

Is this course for me?

If you have an interest in developing yourself and would enjoy supporting QCF candidates to achieve their qualifications, then training as an assessor would be for you. The qualification involves supporting your candidates to plan and collect evidence to demonstrate they are competent within their job role. It is an ideal follow on from the Award in Preparing to Teach in the Lifelong Learning Sector as many tutors now need to undertake assessing as part of their role.

What will I learn?

This qualification will help you to further develop your skills and competencies, by focusing on best practice and personal performance management within your role. You will cover dealing with confidential information, supporting candidates with special assessment needs, planning and gathering evidence, giving feedback and encouraging the candidate to self evaluate, participating in all aspects of quality assurance.

How do I achieve this qualification?

This qualification is run as a practical short tutor led course. To achieve this qualification you will have to gain 15 credits, from the three units. The evidence of your competence is generated from the work you do with the candidates you are assessing, along with observations, professional discussions and questions done with your assessor.

Units:

- Understanding the principles and practices of assessment
- Assess Occupational competence in the work environment
- Assess Vocational Skills, Knowledge and Understanding

How long will I study?

Between 4 and 10 weeks.

What do I need to get onto the course?

- UK or EU passport holder, or ability to demonstrate 3 years of unbroken residency within the UK.
- Score at least Entry Level 3 or above on the Initial Assessment basic skills test.

How will I benefit from this qualification?

- You will have greater opportunities to develop new skills.
- You will get recognition for your existing skills.
- By completing this qualification, you will also develop better job and career progression opportunities.

How do I enrol?

To enrol on this course, please go to your JCP adviser and ask to be referred to Harrow College Business Base. For further information please call 0208 909 6011.