

Title	Demonstrate and apply knowledge of safe working practices and use PPE during the construction of a BCATS project		
Level	1	Credits	2

Purpose	<p>This unit standard has been designed to be achieved in a building, construction and allied trades skills (BCATS) programme.</p> <p>People credited with this unit standard are able to: demonstrate and apply knowledge of safe working practices for the construction of a BCATS project; and select, maintain, and use personal protective equipment (PPE) during the construction of a BCATS project.</p>
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Classification	Construction Trades > Building, Construction, and Allied Trades Skills
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

1 Definitions

BCATS environment refers to any workplace or context where work or activities related to the building, construction and allied trades sector take place, such as school workshops, training establishments, outdoor areas and industry placement workplaces.

BCATS project refers to a project undertaken in a highly structured BCATS environment, using a range of tools, equipment and materials, and involving basic skills.

Specifications refers to documented instructions (oral, written, graphic) and may include any of the following: manufacturers' specifications, recommendations or technical data sheets; material specifications; specifications from a specialist source such as an architect, designer, engineer or a supervisor; site or work specific requirements.

Workplace practice refers to the procedures specific to a BCATS environment, which cover the standard and required practices of that environment.

2 Assessment against this unit standard may occur in any BCATS environment.

3 Information supporting assessment decisions should, wherever possible, be collected naturally as the BCATS project progresses.

4 Legislation relevant to this unit standard includes:
 Health and Safety at Work Act 2015;
 Health and Safety at Work Regulations 2016.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Demonstrate and apply knowledge of safe working practices for the construction of a BCATS project.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Job specifications are obtained and verified with the supervisor in accordance with workplace practice.
- 1.2 Hazards associated with the job are identified and controls are described in accordance with workplace practice.
- 1.3 All activities are carried out safely and in accordance with workplace practice.

Outcome 2

Select, maintain and use personal protective equipment (PPE) during the construction of a BCATS project.

Performance criteria

- 2.1 PPE required for the project is selected and used in accordance with workplace practice.
- 2.2 All items of PPE appropriate to the project are selected and used in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and workplace practice.
- 2.3 PPE is cared for in accordance with manufacturers' instructions and workplace practice.

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Comments on this unit standard

Please contact the Building and Construction Industry Training Organisation national.office@bcito.org.nz if you wish to suggest changes to the content of this unit standard.