

Wales Route 3: Self Funded



BEFORE YOU START

- 1) Some qualifications* will assist your learning but (in isolation) are not an essential part of your journey to becoming a fully qualified electrician. It's better to complete these once you are practising as you'll need a base level of existing knowledge and experience. *Such as Inspection and Testing, BS7671 Wiring Regulations, Building Regulations, Electric Vehicle Charging.
- 2) Consider carefully if you want to follow this route without some form of work experience - it's ideal to have practical workplace experience at the same time you are studying.



TECHNICAL QUALIFICATION

Level 2 Diploma in Electrical Installations - from City & Guilds or EAL. †



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If you gain employment during your studies - see Route 1 for Apprenticeship Training. Any qualification units achieved will be accredited to the apprenticeship to reduce the duration.



IF YOU WANT TO PROGRESS AND TRAIN ANY FURTHER YOU'LL NEED TO BE WORKING IN THE INDUSTRY IN ORDER TO BECOME A QUALIFIED ELECTRICIAN.



NVQ

Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Installing Electrotechnical Systems and Equipment (Buildings, Structures and the Environment) - from City & Guilds or EAL.

You'll be assessed on both your knowledge and performance.



ASSESSMENT OF COMPETENCE

To achieve your qualification you'll need to take the industry assessment of competence, the AM2, which tests everything you've learnt during your training.



QUALIFIED ELECTRICIAN

Once you've passed your AM2 your training is complete and you'll be a qualified electrician.

† Level 2 and Level 3 are sometimes offered as a combined package by training providers but they will be certified separately.