



Building Your Skills For The Future

Hard Landscape Construction

Introduction To Module

5 ECTS Credits

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Module resource webpage: <https://www.learning101.ie/landscapeconstruction.html>



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Timetable

- Semester is **12 weeks** long.
- We will **meet for one hour/week** for Q & A.



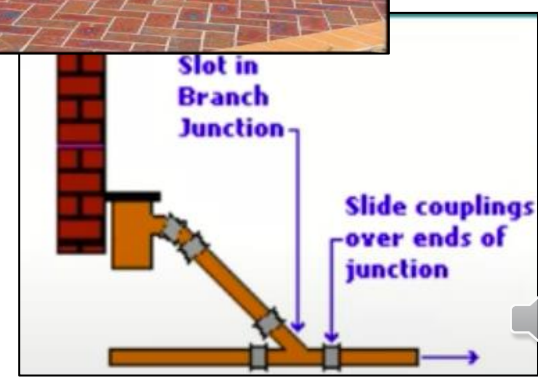
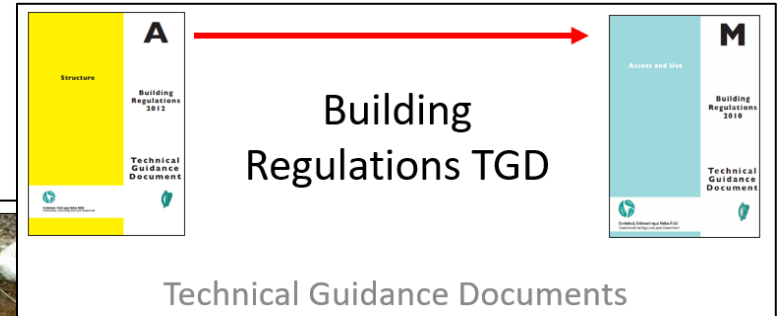
Assessment

- 100% CA Continuous Assessment.
 - 50% 6 Bi-weekly Blog Posts (400 words \pm 20%)
 1. Building Regulations,
 2. Building Materials,
 3. Paving,
 4. Foundations & Floors,
 5. Drainage,
 6. Brick/Block laying)
 - 50% Written assignment (2,000 words \pm 20%)
 - Hard Landscape Construction Case Study



Topics covered in Hard Landscape Construction

1. Building Regulations
2. Building Materials
3. Foundations
 - Concrete floors/slabs
4. Paving
5. Drainage
6. Brickwork
 - Blockwork
 - Surveying



Methods of Teaching and Learning

- Pre-recorded Lessons on the module resource webpage: <https://www.learning101.ie/landscapeconstruction.html>
 - View the **short videos** every other week in your own time and **fill out the worksheets** which should be used to help you **compose your bi-weekly blog post**.
 - **Feedback** and **assessment for learning** will be used, meaning you will have an opportunity to **resubmit and improve all of your blog posts** after you receive **feedback**.



Blogs

- Each blog post should be a personal summary of your own understanding of the topic. (**you must also comment on at least 1 other students blog post**)
- Tips
 1. Use images and screen shots
 2. Include references e.g. from the TGDs Technical Guidance Documents (Building Regulations)
 3. Try and keep the language simple but try and use the correct terminology
 4. Based on the feedback we give you please rectify/improve/update your blog posts to reflect this
 5. Ask as many questions as you want! Remember we are here to help.



Summary

1. Timetable – 12 weeks/ 1 hour/week
2. Assessment– Blog Posts X 6 & Case Study

3. Topics covered –



4. Teaching & Learning – Assessment for learning
5. Blogs – 6 X bi-weekly posts including comments on at least one other students blog post.

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