

**VENUE AND DURATION OF COURSE:**

John Ruskin College, Selsdon Park Road, South Croydon, CR2 8JJ, 1 year full-time.

**ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:**

4 GCSE grade 9-2 (A\*-E) that includes English & Maths.

**WHAT QUALIFICATIONS WILL I GET?**

Plumbing Studies City & Guilds Level 1 Diploma.

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

If you are interested in a career in the plumbing industry, then this is the entry course for you. You will learn the basic skills required for the industry, health and safety, and work as part of a team, whilst working in a fully equipped and realistic workshop. This course is a combination of practical work and theory.

**UNITS/TOPICS COVERED:**

- Health & safety in the plumbing industry
- Understanding the structure of the industry
- Basic pipe bending
- Soldering skills

**TYPE OF ASSESSMENT:**

Online tests and a portfolio of evidence.

**EQUIPMENT NEEDED:**

All students will be required to wear college uniform. Steel toe capped boots must be worn at all time when in the workshops.

**WHERE CAN IT LEAD?**

Plumbing Level 2 Diploma, NVQ or an Apprenticeship.

**COURSE FEE:**

If you are under 19 on 31/08/2025, tuition is free. If you are 19 or over, please consult Client Services for advice and guidance on funding and eligibility.

You will need to purchase uniform items such as polo shirt, trousers and other personal protection equipment (PPE). Please be aware that there may be additional costs for equipment and educational visits. This information will be available from the curriculum staff at interview.

**WHAT TO DO NEXT:**

If you have any outstanding queries please contact our Client Services team on 020 8651 1131 or at [clientservices@johnruskin.ac.uk](mailto:clientservices@johnruskin.ac.uk). To apply online for this course please visit [www.johnruskin.ac.uk](http://www.johnruskin.ac.uk).

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