

## **Purpose Statement**

### **SEG Awards Entry Level 3 Award and Certificate in Practical Horticulture Skills**

**Entry Level 3 Award – 600/7386/X**

**Entry Level 3 Certificate – 600/7387/1**



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## Overview

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The SEG Awards Entry 2, Entry 3 and Level 1 Awards and Certificates in Practical Horticulture Skills provide practical experience and knowledge of the horticulture sector to support engagement, participation, achievement and progression for learners at Entry Level and Level 1. They will help learners to decide whether to undertake further training or employment within this occupational area. Recognise trees and plants and their importance to wildlife.

## Who are these qualifications for?

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These qualifications are designed for young people aged 14+ and adults who have an interest in the land based industry as an area of employment and want to develop practical skills in this area.

Skills and Education Group Awards expects approved centres to recruit with integrity on the basis of a learner's ability to contribute to and successfully complete all the requirements of a unit/s or the full qualification.

## What do these qualifications cover?

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These qualifications provide a practical introduction to the horticulture sector to support engagement, participation, achievement and progression for learners at Entry Level and Level 1. It offers important industry insight to help learners to make informed career decisions. Learners will complete these qualifications with a concrete understanding of the following:

### Entry Level 3 Award

- Recognise parts of plants

Optional units include:

- Developing practical skills for maintaining plants
- Plant flower bulbs for naturalisation or bedding
- Prepare and plant an area, and many more

## Entry Level 3 Certificate

- Recognise use and care for tools used in horticulture

Optional units include:

- Recognising plants
- Introduction to customer care
- Identifying floristry plant material, and many more.

Learners have the option of selecting Level 1 units to gain a deeper knowledge and understanding and associated skills of a particular area of the horticulture sector.

## Will these qualifications lead to further learning?

Learners who complete this qualification can progress to Level 1 qualifications, which include optional Level 2 units to provide stretch where appropriate and to encourage progression. Learners can also progress through these qualifications onto the SEG Awards Level 2 Awards and Certificates in Horticulture.

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