

## Abrasive Wheels Course

Our Abrasive Wheels Courses are accredited through ITSSAR and will provide an understanding of the Abrasive Wheels Regulations as amended by the Provision and Use of Work Equipment Regulations 1998, instructing delegates in all aspects of the correct mounting, setting and use of Abrasive Wheels. (Appointed Persons)

The course will comprise theoretical and practical instruction covering the following:

- Responsibilities under the Health & Safety at Work Act 1974 & PUWER 98
- Operators safety code
- Pre-use checks
- Correct PPE selection & use
- Storage and handling of abrasive wheels
- Examination and testing of wheels for damage
- Removal of wheels selection (inc marking system), testing & mounting of new wheel, and spindle speeds
- Resetting rests & guards
- Correct techniques relative to the working environment

### ***Knowledge:***

On completion of training candidates will have gained a theoretical understanding of the following: -

- Responsibilities under the Health & Safety at Work Act 1974, PUWER 98 & LOLER 98.
- Operators safety code
- Abrasive types
- Marking system
- Pre-use checks
- Spindle speeds
- Setting of guards
- PPE

### ***Skill:***

On successful completion of training the candidate will be able to: -

- Pre-use checks
- Identification of wheels
- Wheel removal
- Spindle speeds
- Re setting wheel
- Adjusting guards
- Safe use

The duration of this course is 1 day

On successfully passing the practical skills test candidates will be issued with an ITSSAR accredited certificate and registered on the ITSSAR TOPS database.

Refresher training is recommended every 3 years.

Contact a member of the team on 0191 4384702 for further details