



CS31 Lantra Awards - Felling Small Trees Course

Course Description

Suitable for the novice operator with little or no experience of chainsaw felling, who are required to operate chainsaws for felling to guide bar length. This three day training course is designed to prepare candidates for assessment for City and Guilds NPTC Certificate of Competence Unit CS31.

Content - to enable trainees to

- Correctly assess the situation prior to free felling a straight open grown tree up to a maximum of 380mm diameter, and with the aid of wedges and/or felling lever, fell it in a chosen direction
- Remove limbs from felled trees and cross cut, handle and stack timber in a safe and efficient manner
- Identify types of timber, potential hazards and stresses, correctly assess if timber is in compression or tension, and select the appropriate technique to deal with the particular situation
- Take down hung up trees using hand tools
- Recognise situations where specialist help is required

Venue

Park Hill Training & Assessment Centre, LE12 7NG, see map or About Us page or at your place if work if numbers and resources allow. There are a variety of hotels, farmhouse B & B's or a Travelodge all within easy reach of our centre, please contact us if you require further details.

Duration

Three Days — Practical
9.00am—4.30pm approx.

Equipment required

Trainees to supply their own PPE, chainsaw equipment can be supplied by Park Hill Training & Assessment Centre.

Pre-requisites

NPTC CS30 qualification or training

City and Guilds NPTC Assessment (VAT exempt)

City and Guilds NPTC Registration - £28.00 or £16.00 if following a Lantra registered course
Assessment fee - £90.00

Training Costs

£330.00 + VAT @ standard rate which includes use of our facilities, equipment, instruction, handouts, teas/coffees and Lantra registration & certificate of attendance

Further information - please see the Links page

Lantra Awards— www.lantra-awards.co.uk,
City and Guilds NPTC— www.nptc.org.uk,