



Our two-day chainsaw maintenance and crosscutting course will provide you with the appropriate techniques and safety guidelines to ensure that you are not only confident when using a chainsaw but also aware of relevant health and safety guidelines making sure you stay protected.

PRE-REQUISITES

None

DURATION

2 days integrated assessment

QUALIFICATION

Chainsaw maintenance and crosscut course (LANTRA)

COST

£290.00 +VAT

CHAINSAW MAINTENANCE

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CHAINSAW MAINTENANCE AND CROSS CUTTING

THE COURSE COVERS

- Identify the necessary personal protective equipment required, report on its condition and locate the various standard marks.
- Identify required safety and health features on a chainsaw.
- Prepare the chainsaw for use with the correct fuel/oil mix and chain lubrication.
- Start the chainsaw from both cold and hot in a safe manner.
- Carry out pre-cutting safety tests and state the procedures if the chainsaw fails these tests
- State the possible hazards/risks when carrying out maintenance or operational tasks.
- Organise site safety and state the procedures required.
- Identify faults and defects on a chainsaw and cutting equipment and decide which the operator can remedy, and which require a service engineer's attention.
- Select and identify correct tools to enable maintenance to be carried out and report on their serviceability.
- Carry out all routine maintenance in accordance with the manufacturer's instruction book and/or the Lantra Awards workbook
- Cross-cut timber accurately to required lengths.
- Assess and explain the terms 'tension' and 'compression' in timber.
- Adopt safe procedures to remove a trapped guide bar
- Handle and stack timber in a safe manner.



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