

Use of a Chainsaw from a Mobile Elevated Work Platform (MEWP)

This course prepares the trainee to take the City and Guilds practical assessment.

One Day Training, assessment is taken on a separate day.
09.00 – 16.30 approx.

The course covers...

- Introduction
- Risk Assessment
- Legislation
- PPE
- Prepare MEWP for use
- Prepare chainsaw for use
- Achieve work position
- Remove lateral limbs
- Final pruning cuts
- Secure and position pulling line
- Remove vertical sections
- Cleaning, transport and storage

Venue

At your place of work or Park Hill Training & Assessment Centre, LE12 7NG.

There are a variety of hotels and farmhouse B & B's all within easy reach of our centre.

Map and Accommodation list can be found on our website's [Contact Us](#) page

Equipment

For Park Hill Training courses minimal requirement is chainsaw boots and trousers.

Send a passport type photo via email in order to receive a Skills ID Card after successful completion of the assessment.

Course requirements are listed on the next page for courses taken on your site.

Pre- Requisites

Chainsaw Maintenance and Cross Cutting
Felling and Processing Trees up to 380mm
Mobile Elevated Work Platform

Please be aware that our chainsaw courses require candidates to be physically fit and free from medication, or conditions that could affect your safety. We may conduct a small assessment of your abilities before undertaking this training.



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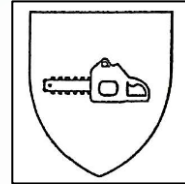
Venue Requirements (if course is at your site)

Room/ Area Required

- For theory sessions: A dry, clean, well-lit workshop, heated if necessary with chairs & tables/benches
- Flipchart or whiteboard and marker pens.
- A tree/trees with the following
- Washroom and toilet facilities.
- First Aid Equipment.
- Fire Extinguisher.

Equipment Required

- At least 1 chainsaw per trainee with up to 15 inch guide bar complete with safety labels as per AFAG Guide 301 and in good working order.
 - MEWP in good safe working order complete with operator manual.
 - Equipment must comply with PUWER Provision and Use of Work Equipment Regulations.
 - Extra fuel.
 - Toolkits - in general spanners and screwdrivers, flat and pozidrive, and filing kit for sharpening.
 - Warning notices
 - PPE for all trainees to include:
 - Chainsaw boots to BS EN 381-3*
 - Chainsaw trousers 360 degree Type C all round protection to BS EN 381-5*
 - Work restraint harness which will be attached to the MEWP, i.e. full body harness or tree working harness with work restraint lanyard. (CE marked)
 - Helmets to BS EN 397 or EN 12492 with chin strap
 - Visors to BS EN 1731 or safety glasses to BS EN 166
 - Ear defenders to BS EN 352-1
 - Suitable gloves
 - Suitable waterproof outdoor work wear
 - Personal First Aid Kit - attached to harness
- * These items should carry the CE Chainsaw Logo (right)



Other Requirements

- Upon arrival on site the instructor may postpone the training or assessment if the equipment or site are unsuitable. Payment will still be due and there will be an extra cost for the rescheduled day.
- All trainees must be fit enough for the training or assessment.
- We require one passport sized photograph of the candidate to be supplied electronically before the assessment or taken at the time of the assessment otherwise extra costs will be incurred to provide an ID card later.



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