

LEARNER JOURNEY - SCOTTISH FESST (SCQF LEVEL 6)

Onboarding & First Steps

- Fulfil paperwork
- Date set for Induction & Block 1

Year 1 - Foundation Skills (Blocks 2-5)

- Introduction to the industry: roles, industry standards, customer care etc.
- Electrical Principles: voltage, current, resistance, Ohm's Law etc.
- Installation Practices: cable management, BS7671, panel/controller termination etc.
- Intruder Systems: system compliance, programming, integration etc.
- 5 logbooks & formal reviews at the end of each block

Year 3 - Advanced Skills & Completion (Blocks 11-12)

- Commissioning (Block 11): system checks, paperwork, meter/battery calculations, deviations
- Maintenance (Block 12): checks, scheduling, customer communication, paperwork completion
- 3 logbooks & formal reviews at the end of each block

Certification

- Programme certificated after Year 3

Getting Started

- Already have an employer? You can begin the onboarding process
- Don't have an employer? Send your CV to talent@skillsforsecurity.org.uk and we'll support you in seeking employment

Initial Training / Induction

- Welcome, rules, course overview, Skills On-Demand introduction
- Block 1 - Health & Safety (ECS)
- 13-day review at the end of each block

Year 2 - Technical Development (Blocks 6-10)

- Fire Systems (Block 6), Access (Block 7), VSS (Block 8), IP Networks & Cyber (Block 9), Signalling (Block 10)
- Focus on system compliance, programming, limitations, integration, and practical installations
- 5 logbooks & formal reviews at the end of each block

Career Progression

Move into roles like:

- Fire System Engineer
- Security Systems Technician
- Alarm Installer
- CCTV Specialist
- ...and many more!