# Wall and Floor Tiling

## **Colchester Institute**

Sheepen Road, Colchester

#### City & Guilds - Level 1 Certificate in Construction Skills (Wall and Floor Tiling) Tuesday and Wednesday or Thursday and Friday 9:00am - 4:30pm

Colchester Institute is offering the opportunity to gain the necessary skills, knowledge and confidence to start a career in wall and floor tiling. The Level 1 programme is designed to offer a short 6-week course within a relaxed learning environment, with enthusiastic tiling tutors who will support your individual needs and enable you to achieve set goals.

Training areas are set up so that anyone, from complete novice to those needing a refresher, can maximise their potential to produce tiling finishes to the required standard, on construction sites or domestic projects.



## Basic hand skills and practical tasks include:

- Introduction to tiling tools and equipment
- Loading and setting out materials
- Gauged mortar mixing
- Basic tiling techniques
- Applying tile adhesive
- Setting out for tiling
- Marking and cutting tiles
- Grouting techniques

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On completion of the necessary basic training, the following units can be undertaken to achieve the Level 1 Certificate in Construction Skills (Wall and Floor Tiling)

- · Introduction to Health and Safety in construction
- Tiling a plain wall
- · Cutting and fixing decorative panels
- Cutting and fixing tiles to wet areas
- Tiling floors with a border





#### **Construction site readiness training**

On completion of all Level 1 units your instructor will arrange training exercises to develop your tiling skills and confidence, in readiness for working in the construction industry. Exercises include:

- Angle bending and edging trims
  - Speed and accuracy training
- Cutting by hand and wet machine
- Decorative panels
- Mosaic tiles
- Repairing damaged tiled areas

#### **Opportunity to gain CSCS Card**

Undertaking the CSCS Green Card alongside the City & Guilds qualification can help you gain opportunities on site as a labourer, to further develop your tiling skills.



### Course fee: £525

Fee exemptions are available, subject to meeting the criteria

### **Course enquiries**

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