Energy - Waste



Energy extracted from waste can produce useful power and reduces landfill, which is good news for Scotland's economy and environment.

Scotland produces its fair share of waste each year. But we also produce our share of another valuable resource — trained and highly skilled staff. It's this resource that can help us turn our waste into energy.

SQA offer a wide range of relevant Waste Management qualifications all developed in association with the industry. Qualifications are awarded jointly in Scotland with the Waste Management IndustryTraining & Advisory Board (WAMITAB). WAMITAB award waste qualifications throughout the UK.

These vocational qualifications are ideal for people seeking entry or those already working in the waste industry who wish to improve their competence.



Energy - Waste Qualifications

Qualification Name

SVQ 2 Waste Operations: Waste Collection Driver

SVQ 2 Waste Operations: Waste Collection Operative

SVQ 2 Waste Operations: Waste Site Operative

SVQ 2 Waste Operations: Waste Team Leader

SVQ 2 Waste Operations: Waste Weighbridge Operative

SVQ 2 Frontline Environmental Services

SVQ 3 Waste Supervisory Management

Certificate in Principles of Sustainable Resource Management SCQF level 5

Certificate in Principles of Sustainable Resource Management SCQF level 6

Diploma in Waste Management Operations: Managing Physical and Chemical Treatment (Hazardous Waste)

Diploma in Waste Management Operations: Managing Physical and Chemical Treatment (Non-hazardous Waste)

Diploma in Waste Management Operations: Managing Transfer (Hazardous Waste)

Diploma in Waste Management Operations: Managing Transfer (Non-hazardous Waste)

HNC Wastes Management*

* The HNC is only offered by SQA and is not jointly awarded by WAMITAB.

