

Electrotechnical Technologies

Summer Project

Summer Assignment: Preparing for Your Construction Course

Objective:

To understand the importance of workplace behaviours, safety clothing, and teamwork in the UK construction industry.

Tasks:

1. Research and Reflect:

- Investigate the role of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) in construction. Identify the standard PPE items required on UK construction sites and their purposes.
- Explore the significance of appropriate workwear during summer months, focusing on comfort and safety.
- Examine the impact of mobile phone usage on construction sites. Discuss why limiting phone use is crucial for safety and productivity.
- Understand the importance of teamwork and effective communication in maintaining a safe work environment.

2. Written Report:

- Summarise your findings in a concise report (approximately 500 words).
- Highlight key points on PPE, summer workwear, mobile phone policies, and teamwork.
- Reflect on how these elements contribute to safety and efficiency on construction sites.

3. Presentation:

- Prepare a short presentation (5–7 minutes) based on your report.
 - Use visual aids (e.g., slides, posters) to illustrate your points.
 - Be ready to present this to your peers during the first week of the course.
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Submission Details:

- Submit your written report by **27/08/2025**.
 - Presentations will be scheduled during the first week of the term.
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Additional Resources:

- [CITB – Behavioural Safety Management](#)
 - [Hollands Workwear – Summer Construction Clothing](#)
 - [GOV.UK – Communication and Teamwork](#)[CITB](#)[Hollands Workwear](#)[GOV.UK](#)
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Note:

This assignment aims to prepare you for the practical and behavioural expectations in the construction industry. Understanding these aspects is crucial for your safety and success in your upcoming course and future career.