

# Bricklaying

## Diploma Level 2

STUDY MODE  
Full time

LOCATION  
Moulton / Higham Ferrers

LEVEL  
Level 2

START DATE  
Sept 2025

DURATION  
1 year



Our Level 2 Diploma in Bricklaying course will provide you with the skills and knowledge you need to become a recognised bricklayer.

You will have the opportunity to learn in our state-of-the-art workshops with specialist equipment.

Guided by our expert tutors and guest lecturers your study will include hands-on experience preparing you for industry.

Our strong commercial links will provide you with the opportunity to take part in an extensive enrichment programme including industry visits so that you can witness the development of the construction industry, preparing you for your future career in the construction sector.

## What will I learn on the course?

Guided by our expert lecturers you will advance your knowledge of bricklaying and available technology in construction. Through practical and theoretical based-learning you will develop your knowledge of solid walling, as well as the proper application of thin joints, setting out and cavity walling.

Building on the knowledge and skills you developed at Level 1 (or alternative prior experience) you will explore in more detail the two 'core units' increasing your understanding of your responsibilities to maintain health, safety and welfare in construction settings.

You will also extend your understanding of other trades and your ability to work alongside them with more detailed study of the principles of building construction, information and communication.

The specialist units you will undertake include cavity walling, at this level incorporating openings and decorative features. You will construct solid walls, isolated and attached piers, copings and cappings and you will set out more complex buildings using profiles and mechanical levelling devices to transfer horizontal measurements across a building project.

## What will this course cost me?

Hi-Vis and Work Safety Boots are required to undertake this course. You can find a full equipment list [here](#).

In addition you may find it useful to purchase a textbook for your course. This can be purchased from a range of suppliers including [Amazon](#).

## What does a typical week look like?

This is a full time course taking place on three days per week from 9am - 4:30pm. There will be a mix of practical and theoretical

work which are split into 1 hour - 1.45 hour lessons. You will have regular breaks and hour lunch. An example timetable can be viewed here.

## How will I be assessed?

Assessment consists of the following:

- Practical assessments
- Externally assessed Exams
- Internal Exams
- Written coursework and workbooks

## Where can it lead to?

A Level 2 Diploma will give you the chance to progress to an apprenticeship, employment in the industry as a bricklayer, or to set up as a sole trader (self-employed) in the sector. You could also progress onto study Level 3 in Construction Management.

## What are the entry requirements for this course?

Four GCSE passes at Grade 3 (D) or above including English and Maths or Level 1 Diploma in a related Construction subject.

Visit this course on our website: <https://www.moulton.ac.uk/courses/pbwd2/bricklaying-diploma-level-2>

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