



## **WORKING IN TRAVEL CERTIFICATE @LEVEL THREE**

### ***Is this the right course for me?***

This course is for anyone interested in a career in the Travel and Tourism industry. It is a vocational qualification designed to offer you a choice of routes into further and higher education and employment.

### ***What will I need to join the course?***

The course requires commitment and an ability to deal effectively with people. Students commencing this course from school should have a minimum of 3 – 4 academic GCSEs at grades A\* - C. Students progressing from the Level 2 qualification must have achieved a minimum grade of 'merit' or 'distinction' in at least 50% of their units. All students will need to possess an enthusiasm and interest for all aspects of travel and allied subjects.

### ***What will I be doing?***

#### **Certificate in Travel and Tourism:**

The units you will be studying are:

- Worldwide Travel & Tourism Destinations
- Special Interest and Independent Travel
- Ireland Tourism
- England Tourism
- Wales Tourism
- Scotland Tourism
- Holiday Park Hosts
- Air fares – Level 2
- NCFE Level 2 Certificate in Resort Representatives
- NCFE Level 2 Certificate in Event Planning
- Tutorials

#### **\*Please note that these subject lists may change**

Whilst studying this course it is expected that you will be accompanied on a day visit to a European destination. This is subject to availability, feasibility and costs involved.

#### ***How long will the course last and what patterns of attendance are available?***

One year, attendance may be required for up to 4 days a week at Lowestoft College.

#### ***How will my progress on the course be assessed?***

The course is assessed by a range of methods including projects, presentations, case studies and coursework. There will also be external multiple choice tests and a separate Air Fares exam.

#### ***What will I achieve?***

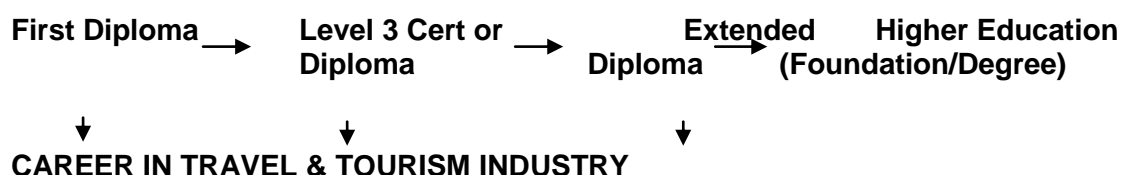
Students will receive a City and Guilds Certificate in Travel and Tourism plus the NCFE and Air Fares' certificates. Some units may also be certificated independently.

**What will it cost?**

All costs will be discussed at interview. Students under 19 do not pay tuition or exam fees.

**And the future?**

Your avenues of progression are as follows:



Students wishing to progress from the Level 3 Certificate to the Level 3 Diploma must have demonstrated a commitment to their studies, a positive work ethic and merits/distinctions in their coursework.

**Career Opportunities include:** Transport Operators, Tour Operators, Airports, Travel Agents, Business Travel Agents, Theme Parks, Ferry Services, Tourism Information Centres, Hotels and Call Centres.

**What should I do now?**

If you wish to be interviewed for a place on this course please complete an application form and return it to **Reception**.

If you have any queries please ring the Travel Dept direct on (01502) 525104 or **Student Services** on freephone 0800 854 695 which is open from 9am to 4pm Monday to Friday.

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## **WORKING IN TRAVEL DIPLOMA /EXTENDED DIPLOMA @LEVEL 3**

### ***Is this the right course for me?***

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### ***What will I need to join the course?***

The course requires an ability to deal effectively with people and a commitment to this area of work. In addition, the course requires 5 GCSEs in individual subjects at Grade C or above including English Language, a positive tutor statement and successful completion of an entry test.

### ***What will I be doing?***

#### **Extended National Diploma in Travel and Tourism (after two years)**

##### **Year One Diploma**

Worldwide Travel and Tourism Destinations  
Cruising  
Promotions and Sales  
Special Interest and Independent Travel  
Legislation  
Foreign Exchange  
Overseas Resort Operations  
Developing People  
Farm and Rural Tourism  
Holiday Park Hosts  
Air Fares - Level 2  
Tutorials

##### **Year Two Extended Diploma**

Delivering Guided Tours  
Conferences and Events  
Global Distribution Systems  
Overseas Reps  
Adventure Tourism  
Ireland Tourism  
England Tourism  
Wales Tourism  
Scotland Tourism  
Tour Operator Products & Services  
UK Tourism  
Tutorials

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**N.B. Whilst studying either of these courses it is expected that you will be accompanied on an overnight visit to a European destination. This is subject to availability, feasibility and costs involved.**

**How long will the course last and what patterns of attendance are available?**

Two years, attendance may be required for up to 4 days a week at Lowestoft College.

**How will my progress on the course be assessed?**

The course is assessed by a range of methods including reports, presentations, case studies, role plays and on-line tests. Students will complete a portfolio of work.

**What will I achieve?**

Students will receive a City and Guilds Extended National Diploma in Travel and Tourism for 2 years study or a National Diploma for 1 years study. Each individual unit may also be certificated independently.

**What will it cost?**

All costs will be discussed at interview. Students under 19 do not pay tuition or exam fees.

**And the future?**

The National Diploma in Travel and Tourism is part of a nationwide structure of vocational qualifications. Your avenues of progression are as follows:



Career Opportunities include: Transport Operators, Tour Operators, Airports, Travel Agents, Business Travel Agents, Theme Parks, Ferry Services, Tourist Information Centres, Hotels and Call Centres.

**What should I do now?**

If you wish to be interviewed for a place on this course please complete an application form and return it to Student Services.

If you have any queries please ring the Travel Dept direct on (01502) 525104 or **Student Services** on freephone 0800 854 695 which is open from 8.30 am to 5.00 pm Monday to Thursday and 8.30 am to 4.30 pm Friday.

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