

Course Overview

A33 Agricultural Tractor

Number of Candidates: 1 – 4

Course Duration: 2 days

Course Outcome: CPCS Red Card

Introduction

This course is designed for plant operatives who have a minimum of 12 months on-site experience operating an agricultural tractor.

Aims & Objectives

To provide the candidate with the knowledge and skills that will enable them to pass both the elements of the CPCS Technical Tests

Course Delivery

This course will consist of practical hands-on training as well as classroom-based training to prepare candidates for the theory test. All candidates are provided with the questions and are encouraged to read this prior to attending the centre

Location

All course take place at ITS PLANT TECH

Certification

Successful candidates will achieve a Red CPCS Trained Operator Card valid for two years. During this two-year period candidates will need to achieve the relevant plant NVQ that will enable them to upgrade their Red Card to a Blue CPCS Competent Operator Card.

Candidate Eligibility/Entry Requirements

It is important that all candidates have a good understanding of spoken and written English and have the operating experience of the machine. Candidates must have a passed the CSCS H&S test touch screen within two years of taking the CPCS technical test.

Additional Information

Candidates should bring appropriate PPE and Photo ID



COURSE PROGRAMME

Day 1:

- **Assessment of the operative's individual capabilities and thorough briefing on the theory questions.**
- **Overview and explanation of the CPCS Technical Test**
- **Provide knowledge of:**
 - **The roles and responsibilities of a plant operator**
 - **Relevant legislation, regulations and approved codes of practice**
 - **The purpose of the main components, controls and terminology**
 - **The manufacturer's requirements as described in the operator's handbook and other sources of information**
 - **Performing pre-use checks**
 - **Prepare and position tractor for work**
 - **Use different attachments**
 - **Attach 3-point linkage**
 - **Leave all implements, trailers and components safe and secure.**
 - **Park tractor and carry out shutdown and securing procedures**
 - **Loading and unloading practice for plant transportation**

Day 2:

- **CPCS Theory & Practical Technical Tests**

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