



# BRITSAFE LEVEL 2

## AWARD IN OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH IN THE WIND ENERGY SECTOR

**115/5335/2**



# Introduction:

The Britsafe Level 2 Award in Occupational Safety and Health in the Wind Energy Sector is a specialised qualification designed to equip technicians, supervisors, and operational personnel with essential knowledge of sector-specific safety protocols, hazard controls, and regulatory expectations in wind turbine environments. As the global demand for renewable energy intensifies, the wind industry presents unique risks related to working at height, confined space access, electrical systems, and remote site operations. This course provides practical, regulation-aligned training grounded in current best practices and international safety benchmarks relevant to onshore and offshore installations. Participants will develop a solid understanding of risk identification, emergency preparedness, and control strategies tailored to the wind energy context, supporting employer compliance with occupational safety legislation while enhancing individual preparedness for high-hazard work conditions. This qualification is particularly suited to workers entering or currently employed in the wind energy industry who are responsible for safe task execution, incident prevention, and contributing to a culture of safety excellence in renewable energy projects.

## Qualification Regulation and Support:

The Britsafe Level 2 Award in Occupational Safety and Health in the Wind Energy Sector has been developed to meet the training and regulatory demands of safety-critical roles in the renewable energy industry. The qualification is quality-assured, maintained, and awarded by Britsafe™ Qualifications UK Limited in alignment with sector expectations for workforce competence and regulatory compliance.

## Key facts:

<b>Qualification Number:</b>	<b>115/5335/2</b>
<b>Minimum Contact Hours:</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Guided Learning Hours:</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Credit Value:</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Credential Status:</b>	<b>Award</b>
<b>Assessment Method:</b>	<b>Multiple-choice examination</b>



## Qualification Overview and Objective:

The Britsafe Level 2 Award in Occupational Safety and Health in the Wind Energy Sector is designed for individuals working in the wind energy sector. Participants acquire knowledge and skills specific to occupational safety and health in wind energy operations, hazard assessment, and emergency response. This qualification ensures compliance with legal requirements, contributing to a safer working environment in the wind energy industry.

The objective of the qualification is to:

- Understand the specific occupational safety and health considerations in the wind energy sector.
- Identify and assess hazards and risks associated with wind energy activities.
- Learn effective strategies for promoting safe practices in wind energy operations.
- Gain knowledge of emergency response and evacuation procedures in the wind energy sector.
- Demonstrate compliance with legal requirements for occupational safety and health in the wind energy sector.

## Entry Requirements:

To register for this qualification, learners are required to meet the following entry requirements:

- Must be aged 16 and over
- Participants should have a basic understanding of the English language to effectively engage with course materials and assessments.
- This course is open to individuals of all backgrounds and experience levels who have an interest in workplace health and safety.

## Geographical Coverage:

This qualification is suitable for delivery in England, Northern Ireland, Wales and can be offered internationally.

## Delivery/Assessment Ratios:

To effectively deliver this qualification, centres are recommended not to exceed the ratio of 1 Qualified Tutor to 12 Learners in any one instance. If centres wish to increase the recommended ratio, they must first inform your dedicated Britsafe™ accounts manager before doing so.

## Centre Requirements:

To effectively deliver this qualification, centres should have the following resources in place:

- Classroom with suitable seating and desks; and
- High-quality teaching and learning resources.

## Guidance on Delivery:

The total qualification time (TQT) for this qualification is 8-hours and of this 8-hours is recommended as guided learning (GL). TQT is an estimate of the total number of hours it would take an average learner to achieve and demonstrate the necessary level of attainment to be awarded with a qualification, both under direct supervision (forming Guided Learning Hours) and without supervision (all other time). TQT and GLH values are advisory and assigned to a qualification as guidance.





## Guidance on Assessment:

This qualification is assessed through a multiple-choice question exam.

- Centre's must take all reasonable steps to avoid any part of the assessment of a learner (including any internal quality assurance and invigilation) being undertaken by any person who has a personal interest in the result of the assessment.
- Centres must follow Britsafe™ Examination and Invigilation Procedures. Completed examination papers are to be returned to Britsafe™ for marking or If in case of online examination; records shall be updated on EMS portal accordingly.

## Guidance on Quality Assurance:

Britsafe™ requires centres to have in place a robust mechanism for internal quality assurance. Britsafe™ will support centres by conducting ongoing engagements to ensure and verify the effective and efficient delivery, quality assurance and invigilation of the qualification.

## Tutor Requirements:

Britsafe™ recommends nominated tutors for this qualification meet the following requirements:

- A relevant health and safety qualification at Level 3 or higher,
- Membership of a professional body (e.g., IOSH, IIRSM) is desirable.
- Hold a relevant subject area qualification/or be occupationally competent.
- Hold a recognized teaching/training qualification (or suitable equivalent).
- Level 3 Award in Education and Training (AET) or Train The Trainer.





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