

CASE STUDY: Construction

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BACKGROUND

I like working in the building trade and over the years I have learnt a lot of different skills but I did not have a recognised qualification. I have taken the steps to gain a CSCS card and was really lucky to find Ixion.

This was the best course I have been on and I have learnt a lot. I did not just have to lay bricks but I learnt some of the different cuts and how to cut them and all about the different mortar mixes. On the carpentry we learnt the correct way to cut hinges into doors and frames and the importance of keeping the correct gap down the hinge side.



We did not just learn the practical, we also learnt about Health & Safety which is very important on site and about employability. We have also been set up with a work experience placement and our PPE

A DAY IN THE LIFE OF...

I normally spend my day searching for jobs but this time at Ixion has been a really good experience. I have been given so much help and advice and information. Nothing was too much trouble for them. Getting up and going there was a buzz.

This is the best course I have been on. I was made to feel welcome and the tutors were brilliant. Very friendly and helpful and really knew there subjects.

WHAT THE FUTURE HOLDS

To be able to prove to an employer that I am a worthy worker with a qualification and for myself that I can be employed.

I would highly recommend the course to anyone who wants to gain a qualification.