



Summary of the:

## **GQA LEVEL 3 NVQ IN ACCESSING OPERATIONS & RIGGING (CONSTRUCTION) - SCAFFOLDING AND OFFSHORE (610/2167/2)**

### **Who is this qualification for?**

This qualification is aimed at individuals wishing to prove they have the level and range of knowledge and skills required to carry out accessing operations and rigging in the Construction working environment. All work must be completed following Industry recognised Safe Working Practices and in accordance with relevant legislations.

Although It is not expected that all workers will complete exactly the same tasks, the qualification is made up of 6 mandatory units, and a group of optional units. Candidates must complete all 6 mandatory units and at least 2 units from the optional group.

The qualification has a total credit value of 111 credits.

The standards cover the most important aspects of the job. This qualification is at Level 3, although some units may be at different levels and should be taken by those who deal with routine assignments. Candidates should require minimum supervision in undertaking the job.

### **What is required from candidates?**

Qualifications are made up of a number of units that have a credit value or credits. This qualification is made up entirely of 8 mandatory units, which have a total of 100 credits.

The units are made up of the things those carrying out work in this occupational role need to know and the tasks they need to be able to do to carry out the work safely and correctly. These are called Learning Outcomes, and all must be met to achieve the unit.

| Unit Ref                                                                | Title                                                                                   | Level | Credit |
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| <b>Mandatory Units</b>                                                  |                                                                                         |       |        |
| A/503/2772                                                              | Confirming work activities and resources for an occupational work area in the workplace | 3     | 10     |
| V/650/1392                                                              | Developing and maintaining good occupational working relationships in the workplace     | 3     | 8      |
| R/503/2924                                                              | Confirming the occupational method of work in the workplace                             | 3     | 11     |
| L/650/5222                                                              | Utilising the provision of fall protection systems in the workplace                     | 2     | 17     |
| J/650/5636                                                              | Erecting specialised, designed scaffolds and rigging in the workplace                   | 3     | 25     |
| A/503/1170                                                              | Conforming to general workplace health, safety and welfare in the workplace             | 1     | 2      |
| <b>Optional units-at least 2 units must be achieved from this group</b> |                                                                                         |       |        |
| L/650/5638                                                              | Erecting and dismantling overhead scaffolds in the workplace                            | 3     | 25     |
| M/650/5639                                                              | Erecting and dismantling falsework scaffolds in the workplace                           | 3     | 23     |
| V/650/5640                                                              | Erecting and dismantling shoring scaffolds in the workplace                             | 3     | 26     |
| A/650/5641                                                              | Erecting and dismantling temporary roof scaffolds in the workplace                      | 3     | 21     |

## 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:

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| • Accident book/reporting systems      | • Photo/video evidence         |
| • Safety records                       | • Work diaries                 |
| • Training records                     | • Timesheets                   |
| • Audio records                        | • Telephone logs               |
| • Job specifications and documentation | • Delivery records             |
| • Witness testimonies                  | • Equipment                    |
| • Correspondence with customers        | • Prepared materials and sites |
| • Notes and memos                      | • Completed structures         |

**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.**



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