

MAURITIUS QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY

NATIONAL CERTIFICATE

LEVEL 3

IN

PAINTING

National Certificate Level 3 in Painting

1. Level: 3

2. Credits: 110

3. Review Date: June 2020

4. Access to qualification

4.1 Entry Information

National Certificate of Education [NCE]

4.2 Recognition of Prior Learning [RPL]

Potential candidates holding at least 3 years of working experience in the relevant field may access this qualification through Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) process.

5. Award of Qualification Requirements

Compulsory

All the unit standards listed are required:

Unit No	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credit
cn/02/0001/03	Reduce exposure to health and safety hazards in painting, decorating, and coating	2	5
cn/02/0002/03	Appreciate and use colour in paint finishing	2	6
cn/02/0003/03	Describe, select, use, and maintain paint rollers	2	8
cn/02/0004/03	Describe, select, use, and maintain paint brushes	2	8
cn/02/0005/03	Prepare building surfaces by water blasting and machine sanding	2	8
cn/02/0006/03	Apply surface coatings by conventional spray techniques	3	12
cn/02/0007/03	Apply liquid surface coating by airless spray techniques	3	8
cn/02/0008/03	Prepare for hanging wallpapers and friezes	3	3
cn/02/0009/03	Apply surface coatings to new and previously coated timber and reconstituted wood surfaces	3	11
cn/02/0010/03	Apply surface coatings to new and previously coated cement and plaster surfaces	3	9
cn/02/0011/03	Apply surface coatings to new and previously coated metal surfaces	3	6
cn/02/0012/03	Apply surface coatings to new and previously coated plastic surfaces	3	3

	Total		110
cn/02/0016/03	Handle and store paint materials	3	4
cn/02/0015/03	Identify various types of paints	3	3
cn/02/0014/03	Prepare building surfaces by burning off and using liquid strippers	3	8
cn/02/0013/03	Reglaze residential window and door frames	3	8

6. Purpose

This qualification is awarded to people who have demonstrated competence in Painting.

The qualification is designed to recognise the skills and knowledge required to competently carry out painting and decorating works in a safe and professional manner. Holders of the National Certificate level 3 in Painting will be able to work with a trade level of knowledge for painting. The qualification is intended to promote professional standards for the industry and to provide a means of recognising current competency and/or prior learning for those already working in the industry.