



Level 1 Award in the Principles of Fire Safety Awareness Course Fact Sheet

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Course Aim

The aim of this course is to help you meet your legal duties under current fire safety legislation, the Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005, by providing your employees with essential knowledge about fire safety, helping them to understand how to prevent a fire from starting as well as what actions to take if a fire does break out.

Who Should Attend

This course is designed for all employees, particularly new starters, in any size business within any industry sector.

This course is not suitable for those with fire safety responsibilities, such as Fire Wardens, Fire Marshals, Managers or Supervisors. They would need to attend the Level 2 Award in the Principles of Fire Safety course.

Course Length

Half day

Entry Requirements

Candidates are not required to have any prior knowledge or qualifications in fire safety to enable them to attend this course.

However, it is recommended that candidates have a minimum of Level 1 in Literacy/English or equivalent to undertake this qualification. Candidates should be aged 14 or above.

Accredited By

This course is accredited by Highfield Qualifications and sits on the Regulated Qualifications Framework (RQF).

This course is also available as a non-accredited option.

The Content

- Main causes and effects of fires in the workplace.
- Main cost of fires to employers, employees and society.
- Duties and responsibilities of employers, employees and fire wardens.
- The fire triangle and sources of ignition.
- Fire safety procedures in the workplace.
- Actions to be taken in the event of a fire.
- Fire prevention measures.
- Reporting fire safety issues.
- Types of fire-fighting equipment and their uses.
- The use of portable fire-fighting equipment.
- How to check fire safety equipment is serviceable and safe to use.
- Practical, hands-on use of extinguishing fires.

The Benefits

By attending this course, your employees will have a clear understanding of everyone's responsibilities under fire safety regulations.

When your employees return to the workplace, they will understand how to prevent fires from starting. In addition, they will know what actions they should take if a fire does break out.

Should they need to tackle a small fire, they will be confident enough to do so and will be able to use fire equipment safely.

You will be able to demonstrate compliance with legislation and prove due diligence through training records and certificates. In addition, you, your business, your employees and your customers will be protected.

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Assessment Method

Candidates will be assessed by a multiple choice examination where the candidate must answer at least 9 out of 15 questions correctly.

The examination will take 30 minutes to complete. Successful completion will result in a Highfield Level 1 Award in the Principles of Fire Safety Awareness certificate.

What Is Included

- Training in a friendly and relaxed learning environment
- Envesca's proven track record of fantastic results
- Knowledge and guidance from experienced time-served trainers
- Practical use of fire extinguishers
- Course materials
- All examination fees plus certification costs
- The protection of Envesca's genuine "no risk" guarantee
- Excellent after care from a supportive team

OFQUAL Accredited

Yes 603/1564/7

RQF

Yes Y/615/7451 (1 Credit)

Delivery Methods

- In-House

Rave Reviews

"It was the best fire training I have ever been on. Actually practicing with fire extinguishers has given me a lot of confidence."

Tracey Alexander
Choice Care Group

"Everyone was very happy with the Fire Safety training. Both the content and delivery were excellent and everyone found the practical aspects especially useful – thank you for a really useful and informative day. The trainer was really good; he was very friendly and had a great way of getting the information across. I look forward to receiving the certificates and thanks for all your help, as always great training from Envesca."

Karen Allwood | Operations Manager
Air Monitors Ltd

Refresher Recommendation

It is recommended that all candidates who achieve the Level 1 Award in the Principles of Fire Safety Awareness refresh their qualification every three years.

Suggested Progression

On successful completion of this qualification, candidates may wish to continue their development by undertaking one of the following qualifications:

- Level 2 Award in the Principles of Fire Safety
- Level 2 Award in Health and Safety

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