

Work Practice

(Component Award)



About this Course

The purpose of this award is to equip the learner with the knowledge skill and competence to work in an organisation or specific vocational context, carrying out vocationally related tasks over a period of time, independently while under general supervision. This course will lead to a minor award at NFQ Level 5 in Work Practice (5N1433).



Who should apply?

This module offers participants a chance to complete work practice with Teagasc approved horticultural hosts.

Work practice is a mandatory module at Level 5. Learners must complete 60 days of work practice, some of which will be in the Botanic Gardens and the remainder with an external host.

This module is worth 15 credits which can be counted towards further studies at Level 5.



Module Content

On completion of this module, students will be able to:

- Summarise the distinguishing features of the organisation, institution or horticultural host
- Comment on current issues, challenges and trends
- Summarise legislation and regulations relevant to the workplace
- Explain internal and external procedures pertinent to learner role
- Work independently and professionally, complete a minimum of 40 days internal work practice and 20 days
- practical learning period on a Teagasc approved centre, and reflect on experience
- Select information required for a range of work-based tasks
- Contribute positively as a member of an organisation or team
- Review personal and professional learning.

Course Structure

This module offers participants a chance to study at the Teagasc College, National Botanic Gardens in Glasnevin or Kildalton College, Piltown, Co. Kilkenny.

Application for this course is through our website at www.teagasc.ie/education/going-to-college/apply-online/

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