industry recognised safe working practices, including the disposal of waste.

The qualification is structured to ensure that there is a high degree of flexibility within the units available and will allow employees from companies of all sizes and specialisms equal opportunity to complete, by having separate pathways for those whose work involves roof slates and/or tiles. The qualification consists of 3 mandatory units (10 credits) and 3 pathways. Candidates must complete all mandatory units and the relevant credits from the selected pathway(s). The total credit value of the Roof Tiler qualification is 61 credits, Roof Slater is 56 credits and the Roof Slater and Tiler is 86 credits. There is also a Level 3 qualification in Roofing Occupations through GQA that requires candidates to carry out work on more complex structures. More information can be found at www.gqaqualifications.com.

What is required from candidates?

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Unit Number	Mandatory units	Level	Credit
A/507/9560	Conforming to General Health, Safety and Welfare in the Workplace	1	2
C22			
F/507/9561	Conforming to Productive Working Practices in the Workplace	2	3
C23			
J/507/9562	Moving, Handling and Storing Resources in the Workplace	2	5
C24			
Mandatory units pathway 1-Roof Tiler (51 credits)			
D/508/0247	Installing underlay, battens and roofing components in the workplace	2	11
C51a			
H/508/0248	Installing pre-formed weathering flashings to roofs in the workplace	2	10
C52a			
M/508/0253	Installing single-lap roof coverings to a variable gauge in the workplace	2	13
C53a			
K/508/0252	Installing plain Tile roof coverings in the workplace	2	17
C54a			
Mandatory units pathway 1-Roof Slater (51 credits)			
D/508/0247	Installing underlay, battens and roofing components in the workplace	2	11
C51a			
H/508/0248	Installing pre-formed weathering flashings to roofs in the workplace	2	10
C52a			
R/508/0262	Installing regular sized natural roof slate to standard roof details in the workplace	2	25
C55a			
Mandatory units pathway 2-Roof Slater and Tiler (76 credits)			
D/508/0247	Installing underlay, battens and roofing components in the workplace	2	11
C51a			
H/508/0248	Installing pre-formed weathering flashings to roofs in the workplace	2	10
C52a			
M/508/0253	Installing single-lap roof coverings to a variable gauge in the workplace	2	13
C53a			
K/508/0252	Installing plain Tile roof coverings in the workplace	2	17
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C55a			

Assessment Guidance

Evidence should show that you can complete all of the learning outcomes for each unit being taken.

Types of evidence:

Evidence of performance and knowledge is required. Evidence of performance should be demonstrated by activities and outcomes, and should be generated in the workplace only, unless indicated under potential sources of evidence (see below). Evidence of knowledge can be demonstrated through performance or by responding to questions.

Quantity of evidence:

Evidence should show that you can meet the requirements of the units in a way that demonstrates that the standards can be achieved consistently over an appropriate period of time.

Potential sources of evidence:

The main source of evidence for each unit will be observation of the candidate's performance and knowledge demonstrated during the completion of the unit. This can be supplemented by the following types of physical or documentary evidence:

- Accident book/reporting systems
- Safety records
- Training records
- Audio records
- Job specifications and documentation
- Delivery Records
- Witness testimonies
- Correspondence with customers
- Notes and memos
- Photo/video evidence
- Work diaries
- Timesheets
- Telephone Logs
- Meeting records
- Records of toolbox talks
- Equipment
- Prepared materials and sites
- Completed work

Please Note that photocopied or downloaded documents such as manufacturers' or industry guidance, H&S policies, Risk Assessments etc, are not normally acceptable evidence for GQA qualifications unless accompanied by a record of a professional discussion or Assessor statement confirming candidate knowledge of the subject. If you are in any doubt about the validity of evidence, please contact your GQA EQA.

