

# MEWP Scissor

In Partnership with The Construction Hub Academy



Available Levels: Novice, Refresher & Experienced Test

Duration: 1 day

## Aimed at

This course is aimed at delegates who require the knowledge and practical skills needed to enable them to safely operate a MEWP Scissor.

## Course description & subjects covered

It is envisaged that by the end of this course of training, the trainee operator will be able to answer questions on and perform the following:

- Have a basic understanding of the industry, the dangers of working in the industry and their responsibilities as a plant operator
- Have a working knowledge of the manufacturer's handbook for the particular machine to be used, and be familiar with other types of information sources and relevant information
- Be able to locate and identify the major components of the machine and explain their functions
- Be able to locate and identify steering, driving and braking controls and explain their functions
- Conduct all pre-operational checks in accordance with manufacturer's and legislative requirements
- Check all emergency lowering functions
- Safely mount and dismount the machine
- Configure the machine for travel
- Configure the machine for travel and manoeuvre it safely on level ground and inclines in open and confined areas
- Conduct all necessary safety checks at the work area, including overhead and underground hazards
- Manoeuvre the machine to the work area and correctly configure in readiness to carry out accessing tasks
- Carry out accessing tasks, at various points up to full operating height
- Travel with platform raised (where applicable)
- Use platform extension
- Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of loading and unloading procedures for machine transportation
- Carry out all end of shift and shut down procedures

## Assessment

This course is assessed through an exam.

## Entry requirements

Whilst there are no formal entry requirements for this course, learners should have a good understanding of spoken and written English.

## Cost

Fully funded through PLA Funding\*

*\*Eligibility criteria applies - please contact us for further information*

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