

Applying for this Course:

To apply for this course you should be 18 years of age or older and have a MQF Level 2 qualification in Mathematics and English and a clean Police Conduct Certificate. If you do not have these qualifications or possess other qualifications or relevant experience, kindly contact us on qa.jobsplus@gov.mt. stating your ID card number, attaching copies of your qualifications and a copy of your CV highlighting your work experience. Alternatively, you can send the requested information by post addressed to: Quality Assurance Unit, Jobsplus Training Complex, Triq Birżebbuġa, Ħal Far BBG3000.

On successful completion of the Vocational Education and Training Award in Private Security Guard Services, the learner will be able to:

- ✓ Adhere to the licensing requirements of the 'Private Guard' category as defined in the Private Guards and Local Wardens Act
- ✓ Use legal terminology appropriately in a given context
- ✓ Undertake the intrinsic responsibilities of a private guard as defined in the Private Guards and Local Wardens Act diligently
- ✓ Comply with legislation applicable to a given context in which one is carrying out one's duties as a private guard
- ✓ Observe the verbal and non verbal communication of third persons and environmental factors when responding to enquires or dealing with incidents
- ✓ Collaborate with co-workers and superiors using inter-personal skills that are appropriate in a given context
- ✓ Negotiate effectively to resolve conflicts in a given context
- ✓ Deal with third persons using principles of customer care that are appropriate for a given context
- ✓ Define stereotype judgments of persons and what steps a private guard takes to avoid making such judgments when dealing with third persons in the course of his/her work
- ✓ Collaborate with co-workers and superiors to ensure effective teamwork and co-ordination of tasks in a given context
- ✓ Utilize appropriate personal initiative when executing one's duties as a private guard
- ✓ Monitor one's designated working environment to identify security risks
- ✓ Use equipment typically deployed by private guards when carrying out patrols
- ✓ Perform surveillance tasks by making appropriate use of electronic security systems and their applications
- ✓ Perform security and fire prevention patrols
- ✓ Carry out a fire safety drill
- ✓ Deal with a fire using the correct class of fire extinguisher
- ✓ Collaborate with co-workers and superiors when dealing with a bomb threat
- ✓ Perform a flooding safety drill
- ✓ Carry out a search on a person and/or his/her property in a manner that complies with the requirements of relevant legislation
- ✓ Carry out initial security investigations or inquires in a manner that complies with the requirements of relevant legislation
- ✓ Base one's written reports on security incidents on pertinent information collected in a manner that complies with the requirements of relevant legislation

The National Commission for Further and Higher Education (NCFHE) deems this certificate to be at Level 2 of the Malta Qualifications Framework and the European Qualifications Framework for Lifelong Learning. This course comprises study modules to which a total of 4 ECVET points are assigned.