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October 2017



## New Changes to Gas Training Programmes

From the 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017 there will be some significant changes, to the “New Entrant” Gas Training programmes. (For CAT 2 and CAT 3 candidates)

This is a requirement of IGEM/IG/1 “Standards of training in Gas Work”, and EU skills, and will change the way we deliver our future gas training courses.

The changes will now require that there is a more in-depth focus on practical training and proof of supervised on-site experience. This will result in the new courses taking longer, and also impact on the cost.

**cert-ain**  
certification ltd

Walsall Training Centre Ltd are very pleased to announce that we are now approved to run this brand new managed learning programme through Cert-ain certification Ltd.

Cert-ain Certification Ltd were one of the very first certification bodies to gain full approval by EU skills, and their “GAS DIPLOMA” fully meets the requirements of IGEM/IG/1.

Managing Director Steve Edis said “We have decided to run with Cert-ain Certifications Gas Diploma, as it is probably the best course out there at the moment. Their training and assessment material is fantastic, and easy to use, both for the student and our assessors. We are very much focussed on improving standards within the gas industry, and by working with Cert-ain we can continue to do so.”

The new Gas Diploma Qualification Handbook will be available to download from our website shortly. Or you can request a copy by emailing [walsalltraining@btconnect.com](mailto:walsalltraining@btconnect.com)

Candidates currently on the existing “Gas Foundation” programme are advised to call the training centre, to discuss the changes to the programme, and also discuss their “On Site” portfolio content.

# Walsall Training Centre Supports Gas Safety Week

On the 21<sup>st</sup> September we ran our 1 day “Gas Safety Awareness” training course, to support Gas Safety Week. We welcomed candidates from HomeServe, WHG, Blue Square Construction and Wigston Borough Council. All candidates passed the course with flying colours, and it was a pleasure to meet you all.

The Gas Safety Awareness course highlights key areas of gas safety in domestic and commercial properties, and gives knowledge on Carbon Monoxide Awareness. This 1 day course is open to all who would like to gain knowledge in this area, and also gain a fully recognized qualification (QCF Level 2)

This course is suitable for: Gas Admin Staff, Managers, Surveyors, Call Centre Staff, Letting Agents, Estate Agents and also candidates who want to start a career in gas engineering.

For more information on this course, and available dates please call us on 01922 612121 or email [walsalltraining@btconnect.com](mailto:walsalltraining@btconnect.com)



**ACS Gas Training and Assessment.**

## ACS Gas Re Assessment Availability

We are experiencing a very high demand for re assessments at the moment, and subsequently most of our dates are fully booked. Please ensure you give enough time to book in for your re assessments, to avoid disappointment.

Remember you can re sit your ACS gas up to 6 months before your current expiry date. We are now booking up to March 2018, so please call us for dates, and costs.

**01922 612121**



## New Member of our Team

We are delighted to introduce you to Sarah, the newest member to join our team. Sarah is our new Course Administrator / Coordinator and is the first person you will speak to when you call us. (She also makes a great cup of coffee ;-)

Welcome to the team Sarah, glad to have you on board!!

## Old Gas Appliances Wanted

We are on the lookout for any gas appliances, for the training centre. If you can help us, we are ideally looking for working appliances:

- Combi Boilers / Heat Only Boilers
- Cookers
- Fires

If they are in decent working order, please call Steve on 01922 612121 and we can arrange collection or drop off.

Many Thanks !





## Training Courses Coming Up

### LPG CHANGEOVER

29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> November

### BOILER FAULT FINDING / ESSENTIAL ELECTRICS

12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> October

### UNVENTED HOT WATER

17<sup>th</sup> November / 15<sup>th</sup> December

### WATER REGULATIONS

24<sup>th</sup> November

### PART P ELECTRICAL INSTALLER

20<sup>th</sup> November

For course information, bookings and general enquiries, please contact us using any of the following methods:



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