

What you need to bring
Landscape Tools Multi-tool

Equipment required –

NOTE: Each learner must have their own set of equipment/PPE.

Safety Equipment (PPE)

Safety helmet incorporating ear defenders and mesh visor / Perspex face shield

Safety Glasses/Goggles to EN166 Standard

Respirator to EN166-B standard

Well-fitting durable work gloves, suitable for outdoor activities

Heavy duty or padded work trousers

(No loose-fitting clothing with arms and legs covered)

Work boots with protective toecap and good ankle support

Personal First Aid Kit

Machines

(Machine:Learner – 1:1 optimum / 1:2 acceptable)

Battery operated or petrol fuelled **trimmer** for grass cutting, defined by the manufacturer as a machine that can operate with both a trimmer head and a cutting blade, with the following safety features:

- Safety guard
- Safety sticker
- Working on/off switch
- Working throttle interlock
- Anti-vibration system
- Manufacturer's operator's manual
- Harness attachment point
- Directional exhaust
- Harness appropriate for the machine
- Nylon trimmer head and appropriate guard as defined by the manufacturer
- Spare nylon filament appropriate for the nylon trimmer head as above
- Steel cutting blade and appropriate guard, plus any additional accessories such as fixings
- Fuel and lubricant as appropriate for 2-stroke/4-stroke/4-mix equipment
- Maintenance equipment for engine and blade

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Battery operated or petrol fuelled **handheld hedge trimmer or combi tool**, to include the following safety features:

- Directional exhaust
- Vibration mount
- Throttle interlock
- Working on/off switch
- Hand guard
- Safety stickers
- Manufacturer's operator's manual
- Hand guard
- Cutter guard
- Fuel and lubricants appropriate for the equipment
- Harness if appropriate for the machine (long-reach, combi tool)

Battery operated or petrol fuelled **leaf blower or vacuum**, to include the following safety features:

- Directional exhaust
- Vibration mount
- Working on/off switch
- Hand guard
- Safety stickers
- Manufacturer's operator's manual

Tool kit supplied with the machine or equivalent, which may include:

- Allan key
- Screwdriver
- Spark plug spanner
- Paint brush
- Feeler gauges
- Spark plug cleaning brush, etc.
- Blade sharpening equipment
- Blade spanner
- Blade locking pin
- Gear box lubrication grease as appropriate
- Flat file
- Blade balancer/measuring tool
- Clamp or blade securing device for filing, etc.
- Work gloves for maintenance

Other

- Notebook and pencil

Please Note: Instructors will not undertake training where trainees do not have the appropriate protective equipment and maintenance tools. All machines must be in good condition with all safety features in place and functioning.