



# MHE TRAINING

MECHANICAL HANDLING EQUIPMENT TRAINING

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## 360° Mini Excavator

<b>EQUIPMENT:</b>	360° Mini Excavator
<b>ACCREDITING BODY:</b>	ITSSAR
<b>QUALIFICATION:</b>	
<b>LEVEL:</b>	Experienced - Designed for the Operator who has had extensive practical experience, (longer than 12 months), but has had no formal training and does not hold a licence.
<b>COURSE DURATION:</b>	3 Days
<b>LOCATION:</b>	Leicester Training Centre - The course can also be adapted to suit your operational requirements if provided on company premises.
<b>MAX. NO. PER COURSE</b>	3
<b>COST:</b>	£400 + VAT per trainee

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**COURSE AIM:** The aim of the course is provide the theoretical and practical knowledge to safely operate an excavator for general purpose applications. This course meets the statutory requirements of the Health & Safety at Work Act 1974, and other relevant statutory provisions.

**COURSE CONTENT:** The course will comprise of theoretical and practical instruction covering the following:-

- Responsibilities under the Health & Safety at Work Act (1974) and PUWER (1998); LOLER (1998) and (HSG 136) Workplace Transport Safety
- Safe operator practices (Company Mobile Plant Rules if on customer premises), including evasive action/roll-over measures
- Daily and weekly maintenance schedules
- Identification of components
- Daily inspections and fault recording
- Start-up procedures
- Factors affecting stability
- Motive and hydraulic controls/introduction to all controls and gauges
- Manoeuvring in open and confined spaces
- Travelling over different types of terrain including inclines
- Excavation principles
- Working on stock-piles/side-casting/forming edge protection/forming ramps and work platforms
- Loading hoppers
- Loading production machinery/transport vehicles
- Trenching principles/reinstatement/working with a banksman/weather conditions
- General levelling and grading

All information correct at time of writing. Course structure may vary in certain circumstances.

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