Level 2 Certificate in

Stevedoring Essentials

LOGISTICS

Qualification Specification

Overview
Developed in close consultation with industry, this knowledge qualification provides a broad introduction to the practices and processes of Stevedoring for operators involved in the loading and unloading of ships cargo

Typical Job
Port operatives.

Qualification code:	600/1283/3
Level:	2
Total qualification time:	200 hours
Guided learning hours:	152 (min) 184 (max)
Credits:	20
Age Range:	16-18, 19+

Issue 1.0

Purpose of the qualification

This qualification will enable learners to:
- Achieve the industry standards set out by Port Skills & Safety (PSS)
- Be equipped to pursue further learning
- Gain a qualification that will be recognized as a technical certificate in a Port Operations apprenticeship.

What could this qualification lead to?

This qualification offers many progression opportunities for the learner – from apprenticeships to wider employment.

Entry Requirements

Learners must have the potential to achieve the assessment criteria set out in the units.

How is the qualification achieved?

The learner must present evidence which clearly shows they have met the assessment criteria and learning outcomes.

What will be assessed?

All evidence submitted by the learner against the assessment criteria.

How will it be assessed?

The assessment of this qualification is by a combination of elements including:

- completion of a portfolio of evidence
- multiple choice examination
- assignment

Structure

This qualification has 152 guided learning hours (GLH) and 20 credits. It has a total qualification time of 200 hours which is the notional time required by the learner to complete the qualification..

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Mandatory: **ALL** units **must** be completed:

EAL Code	Unit Title	Level	Credit	GLH	Ofqual Code
QPSS1/001	Understanding cargo and cargo storage	1	1	8	T/602/5460
QPSS1/002	Understanding manual handling techniques in the transfer and securing of cargo	1	1	7	T/602/4390
QPSS1/003	Understanding how to develop productive working relationships with colleagues in own and third party organisations	1	1	7	F/602/4389
QPSS1/004	Understanding how to maintain environmental good practice within ports	1	1	8	R/602/4395
QPSS2/001	Understanding slinging and signalling	2	2	15	T/602/4387
QPSS2/002	Understanding cargo lifting and handling equipment	2	2	15	F/602/4392
QPSS2/003	Understanding how to Support vessel operations	2	2	14	D/602/4402
QPSS2/004	Understand how to Work safely in a port	2	2	15	M/602/4386
QPSS2/005	Maritime safety and security	2	2	14	A/602/4388
QPSS2/006	Understanding incidents, emergencies and fire prevention in Ports or on board Port vessels	2	1	7	L/602/4394

Group B: Optional units: Select any ONE of the following units (2 credits):

EAL Code	Unit Title	Level	Credit	GLH	Ofqual Code
QPSS2/007	Understanding how to handle dry bulk cargo	2	2	16	A/602/4391
QPSS2/008	Understanding the transfer of bulk liquids	2	2	16	D/602/4397
QPSS2/009	Understanding the loading, unloading and movement of cargo transport units (containers)	2	2	16	J/602/4393
QPSS2/010	Understanding cargo handling operations associated with Ro Ro vessels	2	2	16	K/602/4399

For the remaining required 3 credits, learners may select from either group B or Group C but cannot select more than 2 units at level 1 .

Group C: Optional units:

EAL Code	Unit Title	Level	Credit	GLH	Ofqual Code
QPSS2/011	Emergency first aid in response to maritime accidents or medical emergencies	2	4	28	Y/602/4396
QPSS2/012	Understanding the use of information technology to support port operations	2	1	8	Y/602/4401
QPSS1/005	Understand how to undertake routine servicing, maintenance and repair of port plant and equipment	1	1	7	H/602/4398
QPSS1/006	Understand how to give customers a positive impression of yourself and your organisation	1	1	7	R/602/4400
QPSS1/007	Understanding how to manage your workplace performance	1	1	7	H/602/4384