

Site Environmental Awareness Training Scheme

Joining Instructions

Should you have your own laptop please feel free to bring it to the course. This is not a requirement; however you may wish to use it to take notes. You will not be able to use to your laptop during the end test.

Course Programme

This 1-day course will provide candidates with an introduction to environmental issues on construction sites. It is designed to meet the basic environmental knowledge that the sub-contract chain are required to prove to major contractors, and covers the environmental aspects of the new HS&E touch screen test. The course is accredited by Site Safety Plus.

Objectives

At the end of the course delegates should:

- Understand the environmental impacts and issues associated with construction activities
- Understand why sustainability issues are important in the context of construction
- Understand their duties with regard to waste management and statutory nuisance
- Understand the requirements on water use, contaminated land and pollution prevention
- Understand the issues of archaeology and heritage in construction
- Understand the systems available to help in environmental management

Programme

- What is the environment and why is it important?
- Outline of Environmental Management Systems
- Waste management
- Pollution prevention and water management
- Good neighbour – Statutory nuisance, communication
- Archaeology and heritage
- Energy and resources
- Being a responsible contractor