

Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE)

Learning Outcome	Assessment Criteria	Source
1. Understand how waste is received or rejected at a WEEE facility.	1.1 Describe UK regulations that directly affect WEEE facilities.	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance
	1.2 Describe the procedures for waste reception at a WEEE facility.	https://naturalresources.wales/permits-and-permissions/public-register-of-weee-approved-authorised-treatment-facilities-and-approved-exporters/?lang=en
	1.3 List the records kept on a WEEE facility and the length of time they should be kept.	https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2013/3113/contents/made https://www.gov.uk/guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-appropriate-measures-for-permitted-facilities/3-waste-pre-acceptance-acceptance-and-tracking-appropriate-measures
	1.4 Describe the procedures for rejection of waste from a WEEE facility.	https://naturalresources.wales/permits-and-permissions/waste-permitting/guidance-on-waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee/?lang=en https://www.gov.uk/guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-reuse-and-treat https://www.gov.uk/guidance/hazardous-waste-rejected-loads-supplementary-guidance
2. Understand how to store WEEE	2.1 Outline the storage requirements for WEEE prior to treatment	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance
	2.2 Describe the technical requirements for sites undertaking WEEE treatment operations	https://www.gov.uk/guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-appropriate-measures-for-permitted-facilities/3-waste-pre-acceptance-acceptance-and-tracking-appropriate-measures
	2.3 State when weatherproof coverings are used by WEEE treatment facilities	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/fire-prevention-plans-environmental-permits/fire-prevention-plans-environmental-permits https://naturalresources.wales/media/684379/guidance-note-16-fire-prevention-mitigation-plan-english.pdf



	<p>2.4 Outline the requirements for storing and treating WEEE materials that contain fluids</p>	<p>https://cdn.cyfoethnaturiol.cymru/media/692214/sr2008-no23-weee-atf-facility-v71.pdf https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/967221/SR2015-No-15-75kte-WEEE-authorized-treatment-facility-excluding-ozone-depleting-substances.pdf https://www.gov.uk/guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-appropriate-measures-for-permitted-facilities/4-waste-storage-segregation-and-handling-appropriate-measures https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/waste-classification-technical-guidance</p>
<p>3. Understand the requirements for hazardous wastes at a WEEE facility</p>	<p>3.1 State the definition for hazardous waste</p> <p>3.2 List the WEEE components classified as hazardous waste</p> <p>3.3 Describe the process for completion of a hazardous waste consignment note</p> <p>3.4 State the frequency of returns to the regulator by a consignee of hazardous waste</p>	<p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance https://www.gov.uk/guidance/hazardous-waste-consignment-note-supplementary-guidance https://naturalresources.wales/guidance-and-advice/environmental-topics/waste-management/how-to-complete-a-hazardous-waste-consignment-note/?lang=en https://naturalresources.wales/permits-and-permissions/waste-permitting/register-or-renew-as-a-hazardous-waste-producer/?lang=en https://www.gov.uk/guidance/classify-some-waste-electrical-devices-components-and-wastes-from-their-treatment https://www.gov.uk/guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-appropriate-measures-for-permitted-facilities/5-waste-treatment-appropriate-measures https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/hazardous-waste-consignee-returns-spreadsheet</p>
<p>4. Understand the WEEE treatment process</p>	<p>4.1 List the items that must be removed from WEEE during treatment</p> <p>4.2 List the items that must be removed as whole items from any separately collected WEEE</p>	<p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance https://www.gov.uk/guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-reuse-and-treat</p>



	<p>4.3 Describe the requirements for weighing WEEE prior to and after treatment</p>	<p>https://www.gov.uk/guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-appropriate-measures-for-permitted-facilities/5-waste-treatment-appropriate-measures</p>
	<p>4.4 Describe good practice for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Maximising the quality of WEEE derived materials - Identifying and removing contaminated/non-conforming wastes from WEEE 	<p>https://www.gov.uk/guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-appropriate-measures-for-permitted-facilitieshttps://www.gov.uk/guidance/classify-some-waste-electrical-devices-components-and-wastes-from-their-treatment</p>
	<p>4.5 Outline the requirements for disposal of waste containing Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) (including flame retarded plastic)</p>	
<p>5. Understand best practice in relation to reuse of WEEE</p>	<p>5.1 List the items which can be separated for reuse</p>	<p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance</p>
	<p>5.2 Describe the quality standards for the reuse of WEEE</p>	<p>https://wrap.org.uk/sites/default/files/2021-02/WRAP-WEEE-Treatment-Guide.pdf</p>
	<p>5.3 Describe good practice for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Disassembly and storage of WEE to increase potential for reuse - Testing WEEE items for reuse 	<p>https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/967221/SR2015-No-15-75kte-WEEE-authorised-treatment-facility-excluding-ozone-depleting-substances.pdf</p> <p>https://wrap.org.uk/sites/default/files/2021-02/WRAP-WEEE-Treatment-Guide.pdf</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/guidance/dispose-of-waste-containing-persistent-organic-pollutants-pops</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-appropriate-measures-for-permitted-facilities/5-waste-treatment-appropriate-measures</p>
<p>6. Understand the requirements for exporting WEEE</p>	<p>6.1 Explain when approval for exporting obligated WEEE is required</p>	<p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance</p>



	6.2 Describe the permits, approvals and information required to export WEEE	https://www.gov.uk/guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-exporting
	6.3 Describe the legislation and regulations applicable to exporting WEEE	https://wrap.org.uk/sites/default/files/2021-02/WRAP-WEEE-Treatment-Guide.pdf
7. Understand the main causes of accidents at a WEEE facility and how to prevent them	7.1 Identify the causes of accidents on a WEEE facility	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance
	7.2 Identify the methods used to prevent accidents on a WEEE facility	https://www.hse.gov.uk/waste/waste-electrical.htm https://www.gov.uk/guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-exporting https://www.hse.gov.uk/waste/machinery.htm
8. Understand the requirements for issuing WEEE evidence	8.1 Describe the type of facility that can issue WEEE evidence	https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-evidence-and-national-protocols-guidance https://www.gov.uk/guidance/waste-electrical-and-electronic-equipment-weee-reuse-and-treat

