## Skills & Education Group Awards

# Level 2 Material Cutter End-Point Assessment

As part of Skills and Education Group Awards, we specialise in endpoint assessments for the fashion and textiles sectors. Our experience with the standards for these industries means we know exactly what employers and apprentices need. We make the assessment process clear, easy to use and responsive, ensuring that employers and apprentices are fully supported throughout.

#### About the End-point assessment

The broad purpose of the occupation is to cut specified material components by hand or by machine using templates or measurements and then prepare the components for assembly. In preparation for cutting, a material cutter will select the materials following instructions, check the materials for quality issues, and plan, measure and calculate material usage ensuring waste minimalisation. They are then ready to cut components to meet the required quality, quantity, and specifications. They have a role in ensuring effective handover to the next stage, including bundling and labeling and completing records and documentation such as production/cutting sheets or work dockets.

#### Fee

£900

#### Get in touch to find out more

For further information on registering your apprentices on this end-point assessment, contact our team by email or by calling 0115 854 1620.

### **Maximum Funding**

£5000

### **Gateway Requirements**

From August 2022 people who start a Level 2 apprenticeship without Level 1 English and maths will no longer need to automatically attempt Level 2 English and Maths tests to complete their apprenticeship.

A Portfolio of Evidence must be submitted, which underpins the Interview assessment component.

Typical duration to Gateway: 12 months.

#### **The Assessment**

The apprentice will be assessed against the Material Cutter requirements. The methods of assessments are:

- Observation with questions
- Interview underpinned by a portfolio of evidence
- Multiple-choice test

Skills and Education Group Awards is the End-point Assessment Organisation (EPAO) that is approved and registered with the Education and Skills Funding Agency (ESFA) for this apprenticeship. Delivery of this end-point assessment is monitored, on behalf of the Institute for Apprenticeships (IfA), by the External Quality Assurance Organisation, Ofqual.