



**TYPICAL QUESTIONS & ANSWERS
FOR
NEBOSH NATIONAL GENERAL CERTIFICATE
BY
DISTANCE LEARNING**

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Below is a list of typical questions asked

1. *When does the course start?*
You can start the course whenever you wish, although the exam dates are fixed four times a year in March, June, September and December which can be a restricting factor.
2. *What are the Entry Requirements?*
There are no entry requirements. However a good standard of written English is essential.
3. *How long is the course?*
The course can be completed within one year, but most students are able to complete sooner.
4. *How do I enrol?*
Contact QM&T (Tel: 01483 453511) for an initial interview over the phone. QMT would then send you additional information by email and a student application form. Once you return the student application form and fees which can be paid by bank transfer, cheque or credit/debit card. You would then receive your course work material.
5. *What does the distance learning pack consist of?*
The distance learning pack includes a text book, a coursebook/workbook (which includes question, answers and additional notes) and tutor support provided as and when required.
6. *What does the e-learning consist of?*
The course notes are on-line and tutor support is provided as and when required.
7. *How is the course assessed?*
Assessment is by 2 written exam papers and a practical test.
8. *Is there an examination fee?*
Yes, £100 for all 3 exams (2011 price). Please be aware that the fees change every year. This fee is paid when you decide the date of your exam.
9. *Where do I sit the exams?*
To sit the exam you will need to register with a NEBOSH National General Certificate approved centre located near you. Please discuss this with your tutor.
10. *How long are the exams?*
There are two 2-hour written papers and a practical assessment.
11. *When are the exams*
The exams are held nationally four times a year (usually on the first Friday) of March, June, September and December.
12. *When can I start the course?*
At any time. The limiting factor is the exam dates, 4 times a year.
13. *Is each exam on a different day?*
Paper 1 and 2 are on the same day (morning and afternoon). The practical exam is on a separate day.
14. *When do I receive the exam results?*
Approximately three months after the exams. e.g. June exam, the results will be released in mid August.

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15. *What type of support do I receive?*
Tutorial support is provided via email or telephone.
16. *Is it possible to do the course other than via distance learning?*
Yes, at QM&T we offer the NEBOSH certificate course as distance learning and/or e-learning.
17. *What are the costs?*
See QM&T price list <http://www.qmt.co.uk/pricing.htm>
NEBOSH Exam registration fees are additional, plus, the exam centre where you choose to sit your exam as an external student, will also charge a fee which is payable directly to them.
18. *What happens if I fail?*
Don't be so pessimistic. You can retake, but we have a very high pass rate.
19. *What is the pass mark?*
45% in the written examinations and 60% in the practical.
20. *Are there any assignments?*
No.
21. *Who can take the exams?*
Anyone who registers on this course.
22. *Am I capable of completing the course?*
QM&T interview by telephone to confirm the student's aptitude. However, passing the interview is not a guarantee of passing the course. You must complete the study programme, pass the exams and the practical test.
23. *What skill or experience do I need?*
A basic knowledge of Health & Safety would be useful, but not essential.
24. *What qualification do I get as a result of the course?*
When you pass the written and practical exams you will be awarded the NEBOSH National General Certificate.
25. *Why should I do the course with QM&T?*
QM&T provide a high level of support and have a great track record with excellent learning material.
26. *How difficult are the exams?*
NVQ Level 3 which is equivalent to "A" levels

Please note: QM&T will make every effort to keep this information up to date. However, the criteria associated with the NEBOSH course changes frequently, therefore, QM&T cannot be held responsible for any inaccuracies in the above information.