

TRAIN TO GAIN FUNDING FOR ENVIRONMENTAL COURSES

Specialist water and environmental consultants Environmental Monitoring Solutions (EMS) Ltd are now approved providers with Action for Employment (A4e) and have formed part of A4e consortiums to provide Train 2 Gain Level 2 NVQ's in Environmental Conservation and Community Recycling in the North East, East Midlands, West Midlands and London.

The courses are fully funded (100%) for employers who meet the following eligibility criteria:

- Candidates must be over 19 years old
- Have no previous NVQs @ level 2 or above or qualifications equivalent to 5 GCSEs @ grade C or above.
- Contract of employment

Rebecca Chapman, Division Training Manager for EMS explains: "We are delighted to have been approved to provide fully funded environmental training to organisations in these areas. It is now recognised best practice to train staff on environmental issues and this type of training has proved to be beneficial in improving motivation, creating more productive businesses thus reducing environmental offences and prosecutions."

Research shows that 1.3m people go to work every day without the skills they require to do their job efficiently and Train to Gain was introduced specifically to bring all staff up to a Level 2 standard. These NVQ's are designed to promote positive environmental and waste practices and encourage businesses to be more proactive and legally compliant.

Environmental Monitoring Solutions also offer a wide range of other environmental training courses, from one day Introduction to Environmental Audits to the 1 day CIEH Environmental Awareness Certificate.

For course dates or details of bespoke courses, contact Environmental Monitoring Solutions on 01246 418913 or email: rchapman@em-solutions.co.uk or visit the website www.em-solutions.co.uk.

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