



CIWM

Qualifications

0005, Version 7, October 2025

*End-Point Assessment*

# End-Point Assessment Fees and Charges

Together, we stand for a world beyond waste

Copyright ©2021 CIWM

Copyright in this document is owned by CIWM. Any person viewing, printing and distributing this document is subject to the following conditions:

- The document may be used for informational purposes only
- The document may be used for non-commercial purposes only
- Anyone using information provided in this document should acknowledge CIWM
- Reproduction and copying of these materials is not allowed

Changes are made periodically to the information contained within the document so for the latest version please refer to QuartzWeb or contact us directly for further information at [epa@ciwm.co.uk](mailto:epa@ciwm.co.uk).

For further information on Intellectual Property matters contact [epa@ciwm.co.uk](mailto:epa@ciwm.co.uk).

Please note that all images have been sourced from i-stock.

### **Disclaimer**

Every effort has been made to ensure that the information contained in this publication is accurate at the time of going to press. The information in this book is for guidance only and CIWM cannot be held responsible for any inaccuracies.

## Contents

|                                            |   |
|--------------------------------------------|---|
| Introduction.....                          | 4 |
| End-Point Assessment Fees and Charges..... | 5 |
| Registration Fee .....                     | 5 |
| Apprenticeship Standard Fees .....         | 5 |
| Discounts .....                            | 6 |
| Payment .....                              | 6 |

# Introduction

## Welcome to the End-Point Assessment Fees and Charges document.

CIWM is an awarding organisation and charity that develops qualifications for those working in cleaning, street cleansing, facilities management, resource management, recycling and parking from operative through to management level.

As the leading professional body for resource and waste professionals, CIWM (Chartered Institution of Wastes Management) is the voice of the sector and represents over 5,500 individuals in the UK and overseas.

CIWM has a unique understanding of the sector. Our professional knowledge and trusted reputation enable us to inform and influence legislation and policy, playing a vital part in shaping the future role and reputation of the sector.

## Outline of Charges

The charges published in this document are effective during the period between 1<sup>st</sup> January 2026 and 31<sup>st</sup> December 2026.

This document provides the following information:

- Registration Fees
- Charges based upon one learner and a tariff of between 15%-20% of the funding band cap
- Re-sits / re-takes charges
- Examples of when discounts may be applied
- Payment

Please note that the charges quoted in this document are accurate at the time of publication and are for CIWM-Assessment End-Point Assessment only. Those planning to undertake a CIWM qualification will need to refer to CIWM's Registration and Charges 2025 which are available on the CIWM website.

Charges in this document relate to End-Point Assessment for Apprenticeships in England only; apprenticeships in Scotland, Wales and Ireland do not contain end-point assessments.

In the event of non-payment, CIWM-Assessment reserves the right to cancel future end-point assessments and to suspend registrations.

## End-Point Assessment Fees and Charges

### Registration Fee

All apprentices should be registered at the start of their apprenticeship; however the registration fee will not be invoiced until the Gateway form has been submitted.

If a learner is withdrawn from their Apprenticeship, their registration fee can be transferred to a replacement learner within a four-week period of that withdrawal. However, this fee is only transferrable once, should the replacement learner also withdraw the fee will be forfeit.

### Apprenticeship Standard Fees

#### Metal Recycling General Operative

|                                                  | Cost  |
|--------------------------------------------------|-------|
| End-Point Assessment Charge *                    | £1947 |
| Multiple Choice Question test Re-sit / Re-take** | £47   |
| Professional Discussion Re-sit / Re-take**       | £214  |
| Observation Re-sit / Re-take **                  | £214  |

\* Charges are inclusive of all associated eligible costs and any required adjustments to support access to learning that are deemed reasonable. Additional charges may apply where significant costs to support such adjustments are incurred.

\*\* Mileage is not included; this will be charged at a rate of 0.45p a mile.

#### Waste Resource Operative

|                                                     | Cost  |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-------|
| End-Point Assessment Charge*                        | £1298 |
| Multiple Choice Question test Re-sit / Re-take **   | £47   |
| Professional Discussion (per PD) Re-sit / Re-take** | £214  |
| Observation (Per Observation) Re-sit / Re-take **   | £214  |

\* Charges are inclusive of all associated eligible costs and any required adjustments to support access to learning that are deemed reasonable. Additional charges may apply where significant costs to support such adjustments are incurred.

\*\* Mileage is not included; this will be charged at a rate of 0.45p a mile.

#### Safety, Health and Environment Technician

|                                            | Cost |
|--------------------------------------------|------|
| End-Point Assessment Charge*               | £865 |
| Knowledge Test Re-sit / Re-take**          | £47  |
| Professional Discussion Re-sit / Re-take** | £214 |
| Project / Presentation Re-sit / Re-take**  | £214 |

\* Charges are inclusive of all associated eligible costs and any required adjustments to support access to learning that are deemed reasonable. Additional charges may apply where significant costs to support such adjustments are incurred.

\*\* Mileage is not included; this will be charged at a rate of 0.45p a mile.

## Discounts

CIWM Assessment may apply discretionary discounts for reasons such as:

### Cohorts of learners

When cohorts of apprentices are managed towards a common assessment period (day), CIWM Assessment will consider the application of a discount in lieu of Assessor travel and invigilation charges, to allow for consecutive assessments in one day.

Where this is not possible or not facilitated, charges will revert to CIWM Assessments standard rate.

### Volumes of learners

Where an employer is able to provide a specified number of apprenticeship assessments e.g. 10 within an agreed time frame, CIWM Assessment will agree to the application of a discount to the assessment fees.

Where fulfilment of the agreement is not met, charges will revert to CIWM Assessment standard rate.

### Supply of resource

Where an employer can supply suitable and sufficient resources in support of written /MCQ assessment, CIWM Assessment will apply a discount against invigilation costs.

In some instances, it may be appropriate to increase the tariff from 15% to reflect employer's circumstances.

## Payment

Invoices will be invoiced on a 30-day account.

If the scheduled EPA is less than 30 days from the date of the invoice, it must be settled prior to assessment.

Results will not be issued until the account is settled in full.



CIWM

Qualifications

Together, we stand for  
a world beyond waste

## Our purpose is to move the world beyond waste

Help us protect the environment by only printing this document if absolutely necessary and, where possible, please only print the pages you need.

This document has been designed to use minimal ink when printed.

## More for professional life

Our mission is to unite, equip and mobilise our professional community to lead, influence and deliver the science, strategies, businesses and policies for the sustainable management of resources and waste.

For more information about how we can support you, visit **[ciwm.co.uk](https://ciwm.co.uk)**.

CIWM  
Quadra  
500 Pavilion Drive  
Northampton Business Park  
Northampton  
NN4 7YJ

Tel: 01604 620426  
Email: [epa@ciwm.co.uk](mailto:epa@ciwm.co.uk)