

## The Temporary Experienced Worker Card (CSCS)

The **Experienced Worker (Temporary) CSCS card** is available to applicants who have not previously held a CSCS card.

To apply for a Skilled Worker CSCS card, an applicant is required to hold one of the following:

- NVQ Level 2 or 3
- City & Guilds Craft/Advanced (and proof of apprenticeship completion if time served)
- Approved Apprenticeship (for example, completion proof of SBATC / NJCBI)

*If they do not have any of the above qualifications but have on the job experience (normally at least one year in the last three) they can apply for a Temporary Experienced Worker card.*

The card is valid for 1 year and is non-renewable. It is issued on a temporary basis whilst a Construction Related N/SVQ is being achieved and it is expected to be replaced by a five year Skilled Worker card upon achievement of the N/SVQ.



Proof of registration to the S/NVQ is required before they can apply for this type of card.

### How do I get a temporary Card?

To apply for a CSCS card an applicant will first need to pass the relevant level Health, Safety & Environment Test.

The test is a cost of £19.50. This can be booked online at [www.citb.co.uk/hsandetest](http://www.citb.co.uk/hsandetest) or by calling the test bookings team on 0344 994 4488. Times, dates and venues available for the test will be confirmed at the time of booking.

Once the test has been passed the individual can contact our Helpdesk on 0344 994 4777 to apply. They will need to have a debit/credit card available to make the payment of £30.00. The Customer Co-ordinator will then be able to process and request the card whilst they are on the phone (providing all criteria for the card applied for has been met) this will be sent out the next working day via first class post.

Please note:

- If applying for a card/occupation that requires evidence of registration to, or a completed qualification the applicant will be required to e-mail a copy of this to us at [cscs@citb.co.uk](mailto:cscs@citb.co.uk) prior to calling to apply for the card.