

RHS Level 2 in Horticulture



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Subject	Level	Study Mode	Duration	Start Date
Horticulture	Level 2	Part-Time	1 year	September 2026

Practical vs Theory



The Course

This practical qualification will equip you with essential, hands-on skills. It's perfect for anyone wanting to start a professional horticulture career or develop a personal interest.

Course Aims

> To develop your knowledge, skills and behaviours required for employment and future career progression within the industry.

What You Will Study

- > Soil testing
- > Sowing seeds and vegetative propagation techniques
- > Practical skills in ground preparation for seeding and planting
- > Practical skills in establishing seeds and plants in soil
- > Care and pruning of plants
- > Identification of a range of common garden plants, weeds, pests, diseases and disorders

Entry Requirements

No formal qualifications are required.

Time Required on Campus

You will normally be in college one day a week, on a Monday.

Clothing, Equipment and Additional Costs

- > Steel toe capped boots
- > Gloves
- > Waterproof jacket

Progression

You will be able to progress to study a Level 3 RHS qualification.