

Safe Use of Hand Held Power Tools (Core) Skills Card

At a glance...

Customised Provision

Delivery Method: Classroom and practical

Introduction

Providing knowledge and developing skills for the safe use of power tools. Core course plus units for saws, drill, nail guns, impact drivers, table saws, mitre saws and more.

The finer details

What does the course cover? Types of Power Tool (petrol, electric, battery, gas, air, hydraulic)

Legislation (HASAWA, POWER, PPER, CNAWR, CVAWR, COSHH)

Risk and Hazards (Noise, Dust, Vibration, Contact injuries, Site and tool hazards)

Selection of the correct tool

Site Restrictions and requirements

Manufacturers Operators Manual

Pre-start checks

Personal Protective Equipment

Each Modular tool unit will include:

Pre-start checks
Selection and fitting accessories (drill bits, blades, etc)

Adjustment and set up

Safe operations

Troubleshooting





Maintenance and storage

Modular Units available:

Drills – rotary, hammer

SDS Drills

Saws – jig, circular, reciprocal

Planner & Sander

Table Saw

Mitre (chop) Saw

Impact Driver, Nut Gun

Nail Gun (battery, gas or air)

Disc Cutters

Angle Grinders

Breaker

Vibrating plate

Lawn Mower

Strimmer / Brushcutter

Hedge Trimmer

Leaf Blower

Bench Grinder

Bench Drill

and others on request

Who should attend?

The course is great for anyone who uses power tool, novice or experienced users.

Supervisors who oversee the use of power tools





What will be covered?

The learner will learn about:

Health and safety legislation

Tool selection

Tool preparation

Safe operation

Trouble shooting



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