



LAND-BASED STUDIES (HORTICULTURE) DIPLOMA

Plants play an incredibly important role in all our lives by providing us with oxygen and food sources. As a horticulturalist you will need to use your scientific knowledge of plants and soil to grow a wide variety of fruits, vegetables, shrubs, flowers and grass. Our courses will give you all the in-depth knowledge you need to start your career, with the option of continuing on to university study with one of our degrees at the iconic Eden Project. We offer three options for you to gain a career in the horticultural industry depending on your GCSE results. Our Level 3 course offers you the choice of university study with progression on to our degrees at the Eden Project, or employment on completion of your course. Our Level 2 and Level 1 courses are ideal if you would like more time to develop your skills before progressing on to further study. Learn the basic skills required to progress to further education in countryside and conservation, arboriculture or horticulture. You will learn how to work safely in the natural environment, with a range of equipment essential to a wide variety of sites and situations. Become confident in the day-to-day tasks associated with working in estates, parks, gardens and woodland, as well as developing wider skills such as working with others, problem solving and personal planning.

□ Ideal if

you would like to improve your life skills and gain a qualification and experience in horticulture.

□ You'll need

GCSE English and maths at grade E or 2, or equivalent qualifications at Entry Level 3, plus an interest in gardening and the environment.

□ You'll learn

from a wide range of units covering subjects such as health and safety, propagating, growing and caring for plants and working on garden structures.

□ Expect

your assignments and projects to be assessed throughout the course.

Key facts

Course title:
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Location:
Bicton College

Start date:
September 2020

Course length:
1 year

□ You'll love

learning about horticulture hands-on.

□ You'll go on to

an apprenticeship or further studies.

Choose from these course options

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Land-Based Studies in Landscape Gardening & Horticulture Diploma	Bicton College	September 2020	1 year