



BRITSAFE LEVEL 2

AWARD IN WIND TURBINE SAFETY RULES

115/5334/2



Introduction:

The Britsafe Level 2 Award in Wind Turbine Safety Rules is a specialized qualification designed to equip personnel with the critical safety knowledge and procedural discipline required for safe work on or around wind turbines. With the global expansion of renewable energy infrastructure, wind turbine environments pose unique risks ranging from high-altitude mechanical hazards to confined electrical systems that demand precise safety protocols and rule-based access control. This qualification provides a structured understanding of turbine-specific safety rules, lockout/tagout procedures, emergency protocols, and control of hazardous energy, ensuring alignment with international standards for wind energy operations. Intended for technicians, supervisors, and contractors working in onshore or offshore wind installations, the course supports duty holders in meeting employer obligations under health and safety legislation while enhancing worker confidence in high-risk turbine environments. Its practical and regulatory relevance makes it an essential credential for anyone involved in wind turbine commissioning, inspection, maintenance, or decommissioning.

Qualification Regulation and Support:

The Britsafe Level 2 Award in Wind Turbine Safety Rules has been developed and is awarded by Britsafe™ Qualifications UK Limited, an independent awarding organisation committed to advancing technical safety competence in high-risk energy sectors. The qualification structure is aligned with national occupational standards and supported by a quality-assured framework that includes curriculum governance, assessment moderation, and regulatory oversight. Britsafe™ ensures that the qualification remains current with industry best practices, legislative requirements, and safety rule revisions specific to wind turbine operations.

Key facts:

Qualification Number:	115/5334/2
Minimum Contact Hours:	8
Guided Learning Hours:	8
Credit Value:	1
Credential Status:	Award
Assessment Method:	Multiple-choice examination



Qualification Overview and Objective:

The Britsafe Level 2 Award in Wind Turbine Safety Rules is a sector-specific qualification tailored for personnel engaged in wind turbine installation, operation, or maintenance activities. It equips learners with a clear understanding of safety protocols, turbine-specific hazard controls, and structured emergency procedures essential for work at height and within confined turbine structures. The objective of the qualification is to support regulatory compliance, reduce operational risks, and ensure that workers demonstrate safety-critical competence in accordance with industry-aligned wind turbine safety rules.

The objective of the qualification is to:

- Understand the specific safety rules and considerations for wind turbine operations.
- Identify and assess hazards and risks associated with wind turbine activities.
- Learn effective strategies for safe working in and around wind turbines.
- Gain knowledge of emergency response and evacuation procedures in wind turbine environments.
- Demonstrate compliance with legal requirements for wind turbine safety.

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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