

Highfield *Level 2* End-Point Assessment for Aviation Ground Operative

Government funding band – *£3,000 (funding band 4)*

On-programme duration – minimum of *12 months*

Gateway requirements – *level 1 English and maths, attempted
level 2 English and maths*

End-point assessment method – *2x On-demand tests,
observation and professional discussion*



Working in the aviation sector

An aviation ground operative could work in a number of environments, such as a commercial airport, military base/aerodrome, heliport or other airfield. Aviation ground operators form the teams above and below the wing to ensure the efficient and effective arrival, turnaround and departure of aircraft. At the heart of the role is safety, security and compliance with aviation regulations that focus on each operator's day-to-day duties. Effective communication and teamwork ensure that aircraft handling, air traffic control (ATC) and those moving, loading, unloading and servicing a range of aircraft achieve the objectives of their organisation in this diverse field. The core knowledge, skills and behaviours must be completed by all ground operatives, along with 1 of the 5 specialist functions.



The Programme Structure

During this programme the apprentice will learn a wide range of skills and knowledge in a number of aviation environments, such as a commercial airport, military base/aerodrome, heliport or other airfield. They will be placed in an aviation role over a minimum of a 12-month period, during which they will be supported while on-programme by their assessor. The assessor will review the progress of the apprentice during this period against the standard to ensure they are prepared for the end-point assessment.

Your apprentice's journey



Ready for training

- Initial assessment
- English and maths training
- On-programme training to meet the requirements of the standard
- Gateway readiness self-assessment

Set for assessment on completion of training and functional skills

End-point assessment methods are;

On-demand test

- 2, 1-hour on-demand multiple-choice tests, with scenario-based questions. The first test will be on the core and apply to all apprentices, the second will be specific to their specialist function

Observation

- 1-hour observation, selected from the list of 3 specialist function-specific possible scenarios, of the apprentice in their workplace

Professional discussion

- structured discussion focusing on how the apprentice has performed during the apprenticeship and their overall achievement of the standard. The apprentice may identify supporting evidence to bring to the professional discussion to illustrate performance

Go further

Progression from this apprenticeship is expected to be into a ground operator's role with the potential to develop into an aviation operations specialist role.

Available Support

On-Programme Support

- Delivery resources
- Qualification mapped to standard
- Tutor support resource
- Innovative and multi-device e-learning courses

End-Point Assessment Support

- EPA kits with mock assessments to assist with gateway readiness
- Bespoke end-point assessment solutions
- Progression tracking system



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