

Waste Qualifications

CIWM WAMITAB Level 2 Diploma for Sustainable Waste Management Operative (Team Leader)

About this qualification

This qualification is designed for employees working, or aspiring to work in team leader roles on waste management sites. This qualification supports direct entry to the waste and resource management industry for a range of job roles.

Who is it for?

- New entrants to the industry
- Team leaders and supervisors
- Apprentices
- Experienced workers that want evidence of their skills

What does this qualification cover?

Learners must complete all of the units in Group A (the mandatory group). These units are designed to ensure learners have the customer service skills, communication skills and management skills to support the work of team members.

Learners must then select units from Group A. These units cover a wide range of topics, including:

- Accepting and validating waste
- Overseeing waste process operations
- Conducting environmental monitoring
- Managing own professional development
- Participating in meetings
- Generating and retaining waste management business
- Supporting learning and development within own area of responsibility

What are the entry requirements of this qualification?

This qualification is open entry. This means that learners interested in undertaking the CIWM WAMITAB Level 2 Diploma for Sustainable Waste Management Operative (Team Leader) do not require any other qualifications or levels of attainment.

What job role could this qualification lead to or support?

This qualification is ideal for people seeking entry to the waste and resource management sector, or those who are already working and require evidence of their competence as a team leader. It is a flexible qualification that can be tailored to meet the requirements of specific job roles in the sector or within a particular organisation – these job roles include:

- Waste/ recycling operative
- Transfer station operative
- Compost operative
- Household waste recycling operative
- Waste/ recycling collection driver
- Team leader

People already working in relevant roles could be employed by local authorities, waste management companies or third sector (not-for-profit) organisations. This qualification will support the sector to overcome significant skills gaps as nearly one in five members of the workforce (18%) has no qualifications (UKCES, 2012).

General Information

Guided Learning Hours: 38* *this is the amount of time the average learner is expected to spend in supervised learning and practice, but may vary by learner

Maximum Total Qualification Time: 98*

Ofqual Number: 501/1446/3

CIWM Code: SWMTL2

Assessment: varies

Available in the following countries: England, Northern Ireland, Scotland, and Wales

Qualification Structure

Learners must complete 10 units - all of the units in the mandatory group, plus any two units from the optional group

Mandatory Group

Ofqual Code	Title	Level	CIWM Unit Code
D/601/1553	Work with others to improve customer service	3	ICSD8
J/503/1169	Conforming to productive working practices in the workplace	2	CS642
T/602/1439	Maintain a healthy and safe working environment for waste management activities	2	WO1
T/602/1263	Working with other people	1	WO2

T/602/1389	Contribute to the sustainability, maintenance and preservation of the environment	2	WO29
M/602/1262	Comply with emergency procedures on waste management activities	2	WO3
M/600/9600	Set objectives and provide support for team members	3	MSCB5
Y/600/9669	Plan, allocate and monitor work of a team	3	MSCD5

Optional Units (Group B)

Ofqual Code	Title	Level	CIWM Unit Code
L/600/9586	Manage own professional development within an organisation	3	MSCA2
J/601/8884	Support customer service improvements	2	C&G017
K/602/1373	Maintain the security of waste management facilities	1	WO13
M/600/9676	Support learning and development within own area of responsibility	4	MSCD7
H/600/9688	Participate in meetings	2	MSCD12
A/602/1376	Validation of waste	2	WO10
T/602/1375	Acceptance of waste	2	WO11
R/602/2078	Manual handling, lifting and moving of loads in a waste environment	1	WO38
H/602/1503	Generate and retain waste and resource management business	3	WM10
F/602/1069	Control the risk from vehicle and plant movements on waste management facilities	2	WO7
F/602/1380	Conduct environmental monitoring on a waste management facility	2	WO23
L/602/1382	Oversee waste process operations	3	WO25
D/602/1600	Maintain the condition of waste process equipment	2	WO26
Y/602/1384	Exchange responsibility for control of waste processing operations	2	WO27
J/602/1395	Contribute to maintaining sustainable development and environmental good practice at work	2	WO33
F/602/1685	Contribute to the provision of customer service in a waste environment	2	WM67
L/600/9586	Manage own professional development within an organisation	3	MSCA2