



Joint Industry Board

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JIB-PMES and JTL Trade Up-Skilling

Dear Sir/Madam

We are delighted to be able to inform you of a new initiative the JIB-PMES has developed in association with our training provider JTL.

The scheme is aimed specifically at Plumbers who have achieved a City & Guilds 6129 Level 2 Technical Certificate or a City & Guilds 6035-02 Level 2 Diploma in Plumbing Studies, but have not completed the appropriate NVQ. The scheme has been designed to facilitate the Up-skilling to a full NVQ Level 2 so that the individual may achieve the full industry recognition in their chosen trade.

There are two pre-requisites for the scheme. Potential learners must:

- have achieved a **full** City & Guilds 6129 Technical Certificate or 6035 Level 2 Diploma in Plumbing Studies
- be currently employed as a Plumber

If you currently hold a JIB-PHMEM CSCS Green card and you meet the eligibility criteria outlined above, this scheme may be of interest to you as successful completion will automatically upgrade your Green JIB-PMES CSCS Card to a trade specific JIB-PHMEM CSCS Blue Card and will result in formal industry recognition of your skills.

The programme itself will centre on placing learners with assessors who will advise and guide them with regard to the type of work-based evidence they need to produce in order for them to achieve the appropriate NVQ. This process will be managed and delivered by JTL, the UK's foremost provider of Building Services Engineering Apprenticeships.

It is anticipated that following an initial induction meeting with an assessor, learners will be able to complete the programme within a 12 month period, possibly faster if sufficient workplace evidence can be provided.

The total cost of the programme is £1,200.00, this is a fully inclusive price. Flexible payment terms are optional in 6 easy instalments of £200.

If the scheme is of interest to you, please contact JIB either by telephone 01480 476925 or complete the enclosed application and return it to us, along with copies of certificates as requested.

Yours faithfully

JIB-PMES
Upskilling Department