

Highfield Level 3 End-Point Assessment for International Freight Forwarding Specialist



Government funding band – £9000



On-programme duration – 18 months (this does not include EPA period)



Gateway requirements – Completion of showcase of evidence, level 2 English and maths.



End-point assessment method – Knowledge test, observed role simulation, professional discussion

Overview of the standard

This standard has been developed for those in the transport and logistics sector or those who are wanting to join.

Learners will be introduced to, and taught the processing of all relevant trade documentation, customer controls and procedures that are vital to the UK economy.

Apprentices will gain the **CORE** knowledge and skills and then choose one of the following three **PATHWAYS** to reflect the focus of their employer's operations:

- Air Freight
- Ocean Freight
- Road Freight

In each pathway, additional knowledge and skills will be acquired.

During the learning, apprentices must develop behaviours that are integral to the job and sector such as:

- showing commercial acumen
- being entrepreneurial
- being highly organised, careful and diligent in data entry and written work

The programme's structure

Full time apprentices will typically spend 18 months on-programme (before the gateway) working towards the occupational standard.

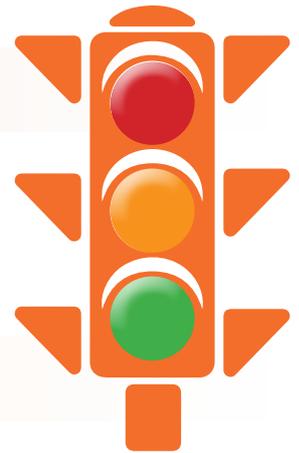
The EPA period will start once the employer is satisfied that the apprentice is working to occupational standard or above, and all of the gateway requirements have been met.

The EPA must be completed within a 6 month assessment window, beginning when the apprentice has passed the EPA gateway.

Your learner's journey

Ready for training

- level 2 in English and maths. Those with an education, health and care plan or a legacy statement, the required level raises to level 3. British Sign Language qualifications are an accepted alternative
- any entry requirements are a matter for individual employers



Set for assessment

The end-point assessment methods are:

Knowledge Test

- A 60 minute, closed-book exam consisting of 25 multiple-choice questions
- 20 questions will test the knowledge
- 5 questions will be based on role specific scenarios

Observed Role Simulation

- Two observed role simulations each lasting 30 minutes. One based on the duties within the core topic area and one on the duties of the chosen pathway

Professional Discussion

- A structured discussion lasting 65 minutes, covering all knowledge and behaviours in Standard

Go further

Completion of this standard will allow those wishing to pursue, and/or advance a career in International Freight Forwarding.

Available support

On-programme support

- Delivery resources
- Tutor support resource

End-point assessment support

- Gateway and mock assessments
- Bespoke end-point assessment solutions
- Progression tracking system
- Staff training, standardisation and support



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