



Goal Level 2 National Certificate for Personal Licence Holders

Information for Candidates and Local Authorities

Why do I need a Personal Licence?

It is now a legal requirement for anyone authorising the sale of alcohol to hold a Personal Licence. This new legislation applies to the retail sale of alcohol in:

- Pubs
- Bars
- Restaurants
- Hotels
- Off-licences
- Supermarkets or convenience stores
- Sports and social clubs
- Nightclubs or discotheques
- Casinos
- Leisure parks
- Other premises from which alcohol is retailed

Under the previous legislation a licence was applied for and granted by the Magistrate's Court. Now, under the new legislation the local authority will grant a licence, and in order to obtain a licence, an individual must satisfy the following requirements:

- Be over the age of 18
- Have no criminal record (as prescribed)
- **Hold an accredited qualification**

What is the Goal Level 2 National Certificate for Personal Licence Holders?

The Goal Level 2 National Certificate for Personal Licence Holders has been specifically designed to meet the requirements of this new legislation.

- It is based upon a syllabus set down by the Department for Culture, Media and Sport (DCMS), which is the government responsible for licensing.
- It is accredited by the Qualifications and Curriculum Authority, which is the regulatory authority responsible for accrediting qualifications in England and Wales.



What does the qualification cover?

The Goal Level 2 Certificate for Personal Licence Holders consists of 2 mandatory units.

- Unit 1 – Licensing Law
- Unit 2 – Legal and Social Responsibilities of the Personal Licence Holder

These units follow the core syllabus laid down by the government.

Short syllabus

Unit 1 – Licensing Law

- Licensing authorities
- Personal licences
- Premises licences
- Operating schedules
- Permitted temporary activities
- Unauthorised licensable activities

Unit 2 – Legal and Social Responsibilities of the Personal Licence Holder

- Duties of the personal licence holder
- Disorderly conduct on licensed premises
- Alcohol
- Protection of children from harm
- Rights of entry

How long is the training course and how is the qualification assessed?

The core units 1 & 2 have been designed to be completed in a day, although it is recommended that candidates obtain a copy of the course handbook and reading list for self-study before attending a course.

Each unit of the course is assessed by a 30 question multiple-choice test. The test result is graded as either pass or fail.



Where can I take the course and what will it cost?

The Goal Level 2 Certificate for Personal Licence Holders is offered by Learning Curve at a cost of £130 + VAT per delegate.

Why choose the Goal Level 2 certificate for Personal Licence Holders?

- A legal requirement for Personal Licence applicants
- A *must* for existing licensees wanting to update their knowledge
- Available as a one-day training course
- Easy to follow learning materials
- Available at a venue near you from Learning Curve.

For further information regarding this qualification, please phone

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