



PLUME ACADEMY - LEARNING OVERVIEW

Year	Year 10
Course	Level 1 BTEC Certificate in Construction City & Guilds Level 1 Award in Multi-Skills Construction
Specification Number/Exam Board	500/6591/9 and 500/6219-04
End of course assessment and weightings	Assessment is via a portfolio of evidence

Prior Learning

Whilst the general construction qualification is not studied at key stage three, the planned curriculum provides the opportunity for students to use skills and understanding acquired from core design and technology lessons within the course. The course also provides the opportunity for students to continue to develop literacy and numeracy and IT skills in a new context.

Curriculum Intent – What are the curriculum aims?

To cover the basic technical skills required within three areas of construction (bricklaying, carpentry and painting and decorating) as well knowledge and understanding of health and safety practices in all areas.

Curriculum Implementation – What will my child will be learning?

Term 1	Half Term 1	Introduction to health and safety
	Half Term 2	Carpentry skills and development
Term 2	Half Term 3	Construction knowledge
	Half Term 4	Bricklaying skills and development
Term 3	Half Term 5	Identifying tools, equipment and materials
	Half Term 6	Painting and decorating skills and development

Curriculum Impact – How will progress be assessed as I learn?

Observation of practical elements is holistically taken throughout each course to ensure that students can demonstrate the underpinning skills required in each element. Written assignments are also used to demonstrate theoretical understanding alongside a portfolio of evidence for both courses. Students are given regular feedback on both theory and practical aspects throughout the course.



Super-Curricular Opportunities – Support and Extending Learning

Useful study resources	If a student is really passionate about this subject...	As a parent/carer, I can assist my child in this subject by:
Students will be fully supported by CTP and the school and supplied with any additional resources they may need to be successful	CTP offers a post 16 programme in year 12, for any students that want to continue in the construction industry Follow practical skill tutorials on You Tube	Helping to develop construction skills by part time work, jobs around the house or with friends and family