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DIPLOMA OF HIGHER EDUCATION TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT—SCQF LEVEL 8

The Diploma of Higher Education in Training and Development is a course delivered at the Scottish Police College (SPC) under the auspices of Napier University. The course is designed to prepare students for a professional role in training and development, and to provide a platform for their future educational and professional development.

It is delivered through a series of open and distance learning modules combined with individual or group tutorials. Peer support through study groups is also encouraged. The course adheres to the SPC philosophy of 'promoting all students to take responsibility for their own individual learning'.

There is no time constraint, each student works at his or her own pace governed by work, family and other commitments. The average time for completion is around 12 to 18 months.

Most students enter through the Foundation Module in Training Development which is an initial 4 week course run 2-3 times a year at the SPC.

Students with existing qualifications in Training can enter by accreditation for prior learning. Each case is examined on its own individual merit.

MODULES

SCQF Level 7	Credits
1. Foundation in Training Development	30
2. Assessor Skills	15
3. Learning in Practice	15
SCQF Level 8	
4. Defining Training Needs	10
5. Skills of Course Design	20
6. Delivery and Student Support	15
7. Principles of Assessment and Training Evaluation	15

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- Q Must I be resident at the college?
- A No, students from the forces can enter into the programme. During the 4 week Foundation Module you may choose to be residential at the College. The remaining modules will be distributed as required with e-tutoring or face to face tutorials available. Diploma staff will also visit students to conduct practical assessments in their own 'preferred' training environment. Essential reading materials will be distributed through the College library.

- Q What does it cost?
- A There is no cost for students seconded to the college as staff in any of the teaching Divisions. Students from the Forces will only be charged the £175 matriculation fee for Napier University.
- Q Is there a Graduation event?
- A Yes, following successful completion of the Diploma you will be invited to attend a graduation ceremony at the College, accompanied by your family and Force representatives. The Director and Academic staff from Napier will conduct the award ceremony, followed by a buffet lunch and official photographs.

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