



Confined Space – City & Guilds 6150-01

Working in low risk confined spaces (without escape breathing apparatus)

Who should attend

A one day course for those who may need to enter low risk spaces classified as NC 1 under the Water UK scheme, where a risk assessment has confirmed escape breathing apparatus is not required.

- Identification and hazards of confined spaces.
- Confined Space Regulations 1997, Approved Code of Practice and Water UK Guidance.
- Options for avoiding entry & basic risk assessment principles.
- Safe systems of work, including assessing atmospheres using gas detection/oxygen deficiency monitors.
- Personal protection and rescue equipment requirements where entry is necessary.
- Use of harnesses and winches.
- Electrical equipment requirements for potentially explosive atmospheres.
- Emergency plans.
- Communication requirements.
- Medical and training requirements for staff entering confined spaces.

Booking Details

Practical session requires personal protection including overalls, safety boots, gloves, hard hat, knee pads. Customers are encouraged to use their own equipment for staff familiarity (harness etc), providing it is tested & in good condition. Courses start at approximately 8:45 am and run until approximately 5:30pm.

Course requirements and limitations

As outlined in Water UK 'Occasional Guidance' note. Some sessions will take place in low light level/confined areas. Not suitable for those who may have to rescue other team members or where a risk assessment has identified the use of escape breathing apparatus as part of emergency plans.

Certification

City and Guilds 6150-01 Certificate valid for 3 years at additional cost of £65 per student.