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CITB Temporary Works Supervisor (TWSTC) (1 DAY)

This one day course looks at the process of supervising temporary works, commonly expressed through the role of the Temporary Works Supervisor (TWS). This course is not a temporary works awareness course. It also focuses heavily on the BS5975:2019 standards. Attendance does not confer competence as a TWS this comes from a mixture of education, training and experience.

Course Pre-requisite

Learners have ideally achieved a standard such as SSSTS or SMSTS, this is not mandatory, but learners will benefit from having this knowledge before attending the course.

All learners are advised to complete the Temporary works awareness eLearning provided by CITB, which is free to access [here](#).

What we offer

- Occupational Health Services
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Approved Training Organisation Status

What you will learn

Temporary works are usually safety and business-critical and require careful supervision. An accepted way of achieving this is through the adoption of the management process outlined in BS5975 which introduces the Temporary Works Supervisor.

This course explains the role and the overall management context within which it sits. High risk can occur on small as well as larger sites hence understanding the essentials of good safety risk management, as outlined in BS5975, is relevant for projects of all sizes. The course gives emphasis throughout to the importance of communication, co-ordination, co-operation and competency (the '4Cs'), risk management, safety and business relations.



- The need for a temporary works policy and procedure
- The background to temporary works Codes of Practice and relevant regulations
- Awareness of the roles and responsibilities of the TWS and other parties identified in CDM Regulations 2015
- The importance of the design brief, approved drawings, specifications, risk assessments and method statements
- Recognise the different levels of risks associated with varying temporary works schemes
- The delegation process from the TWC. Inspections/Checks, hold points, load capacities and permissions
- The duties of various parties involved with temporary works including subcontractors
- The role of the Principal Contractor in relation to the selection and appointment of Temporary Works Supervisors (TWS's).
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Course Dates

Classroom based:

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| • 21 Jan 2026 | • 13 May | • 9 Sep |
| • 2 Feb 2026 | • 8 Jul | • 5 Oct |
| • Mar 2026 | • 27 Jul | • 2 Nov |
| • 13 Apr 2026 | | • 30 Nov |

Remote learning:

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| • 11 Feb |
| • 16 Apr |
| • 26 Oct |

Remote learning requirements

This course will be run using the Zoom platform. Minimum requirements:

- Clear video and audio quality, to clearly see and hear the course content from your trainer
- Download Zoom onto your webcam enabled laptop or computer
- Must be able to have a two-way communication, to ensure that courses remain interactive for you to ask questions
- Must have a webcam, to provide evidence of identity and always be visible throughout the duration
- A microphone is needed, to participate during the course and answer all examination questions
- For all courses you will need a webcam enabled laptop or desktop computer a smartphone can be used for the online course exam only
- Delegates working in the same room must follow social distancing guidelines
- Use the following link for course joining instructions:
<https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/206175806>

Qualification

The TWSTC is a one-day course. **Learners must attend the whole day, complete the mandatory exercises, pass the trainer review, and pass the end-of-course assessment** (7 hours, 45 minutes learning plus breaks) to be eligible for certification.

The trainer review provides a pass or fail based on the learner's performance, engagement in the course exercises and engagement in the course overall.

The final examination has 17 multi-choice questions (one mark each) and 3 written answer questions. The pass mark is 19 out of 25 (76%). The exam lasts for 45 minutes and must be completed in exam conditions. The exam is an open book exam.

The CITB CSkills Awards Temporary Works Supervisor certificate will be awarded to those who successfully complete the TWSTC course including the compulsory final examination. Delegates are also expected to be actively involved throughout the course. Certification for this course is valid for 5 years. To remain certified in this area, you will need to retake the course before the expiry date.

How to book

Book your place by calling our Training Services Team on 0300 304 9080 or email Training@BSG Ltd.co.uk with your enquiry.



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About BSG

The Building Safety Group (BSG) is a not-for-profit organisation which specialises in providing Health, Safety and Environmental consultancy and training for the construction industry. BSG has over 800 members operating across 3500 workplaces throughout the UK.

We conduct over 15,000 site inspections every year and train more than 10,000 construction workers.

What our clients say about us

"Excellent Instruction and very clearly conveyed."

Southside Scaffolding Limited

"BSG are clearly experts in Health and Safety training for the construction industry."

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"As I was pretty new to the role, my knowledge was limited but after taking the BSG course I feel very confident I will be able to positively move on in my position. I have learnt a massive amount."

Prodeck Fixing Ltd

"I learnt a lot about disciplines I previously knew nothing about. Learnt new regs and reinforced my previous knowledge."

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Course Rates

Classroom	Rate	Remote	Rate
BSG Members	£230+VAT*	BSG Members	£215+VAT*
Non- Members	£290+VAT*	Non- Members	£270+VAT*

Course fees include course materials and certification.



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