Construction Foundations

Course Name	Start Date	End Date	Site	Total Fees
Construction Foundations	01/10/2026	21/12/2027	Norham Skills And Enterprise Centre	
Construction Foundations	14/01/2027	08/04/2027	Norham Skills And Enterprise Centre	
Construction Foundations	22/04/2027	15/07/2027	Norham Skills And Enterprise Centre	

Who Is This Course For?

This course is for those wishing to gain some understanding of the various trades in the construction industry. It is also developed to support you in looking for your first job in the construction industry or move on to further study.

What Can I Learn On This Course?

This is a structured programme in which you will:
Complete the Level 1 Award in Construction Skills

Receive employment and digital support

During the programme you will explore topics such as:

- Bricklaying
- Plastering
- Tiling
- Painting & decorating
- Basic electrical skills

You will also get support on choosing your next job and will be linked up with an employment advisor at a Working Well Hub, to support your journey towards employment.

How Is This Course Delivered?

This course is delivered in our purpose-built workshop with an experienced, specialist tutor.

What Will I Need To Bring With Me?

You will need to ensure you are appropriately dressed to participate in practical tasks, with sensible footwear clothing. PPE can be provided where required. There is no on-site café, so you will need to bring your own lunch and refreshments. You may also wish to bring a pen and notepad to take notes.

What Skills Or Experience Do I Need?

No prior skills or experience will be needed. You will need to be able to carry out manual tasks, but your tutor will be able to guide you if you have little or no practical experience. You may benefit from having completed the DIY Maintenance or DIY Projects course prior to enrolling on this Level 1 programme.

How Will My Work Be Assessed?

The City and Guilds Level 1 Award in Construction Skills qualification is included in the Construction Foundations course. This is assessed through practical demonstration and assignments in a range of areas. Other non-accredited parts of the course will be assessed by your tutor, and feedback will be provided throughout the course to ensure you achieve your aims and objectives.

What Can I Do After The Course?

You may wish to progress onto other construction industry courses. Your tutor can signpost you as appropriate. You may also wish to seek employment support at one of our Working Well Hubs where you can get help making a CV and applying for construction industry jobs.