

# Construction

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# Qualification overview



- **Exam board:**
- WJEC ( Welsh Joint Education Committee )  
Level 1 / 2 Vocational Award **in Constructing the Built Environment**
- **Outline of content:**
- Offer students learning experience that focuses 14-16 year olds through applied learning, acquiring and applying knowledge, skills and understanding through purposeful tasks set in sector or subject contexts that have many of the characteristics of real work.

# Assessment overview



- **How will students be assessed:**

- In Yr 10 students will learn the basics in Bricklaying, Tiling & Carpentry which are needed for their final practical assessment in year 11
- Building & structures
- Raw materials extraction
- Disposable, reuse & recycling
- Learning about the different materials needed within each category of constructing within the built environment

- **When will students be assessed:**

- In Yr 11 students will be taken off time table to complete final practical assessment in Bricklaying, Tiling & Carpentry along side coursework for each project.
- With final Exams in Early January.

**WJEC Construction**  
**Grading System**  
**Technical Award**  
**Qualification**

L2D*	8.5
L2D	7
L2M	5.5
L2P	4
L1D*	3
L1D	2
L1M	1.5
L1P	1
F	0

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**GCSE Grading**

New Grading Structure	Old Grading Structure
9	A*
8	A
7	A
6	B
5	B
4	C
3	D
2	E
1	F
1	G
U	U

Standard Pass →

# To be successful, you must

- The ability to solve problems
- The ability to use their initiative
- The ability to work well with others
- Physical skills in lifting, bending & carrying
- To be thorough and pay attention to detail
- Practices using health & safety in the workshops
- Verbal communication amongst each other in practical lesson
- Learning skills of project based research, development & presentation



# Next steps & Enrichment opportunities

- **Outline linked post-16 studies**

**Apprenticeships, College & Sixth Form:** Applicants need to have at least a Level 1 in Functional Skills or GCSE grade 4 or above in English and Maths.



# Questions?

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