

## What will I study?

### There are three units of study

**Working with Tools** - This unit entails the use of marking out and measuring tools plus the selection and use of appropriate tooling to carry out specific practical assessment tasks.

**Working with Materials** - This unit will involve the candidate getting used to identifying different types of materials and being able to use appropriate materials to produce a prescribed model.

**Making an item** - This unit the candidate will be expected to make a model and apply a finish to this

## What skills will I develop?

**Improve your practical skills**—Measuring, Marking out, cutting etc.

**Improve your numeracy**—Improve arithmetic and problem solving

**Progress to N4**—Improve skills and attempt N4 the following session or within the 2 years if possible.

## How will I be assessed?

On going unit work with assessment of skills after these have been covered, no formal exam.

Some writing needed to prove knowledge and understanding of tools, materials and manufacturing methods.

## Possible Careers

**Construction Work**—Labouring, joinery, brick laying, ground works etc.

**Apprenticeships**—Construction, Electrician, plumber etc.

## What can I go on and study in fifth and sixth year?

National 4 → Practical Woodwork

National 5 → Practical Woodwork

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