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Career opportunities and study programmes



General Forestry and Arboriculture study pathway

Learners can also choose to take a Forestry and Arboriculture pathway, an ideal option for learners unsure of which route they prefer or those considering further higher level study.





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Occupations:

Woodland Conservation Officer Forestry Worker Timber Manager





Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture BTEC (1080 GLH) Pathway: Forestry. Learners complete 12 mandatory and 3 optional units.

Mandatory units:

- Professional Working Responsibilities
- Plant and Soil Science
- Contemporary Issues in the Land-based Sectors
- Identification, Planting and Care of Trees
- Tree-felling Activities
- Timber Conservation and Utilisation
- Work Experience in the Land-based Sectors
- Estate Skills
- Tree and Shrub Pruning and Maintenance

- Tree Pests and Diseases
- Forestry and Arboricultural Machinery Operations
- Aerial Arboriculture Skills

Recommended optional units:

- Woodland Management
- Forestry Recreation
- · Wildlife Ecology and Conservation Management



Lantra Awards Legislative Tests/Skills-based Programmes

The following Lantra Awards courses complement your BTEC Nationals in Forestry and Arboriculture course, offering your learners additional key work-based skills to help them pursue a career in this sector.	Skills Card	Lantra Course Length
Lantra Awards Level 2 Award in Chainsaw Maintenance and Cross-Cutting*	Υ	Variable
Lantra Awards Level 2 Award in Felling and Processing Trees up to 380mm*	Υ	Variable
Lantra Awards Technical Award in All Terrain Vehicle- Sit-In Conventional Steer*	Υ	1 Day
Lantra Awards Technical Award in Off Road Vehicle Operating (4 x 4)	Υ	1 Day

^{*}Majority of content covered within BTEC Level 3 Nationals Extended Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture – see specification or Lantra Awards assessment guidance for full details.







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Occupations:

Tree/Arboriculture Consultant **Tree Surgeon Arboricultural Surveyor**





Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture (1080 GLH) Pathway: Arboriculture. Learners complete 12 mandatory and 3 optional

Mandatory units:

- Professional Working Responsibilities
- Plant and Soil Science
- Contemporary Issues in the Land-based Sectors
- Identification, Planting and Care of Trees
- Tree-felling Activities
- Trees in Urban Environments
- Work Experience in the Land-based Sectors
- Estate Skills
- Tree and Shrub Pruning and Maintenance

- Tree Pests and Diseases
- Forestry and Arboricultural Machinery Operations
- Forestry and Silviculture

Recommended optional units:

- · Survey, Measuring and Inspecting Trees
- Woodland Management
- Developing a Land-based Enterprise



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Lantra Awards Level 2 Award in Felling and Processing Trees up to 380mm*	Υ	Variable
Lantra Awards Level 2 Award in Accessing a Tree using a Rope and Harness*	Υ	Variable
Lantra Awards Level 3 Award in Aerial Tree Rescue Operations	Υ	Variable

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