

## BPEC Domestic Gas Foundation Certificate

### Course Overview

BPEC Gas Foundation is a bespoke service and maintenance training programme. The engineer at the end of this training will be suitably skilled to undertake a Core Gas Safety Assessment (separate course). Installation skills will be gained during training but the substantive skills will be learned onsite with a Gas Safe operative (provided by learner). This is a full cost course. There is no fee remission available and you cannot apply for an advanced learner loan to pay for your fees.

### What you will learn

General gas safety training and practical training, covering the installation and maintenance of boilers, cookers, fires and water heaters. A period of on-the-job training is required to enable progression to ACS assessments in order to become Gas Safe registered. Undertaking a work placement (with a Gas Safe registered operative) is an essential part of the course. This ensures that that onsite learning is built into a portfolio, coupled with in college training to enable the learner a Core Gas Safety assessment (separate course) and become Gas safe Registered.

### Entry Requirements

This programme is for adult learners, the awarding organisation BPEC (British Plumbing Employers Council) has a mandatory requirement of working alongside a qualified and registered Gas Engineer. Learners will also need to be able to study at L2/3 due to the technical discipline of the course. Being able to read and digest technical texts is a key part of the learning programme.

### How you will be assessed

Units will be assessed by the tutor and there is a final assessment paper and practical assessment.

### Course Progression

ACS CCN1 and appliance assessments. You will be registered as a Gas Safe operative. Domestic gas installation, maintenance or repair. Possible progression could also be to liquid petroleum gas or commercial and industrial gas engineer. Self employment is a route many learners who complete the qualification take or employment within the Gas industry.

### What Happens Next

Apply online via the College website. You will be contacted to attend an interview if required, or you will be sent a conditional offer according to the entry requirements for the course. You will then be invited in to enrol for your chosen course of study. For enrol and pay courses: Once you have decided to take the course, you need to fill in a short learner details form online and pay the course fee. Once you have done this, you will receive an electronic confirmation of enrolment and payment.

### Course Details

<b>Course Code</b>	P00245
<b>Start Date</b>	09/09/2025
<b>Study Hours</b>	Part Time
<b>Duration</b>	1 year
<b>Campus</b>	Freemen's Park Campus
<b>Level</b>	2

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