

Frequently Asked Questions

If I apply to be a Next Generation SV will this affect my QCF allocations?

In 2013/14 we will have to run both SV visits for QCF Level 2 and Next Generation sectors and therefore we will be looking to allocate 10 centres to those trained in QCF and 10 centres to those trained in NQF. If you are trained in both we would ideally like to allocate 20 centres to you (10 for each) but we understand that this may not be possible with your current work commitments. In this scenario we would reduce your allocations in both sectors so that you utilise your training to SV in both frameworks.

If I do not apply to be a Next Generation SV will I lose my allocations?

In 2013/14 we will still have a large proportion of our QCF centres and therefore you are likely to receive allocations accordingly. For the 2014/15 academic year we can not guarantee that you will receive QCF Level 2 allocations as centre registrations are likely to drop off significantly. This is not to say there will not be QCF work, however the number of allocations will significantly reduce.'

What are the fees for Next Generation?

The fees set will be in line with QCF SV fees.

When is the work?

Next Generation allocations will follow the same process as QCF but final submission deadlines will be the end of June rather than the end of May.

How big is the allocation?

The allocation size is likely to be an average of 10 centres for Next Generation.

When is the training day?

Although training has not been formalised yet, it will happen in October and November this year.

What Next Generation Sectors can I apply for?

Please reply to this expression of interest with your primary sector (this will be the one you will be invited to attend training for). If you are qualified in more than one sector we ask that you put down a secondary sector as we may look to utilise your skills in other sectors in the future.

If you are an existing QCF SV you can opt to do a different sector for NG to your QCF sector.

Please ensure that if you are applying to be a Next Generation SV in a sector which you have not SV'd in before that you include an up to date CV with your application so we can ensure you are qualified to undertake this role.

Can I also apply for BTEC NG examiner/applied examiner roles?

You may also apply for BTEC NG examiner/applied roles. These roles require different competencies so please make sure you have read the job description before applying.