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INTRODUCTION TO THE CHARTERED INSTITUTE OF LOGISTICS & TRANSPORT CILT (UK) LEVEL 3 PRACTITIONERS CERTIFICATE IN LOGISTICS, SUPPLY CHAIN AND OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT

- **Who is this course suitable for?**

The qualification is designed for those new to the profession as well as those seeking to build on existing knowledge applicable to the dynamic and fast changing global logistics and supply chain management environments.

- **What can I expect to learn?**

The qualification is designed to develop knowledge of the core knowledge and competencies essential to operations along the supply chain; recognizing the impact of managing organizational goals and resources within the context of logistics, supply chain and operations management. Overview of the subjects covered include:

- The impact of local and global supply chains on organisational success
- Internal & external factors affecting business strategy and operations
- Available tools and methods for the implementation of supply chain strategy & the measurement of outcomes
- Managing cross functional teams across organisations and supply chains
- Maintaining and improving quality in the supply chain
- Budgets and their importance to organisational success
- Sustainable practice across supply chains
- Managing inventory across the supply chain
- Data management, presentation and security
- The meaning of 'Value' and 'Resilience' along the supply chain
- Technology advances and their impact on supply chain management
- Logistics and its impact on supply chain operations and effectiveness
- Considerations for forming logistics strategy
- Risks & benefits of outsourcing logistics services
- Principles of logistics management
- Inventory categories and impacts on supply chain operations

- **How long is the course?**

The course syllabus requires 13 class-based lessons typically lasting 5.5 hours each

- **How and where do I study?**

This qualification is taught on campus at UPDC West Suffolk College with full tutor support and resources for revision and self-study.

- **Are there any exams or assessments?**

Yes, there are three units to the qualification. Units 1 and 2 are assessed by 2000 - 2500 word assignment, Unit 3 is assessed by a 3-question scenario based examination carried out online.

- **Will I achieve a qualification or certificate?**

Yes, successful completion of the qualification leads to the award of the Level 3 Practitioners Certificate awarded by the CILT (UK).

- **Are there any costs?**

Yes, employers are required to pay 20% contribution towards the costs of this course which is **£300**

- **How do I apply?** [WSC Commercial \(Funded\) Enrolment 2024-2025](#)

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