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CITB Apprenticeship Grants

CITB registered employers claim every 13 weeks for the apprenticeship grant.

- £2,500 per year for attendance whilst completing the apprenticeship, up to a maximum duration defined within each apprenticeship.
- £3,500 on achievement of the Apprenticeship Standard

Web link: [Apprenticeship grants - CITB](#)



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Travel to train

We reimburse 80% of accommodation costs for apprentices who attend colleges or training providers where overnight stays and travel to/from a hotel are required.

You can also apply for apprentice travel expenses where the cost exceeds £20 per week.

Web link: [Apprenticeship travel and accommodation funding - Travel to Train | CITB – CITB](#)

The New Entrant Support (NEST)

This hands-on, free support covers areas such as recruitment, help with the paperwork, accessing grants and funding, and ongoing mentoring throughout the apprenticeship.

Web link: [How to Find & Recruit an Apprentice - CITB](#)

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Into Work Grant

The Into Work Grant supports employers to provide the work experience (WEX) element of post-16 courses:

- T-levels in construction
- Level 2 and 3 construction diplomas
- Construction Traineeships (must be an approved ESFA provider)

There are two parts to the grant:

- 1) £500 work experience grant paid on **completion** of work experience.
- 2) £1,000 employment grant paid following three-months **completed direct employment**, for the individual that completed the work experience and has obtained the qualification.

Web link: [Into Work grant - CITB](#)

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CAREERS EDUCATION



Go Construct

Go Construct provides resources for anyone looking for a career in the construction and built environment sector. We showcase the many rewarding opportunities available and help people from all backgrounds to enter an exciting and growing industry which has a huge impact on the UK's housing, industry, and infrastructure.

In addition to our online resources, Go Construct also reaches out to people seeking opportunities by attending careers events, engaging with the press, and supporting construction ambassadors.

Web link: [Construction Is A Career Like No Other | Go Construct](#)



CAREERS EDUCATION



Go Construct STEM Ambassadors

Go Construct STEM Ambassadors are construction professionals who act as the face of the industry for young people.

Ambassadors often provide the first introduction to the construction industry for young people, delivering a life-changing impact on their future career decisions.

Ambassadors engage with young people across the UK, from schools and workplaces to careers fairs and events, sharing the fantastic opportunities available in the industry.

Web link: [Looking to become a Go Construct STEM Ambassador? | Go Construct](#)



CAREERS EDUCATION

Talent View



Talentview
CONSTRUCTION

For Individuals

coming new into the construction industry

- ✓ Find work experience, traineeships, apprenticeships and your first role in construction
- ✓ Research great employers and what they can offer you
- ✓ Build your profile so local employers can spot you more easily
- ✓ Sign up to alerts for jobs and training opportunities where you want to train or work

For Employers

looking for new talent

- ✓ Showcase your business to talented new recruits
- ✓ Promote your training, apprenticeship and first job vacancies
- ✓ Search for suitable local candidates
- ✓ Make contact with schools, colleges and training providers

For Colleges and Universities

looking to help students get employment in construction

- ✓ Signpost your students to useful careers information and opportunities
- ✓ Connect students with employers looking for new talent

Web link: [Kickstart your Construction Career | Talentview Construction](#)

CITB FUNDING



The Industry Impact Fund is aimed at construction employers looking to make a positive difference to the construction industry by developing solutions to key challenges faced by the workforce across the UK.

- Up to £500,000 of funding per proposal
- Digital Skills
- Trainers/ Assessors
- Net Zero
- Retention
- EDI
- Productivity

Further info on the fund: [Industry Impact Fund](#)

CITB FUNDING



Grants

- **Short Duration qualification Grants**

Web link: [Short qualifications we pay grant for – CITB](#)

- **Short Duration Course Grants**

Web link: [Short course grants – CITB](#)

- **Skills & Training Fund**

Web link: [Skills and Training fund - CITB](#)

- **Long Duration Qualification Grants**

Web link: [Long qualification grant - CITB](#)

STRATEGY & RESEARCH



- **Building Skills for Net Zero**

Building Skills for Net Zero' has used the Climate Change Committee's data to define a skills routemap for the UK construction industry, which identifies the roles and expertise teams need to meet the requirements for the UK, Wales and Scotland.

Web link: [Building Skills for Net Zero – CITB](#)

- **CSN Industry Outlook - 2023-2027**

The report provides insights into the UK construction economy and its future labour needs. The data it produces highlights forecasted trends and how the industry is expected to change year-on-year, allowing governments and businesses to understand the current climate and plan for the future.

Web link: [CSN Industry Outlook - 2023-2027 – CITB](#)

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- **Careers in Construction 2024**

This latest Careers in Construction research draws information from a large number and wide range of stakeholders. It gives us key insights into how we can improve construction careers advice, and tracks attitudes, attraction, and awareness of the construction industry as well as perceptions about entry and access to the sector.

Web link: [Careers in Construction 2024 – CITB](#)

- **CITB Business Plan 2024-25**

. CITB's business plan focuses on tackling three key priority areas:

1. Inform and enable diverse and skilled people into construction.
2. Develop a training and skills system to meet current and future needs.
3. Support the industry to train and develop its workforce.

Web link: [Business Plan \(What We Do\) - CITB](#)



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