

NRSWA Operative Units LA, 01 to 05, 07 and 08

This course equips engineers with the skills and knowledge required to carry out NRSWA operative duties in line with UK legislation. It focuses on personal safety and protecting the highway's safety and integrity. The training and assessment provided will enable those to achieve City & Guilds certification and registration on SWQR

Note: Refresher course required every 5 years. Refresher courses available.

Duration:	Up to 5 days (dependant on units required)
Course Space:	8 Trainees
Method of Delivery:	Trainer Led
Who is this for?	Those that are required to carry out excavations and reinstatement of the public highway

Course Objectives:

- Demonstrate the location and avoidance of underground equipment (Unit LA)
- Demonstrate the correct process for signing, lighting and guarding of works including traffic lights (Unit 01)
- Demonstrate the correct techniques for excavation in the highway (Unit 02)
- Demonstrate the correct techniques for the reinstatement and compaction of backfill materials (Unit 03)
- Demonstrate the correct techniques for the reinstatement of sub-base and road base in non-bituminous materials (Unit 04)
- Demonstrate the correct techniques for the laying and compaction of cold-lay bituminous materials (Unit 05)
- Demonstrate the correct techniques for the reinstatement of concrete slabs (Unit 07)
- Demonstrate the correct techniques for the reinstatement of modular surfaces and concrete footpaths (Unit 08)

Technical Information

Date Produced:	April 2026
Pre-requisite Qualifications:	No prior qualifications required.
Assessment Type:	Multi Choice question papers and practical assessments.