

FDQ - Qualification Purpose and Structure

FDQ number	Qualification title	Qualification approval number (QN)	EQF Level	Review date
231-212	FDQ Level 3 Award in Health and Safety in the Food Supply Chain Business	601/2954/2	4	31-Dec-21

Purpose overview

This qualification is designed to develop advanced level knowledge and recognise achievement in health and safety for learners who are working in, or preparing to work in food manufacturing or in a food supply chain roles. It is ideal for those with technical responsibilities in the workplace, team leaders and supervisors. It has been designed to cover all aspects of the food supply chain industry.

The qualification is a nationally regulated qualification and is assessed by a multiple-choice examination, externally set and internally or externally marked.

Ofqual purpose – E.3 Develop knowledge and/or skills relevant to a particular specialisation within an occupation or set of occupations.

Learners do not require any prior qualifications or experience to take this qualification.

Rules of Combination (RoC)

	Award
Total credits required for qualification	3
Group A – mandatory units	3 credits
Guided Learning Hours Range (min-max)	26 hours
Total Qualification Time	29 hours

Assessment

Assessment of this qualification is permitted either by portfolio or by multiple-choice examination. This qualification is an Award requiring achievement of 3 credits, graded at pass/fail. Multiple-choice examinations are provided by FDQ or approved by FDQ. Reasonable adjustments apply that allow learner support for oral or other assessment adjustment arrangements. Examinations are centre marked and internally quality assured.

FDQ externally quality assures all centre assessment and internal quality assurance quality and arrangements.

List of units

Unit ref	Unit type	Unit title	Level	Credit	GLH
Group A Mandatory units					
F/506/1464	UK	Principles of health and safety in a food supply chain business	3	3	26

Further Information

Further information can be obtained from our website at: <http://www.fdq.org.uk/our-qualifications/technical/food-safety/>

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