Level 3
MANAGING ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES

Student Profile

This programme is designed for people who wish to gain an understanding of environmental resource management and its benefits for business. No prior knowledge is required.

Objectives

The objectives of the course are to:

- Develop a broad understanding of environmental resource management
- Adopt techniques for managing energy and resources
- Understand how climate change affects the UK
- Understand what is meant by Biodiversity and its benefits
- Understand how legislation and regulation, regarding resource management, affect the home and business
- Adopt methods of reducing waste and pollutants
- Gain a recognised diploma from a leading UK awarding body

Study Method

The course is designed for study by distance learning at work or at home. Students receive course manual, assignments and studyguide plus tutor support by mail and email. You can start at any time and plan your studies over a period of up to one year from the time of enrolment.

Assessment

Each element is followed by a written assignment, which is submitted and marked by your tutor. There is no external examination required.

Price and Payment Methods

Please refer to current price list

Course Certification

At the end of this course successful learners will receive a Certificate of Achievement by ABC Awards and a Learner Unit Summary (which lists the details of all the units you have completed as part of your course).

The course has been endorsed under the ABC Awards' Quality Licence Scheme. This means that Kendal Publishing has undergone an external quality check to ensure that the organisation and the courses it offers, meet certain quality criteria. The completion of this course alone does not lead to an Ofqual regulated qualification but may be used as evidence of knowledge and skills towards regulated qualifications in the future.

The unit summary can be used as evidence towards Recognition of Prior Learning if you wish to progress your studies in this sector. To this end the learning outcomes of the course have been benchmarked at Level 3 against level descriptors published by Ofqual, to indicate the depth of study and level of difficulty involved in successful completion by the learner.

The course itself has been designed by Kendal Publishing to meet specific learners' or employers' requirements. ABC Awards' endorsement involves a robust and rigorous quality audit by external inspectors to ensure quality is consistently met. A regular review of courses is carried out as part of the endorsement process.

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Course Duration

Students may register at any time and have a full year to complete their studies. The course will take around 90 hours of study to complete.

Pack/Course Contents

Your study pack is dispatched in full at the time of enrolment and provides all you need to complete your studies:

- Studyguide
- Comprehensive study notes for each element of the course
- Self-assessment activities
- Assignments
- Tutor support
- Assignment marking & feedback
- Certification

Course Content

This course consists of four study units:

1 Environmental Issues

Biodiversity

- What influences biodiversity?
- Why is biodiversity important?

Climate change

- Why is climate change important?
- The effects of climate change in the UK
- Can climate change be stopped?

2 Preserving Environmental Resources

Energy

- Managing energy
- Consequences of not managing energy
- Legislation

Water

- Managing the use of water
- Consequences of not managing water
- Legislation

3 Reducing The Effect That Your Organisation Has On The Environment

Transport

- How road transport affects the environment
- Managing road transport
- Impact of not managing transport
- Legislation

Pollution

- Managing pollution
- Consequences of not managing pollution
- Legislation

Waste Disposal

- Managing waste
- Methods of disposing of waste
- Impact of not managing waste
- Legislation

4 How Do Environmental Issues Affect Businesses?

- How effective environmental practices can benefit your business
- Other legislation associated with record keeping