

BRITSAFE LEVEL 3

CERTIFICATE IN FIRE SAFETY AND RISK MANAGEMENT

114/5333/3



Introduction:

The Britsafe Level 3 Certificate in Fire Safety and Risk Management is a specialist qualification designed for professionals responsible for fire safety strategy, risk control, and compliance within complex or multi-occupancy environments. This course provides a structured and in-depth understanding of fire safety legislation, fire risk assessment methodology, emergency planning, and preventive measures equipping learners with the skills to conduct competent evaluations and implement robust fire management systems. Aligned with recognised regulatory frameworks and contemporary risk management practices, the qualification is tailored for fire wardens, facilities managers, compliance officers, and supervisory personnel tasked with fire safety oversight. Successful completion not only enhances professional credibility but also supports progression into advanced roles where fire safety governance is integral to organisational resilience and legal duty of care.

Qualification Regulation and Support:

The Britsafe Level 3 Certificate in Fire Safety and Risk Management is a nationally developed qualification designed to support fire risk governance across various industries. This qualification is formally developed, maintained, and awarded by Britsafe™ Qualifications UK Limited, ensuring consistent alignment with recognised UK fire safety frameworks and competency standards.

Key facts:

Qualification Number:	114/5333/3
Minimum Contact Hours:	20
Guided Learning Hours:	20
Credit Value:	2
Credential Status:	Certificate
Assessment Method:	Multiple-choice examination



Qualification Overview and Objective:

The Britsafe Level 3 Certificate in Fire Safety and Risk Management is designed for individuals seeking advanced expertise in fire safety and risk management. Participants gain in-depth understanding of complex risks, advanced planning strategies, and emergency response coordination. This qualification ensures compliance with legal requirements and prepares individuals for leadership roles in fire safety and risk management.

The objective of the qualification is to:

- Develop advanced knowledge and skills in fire safety and risk management.
- Identify and assess complex fire hazards and risks.
- Learn advanced strategies for developing and implementing comprehensive fire safety and risk management plans.
- Gain proficiency in emergency response coordination and communication.
- Demonstrate compliance with legal requirements for advanced fire safety and risk management.

Entry Requirements:

To register for this qualification, learners are required to meet the following entry requirements:

- Must be aged 16 and over
- Participants should have a basic understanding of the English language to effectively engage with course materials and assessments.
- This course is open to individuals of all backgrounds and experience levels who have an interest in workplace health and safety.

Geographical Coverage:

This qualification is suitable for delivery in England, Northern Ireland, Wales and can be offered internationally.

Delivery/Assessment Ratios:

To effectively deliver this qualification, centres are recommended not to exceed the ratio of 1 Qualified Tutor to 12 Learners in any one instance. If centres wish to increase the recommended ratio, they must first inform your dedicated Britsafe[™] accounts manager before doing so.

Centre Requirements:

To effectively deliver this qualification, centres should have the following resources in place:

- Classroom with suitable seating and desks; and
- High-quality teaching and learning resources.

Guidance on Delivery:

The total qualification time (TQT) for this qualification is 20-hours and of this 20-hours is recommended as guided learning (GL). TQT is an estimate of the total number of hours it would take an average learner to achieve and demonstrate the necessary level of attainment to be awarded with a qualification, both under direct supervision (forming Guided Learning Hours) and without supervision (all other time). TQT and GLH values are advisory and assigned to a qualification as guidance.



Guidance on Assessment:

This qualification is assessed through a multiple-choice question exam.

- Centre's must take all reasonable steps to avoid any part of the assessment of a learner (including any
 internal quality assurance and invigilation) being undertaken by any person who has a personal interest
 in the result of the assessment.
- Centres must follow Britsafe[™] Examination and Invigilation Procedures. Completed examination papers
 are to be returned to Britsafe[™] for marking or If in case of online examination; records shall be updated on
 EMS portal accordingly.

Guidance on Quality Assurance:

Britsafe[™] requires centres to have in place a robust mechanism for internal quality assurance. Britsafe[™] will support centres by conducting ongoing engagements to ensure and verify the effective and efficient delivery, quality assurance and invigilation of the qualification.

Tutor Requirements:

Britsafe™ recommends nominated tutors for this qualification meet the following requirements:

- A relevant health and safety qualification at Level 3 or higher,
- Membership of a professional body (e.g., IOSH, IIRSM) is desirable.
- Hold a relevant subject area qualification/or be occupationally competent.
- Hold a recognized teaching/training qualification (or suitable equivalent).
- Level 3 Award in Education and Training (AET) or Train The Trainer.





