

## General Enquiries

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## Level 2 Diploma in Plumbing

Location	Stockport College
Course Type	College 16-18
Department	Plumbing & Gas
Start Date	Monday 7th September 2026
Course Code	SFP-GS2D-1100

## Course Overview

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This specialised course will further develop skills in the effects of gravity on water and cold/heat and pressure. This course is equally helpful to those who are new to plumbing or already working in this industry. In addition, to further the development of your Health and Safety skills, you will focus on Cold, Hot and Central Heating systems before choosing whether to progress into Gas or Renewable pathways at a higher level.

## Course Requirements

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Applicants must have achieved a minimum of Grade 4 in English and maths. Also, to have successfully completed Level 1 Plumbing.

## What You Will Learn

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This course is for those wanting to develop their skills and gain a Level 2 qualification. It is comprised of a combination of both practical and theory elements.

## Assessment

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The Level 2 Plumbing Foundation requires you to complete centre based knowledge and practical assessments designed to provide you with the skills and knowledge to progress to L3 Plumbing Foundation or Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Plumbing and Heating.

## Progression

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Successful completion of this qualification will provide you with the basic knowledge and skills required for progression to complete either the Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Plumbing and Heating or Level 2 NVQ Diploma in Heating.

## Career Options

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Plumber, gas engineer, drainage specialist, heating engineer.

## Mandatory Units

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Scientific principles within MES

Site preparation and pipework fabrication techniques for domestic plumbing and heating systems

Cold water system installation and maintenance techniques

Hot water system installation and maintenance techniques

Central heating system installation and maintenance techniques

Rainwater system installation and maintenance techniques

Above ground drainage system installation and maintenance techniques

## Contact Details

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