



Procurement and Supply Chain Practitioner - Level 4 Apprenticeship

This apprenticeship is a valuable opportunity for those who want to develop their skills and knowledge in the field of procurement and supply chain management. By completing this apprenticeship, you will gain an internationally recognised qualification that will enhance your career prospects and professional credibility. You will also learn from experienced mentors and trainers, and apply your learning to real-world scenarios and projects.

Included in the programme:

- CIPS Level 4 Diploma in Procurement and Supply
- 13 apprenticeship duties (KSB)
- Functional Skills English and Maths Level 2 (if not exempt)

WHO IS IT FOR?

This course is for:

- Procurement professionals with more than 2 years' experience
- Individuals seeking a globally recognised qualification
- Individuals working in procurement, supply chain, accounts or finance

PROGRESSION

Apprentices who complete the Level 4 programme will aim to gain promotion to senior roles including a Senior Buyer, a Category Manager, a Procurement Manager or a Contract Manager.

END POINT ASSESSMENT

- Structured interview - lasting 60mins
- CaseStudy test - CIPS unit L4M8 3 hrs 4 essay style question
- Presentation and questioning - 20 mins presentation + 25 mins questioning covering the portfolio/KSBs

NEXT STEPS

Next step may include:

- Level 5 Advanced Diploma in Procurement and Supply leads to Procurement, Operations and Supply Chain Manager roles
- Level 6 Professional Diploma in Procurement and Supply leads to Chief Procurement Office, Head of procurement, Procurement Director

KEY EMPLOYERS

- Camden Council
- Tower Hamlet
- Guy's & St. Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust
- CBR

FUTURE OPPORTUNITIES

The Commercial Procurement & Supply Level 4 apprenticeship will help learners achieve their goal of becoming competent and confident

procurement professionals. They will gain the skills and knowledge to manage the procurement process, negotiate contracts, assess risks, and ensure compliance with legal and ethical standards.