

# UTILITIES & SAFE DIGGING



**MAX NO. OF DELEGATES:**

**6**

**DURATION:**

**1 DAY**

**LENGTH OF CERTIFICATION:**

**3 YEARS**

**ACCREDITATION:**

**COTS CERTIFICATE**



## WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This programme is designed for those personnel who are required to understand safe digging practices for utilities as part of their job role.



## COURSE AIM

To provide delegates with a thorough understanding of the hazards associated with digging in close proximity to utilities, exploring the practical methods and theory to allow them to excavate safely.



## TRAINING METHODS

A high proportion of hands-on demonstration and practical exercises, supplemented with classroom based tutorials.



## ADDITIONAL INFO

Delegates attending this course should be 16+ years and be physically and mentally fit to withstand the rigours of training.



## COURSE CONTENT

On successful completion of the course, delegates should have knowledge and understanding of the following:

- Legalities and Guidance
- Occupational Health & Excavation Hazards
- Safe Systems of Work
- Types of Detecting Devices
- Excavating & Exposing Services
- Back Filling
- Dealing with Water
- Theory Assessments
- Practical Sessions
- Practical Assessments
- Loads



## LOCATIONS

Can be delivered at COTS Llandarcy or client site with appropriate facilities.