

CITY & GUILDS 7407 (Level 4)
CERTIFICATE IN
FURTHER EDUCATION TEACHING

- A three stage programme for those wishing to teach in Further or Adult Education
- Offered on a part-time basis
- Strong vocational bias

Description

The City & Guilds 7407 scheme is the major initial teacher training qualification in post-compulsory education and training. It is designed primarily for those in work, or with access to work experience in the further and adult education sector. The award is in three stages and the depth and breadth of knowledge and skills increase at each stage. All three stages make up the QTFE Certificate in Further Education Teaching, which covers the whole of the FENTO (Further Education National Training Organisation) standards.

It is recommended that potential candidates hold a professional qualification in the area in which they wish to teach which is at least one level higher than that which they will be teaching.

Fees

Please check the latest prices before enrolling.

2005/6 fees (as a guide only) – Stage1 £135 (discounted fee £75), Stage 2 £270 (discounted fee £80), Stages 1 and 2 Combined £400 (discounted fee £150) and Stage 3 £550 (discounted fee £190)

City & Guilds 7407 Level 4 Certificate in Further Education Teaching–Stage 1

Stage 1 is a 60 hour part-time programme in which you will need to have access to 20 hours of Further Education teaching. The course covers the following: Assessing learners' needs, Session planning and teaching, Teaching and learning activities, Selecting resources, Learner support, Assessment activity, Self-evaluation and Observation of a teacher.

Progression

City & Guilds 7407 Level 4 Certificate in Further Education Teaching – Stage 2

Entry requirements

You should also have reached a level of education which demonstrates the ability to comprehend academic texts, synthesise complex information, extract supporting evidence and produce a cogent assignment. Attendance at an initial assessment and guidance interview is essential.

Start date	Duration	Assessment	How to apply	Course code
September	Currently Monday evenings or Wednesday afternoons for 20 weeks.	Assignments	Direct to Dunstable College	13028

City & Guilds 7407 Level 4 Certificate in Further Education Teaching–Stage 2

Stage 2 is a 130 hour part-time programme. The course builds on Stage 1 and you will cover the following: Identifying and assessing learners' needs, Planning and managing the learning process, Using techniques and facilitating learning, Principles of learning, Communication seminar paper, Developing resources, Support and guidance, Assessment, Educational issues and Personal development.

Progression

City & Guilds 7407 Level 4 Certificate in Further Education Teaching – Stage 3

Entry requirements

You should have a City & Guilds 7407 Certificate in Further Education Teaching – Stage 1 and access to 40 hours of Further Education teaching. Attendance at an initial assessment and guidance interview is essential for 'new' students.

Start date	Duration	Assessment	How to apply	Course code
October	Currently Wednesday afternoons for 20 weeks.	Assignments	Direct to Dunstable College	13046



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City & Guilds 7407 Level 4 Certificate in Further Education Teaching – Stages 1 and 2 combined

Subject to demand, Stages 1 and 2 combined will be offered in one year on a day release basis.

Entry requirements

The entry requirements are that you have a professional qualification in a vocational subject that has to be the level of an HNC/HND, Foundation Degree or Honours Degree and a minimum of 60 hours Further Education or equivalent teaching. You should also have reached a level of education which demonstrates the ability to comprehend academic texts, synthesise complex information, extract supporting evidence and produce a cogent assignment. Attendance at an initial assessment and guidance interview is essential.

Start date	Duration	Assessment	How to apply	Course code
September	Currently Friday mornings for 30 weeks.	Assignments	Direct to Dunstable College	13047

City & Guilds 7407 Level 4 Certificate in Further Education Teaching – Stage 3

Stage 3 is a 180 hour part-time programme in which you will need to have access to 60 hours of Further Education teaching. The course builds on Stages 1 and 2 and you will cover the following:

Assessing learners' needs, Planning learning programmes, Assessing learning, Developing teaching and learning techniques, Managing the learning process, Maintaining quality, Providing learners with support, Assessing the outcomes of learning and learners' achievement, Continuing professional development and Working within a professional value base.

Progression

You may progress to a BEd degree or equivalent qualification.

Entry requirements

You should have a City & Guilds 7407 Certificate in Further Education Teaching Stage 2 and access to 60 hours of Further Education teaching.

Start date	Duration	Assessment	How to apply	Course code
September	Currently Friday mornings for 30 weeks.	Assignments	Direct to Dunstable College	13047

