

Course Title

Slinger / Signaller Operations

Course Introduction

This course is designed to provide information and practice on the operation and legal requirements of carrying out lifting operations in a variety of industries. In a safe and controlled manner. This information is essential to any person who intends to carry out lifting operations, whether as a slinger/signaller, the person who is attaching the load to the crane or as the competent person in charge of lifting operations as per Lifting Operations Lifting Equipment Regulations 1998 (LOLER 98). Training is an essential first step in reducing damage and injury. PUWER 1998 (9) requires all people who use such equipment, to receive adequate training to supervise / manage it's safe use.

Who Should Attend

Those wanting to learn how to sling loads correctly and guide crane operators with loads (Operators / Supervisors or Managers) within the scope of any working activity they are employed to carry out.

Course Content

- Current Legislation - (HASAWA 1974 / PUWER 1998 / LOLER 1998)
- Delegates issued with an operators handbook
- Operator safety video(s) – (Plan your slinging)
- Pre Use Checks & Maintenance of Lifting Equipment (Record Keeping and Reporting)
- Slinging Techniques
- Identifying the hazards associated with lifting operations
- Selecting the correct equipment and safe method of slinging for loads
- Load movements and their effects on crane stability
- Calculating safe working loads
- Signalling of crane movements using standard code of signals BS7121
- Handling loads of various weights and dimensions
- Theoretical Assessment
- Practical Assessment

Course Durations

Slinging/Signalling is conducted with a maximum of 6 delegates per course – course durations are below :

Novice Operators = 3 days

Experienced Operators = 2 Days

Existing Operators (Previously Trained = 1 Day

Delegate can be assessed only (No training), in this scenario delegates must have at least 2yrs experience.

