



Intermediate Apprenticeship in Floristry

This programme is suitable for those employed within the sector, seeking to gain competence and a recognised qualification within the industry

Programme Length

Work-based delivery over a minimum^{*} of 18 months, dependent on initial assessment. *Minimum durations apply for 16 – 18 year old. 19 + learners can apply for accredited prior learning which may reduce the duration. Funding rules dictate a minimum of 12 months duration.

Venue

Work Based blended delivery programme consisting predominantly of on-site training and assessment within the workplace, supported by off-site technical training at local training and assessment venues as required. Course teaching, learning and assessment is enhanced through the effective use of e portfolio and distance learning resources to ensure flexible delivery is responsive to learner, employer and situational needs.

Entry Criteria

Entry onto the apprenticeship is subject to a thorough initial assessment to clarify course appropriateness. Entrants must have the ability to achieve Level 1 Functional Skills in English and Mathematics and be able to cope with the Level 2 vocational qualification. Apprentices must have a contract of employment working for a minimum for 30 hours/week

Programme Structure

The Apprenticeship is made up of a number of different Nationally recognised qualifications:

Competence Qualification: Level 2 Diploma In Workbased Floristry Knowledge Qualification: Level 2 Award in Business for the Environment & Land-based Sector Functional Skills: Level 1 English Level 1 Mathematics Employee Rights and Responsibilities Delivered and assessed through a workbook Personal Learning and Thinking Skills Assessment and recognition through a Record of Achievement

Progression:

Apprentices successfully completing the Intermediate Apprenticeship have opportunities to progress within the industry by continuing onto into Advanced Apprenticeship.

Possible Careers/jobs

Typical jobs apprentices will be able to progress onto on completion of the Intermediate will depend on the qualifications and experience gained, but could include a range of roles within the floristry industry such as florist assistant.

How to apply

To apply for this course, complete an Apprenticeship and Skills Application Form. You can either contract the Employer Services Team or download one from the website.

Return the completed application form to: Employer Services, Myerscough College, Bilsborrow, Preston, PR3 0RY

Or email the completed electronic form to employerenquiries@myerscough.ac.uk

Telephone: 01995 642255 Website: www.myerscough.ac.uk



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Mandatory Units – 7 units	
Identify, check and monitor th	e quality of incoming cut materials
Plan, prepare and construct fu	ineral designs
Plan, prepare and construct flo	oral arrangements
Plan, prepare and construct tie	ed floristry designs
Monitoring and maintaining he	ealth and safety
Display stock to promote sales	to customers in a retail environment
Group A - Choose 1 optional u	init from
Maintain and develop person	al performance
Establish and maintain effectiv	e working relationships with others
Group B – Choose 1 optional u	nit from
Identify and maintain the cond	dition of plants and planted designs
Package floral designs and pla	ants
Plan, prepare and construct w	edding designs with floral materials
Preparing and transporting pla	ints and resources
Maintain environmental good	practice at work
Communicate information with	nin the workplace
Maintain and store records wit	hin the workplace
Making and receiving calls	
Maintain the availability of goo	ods for sale to customers in a retail environment
IT User Fundamentals	
Give customers a positive impr	ression of yourself and your organisation
Customer care in ICT	
Communicate with customers	

Environmental and Land-based Business