

We will send you to our prestigious training centre on a six-week intensive training programme after which you will become a fully-fledged plumber and gain the highly recognised City & Guilds 6129 qualification leading to NVQ level 2. The course comprises both theory and practical learning, enabling you to gain the requisite skills and experience, with your progress being assessed through unit exams and practicals. On completion of the course you will have gained the necessary hands-on practical experience to carry out a wide range of plumbing and drainage work with the appropriate competence and confidence.

To underpin this confidence, you will then shadow one of our existing franchisees for one week, meeting real customers and carrying out real plumbing tasks.

You will then be fully equipped to embark on an exciting and rewarding future with PlumbXpress.

Course details On-site accommodation on a bed and breakfast basis will be provided as part of your franchise fee. The six-week course schedule will consist of:

- Pre-course reading
- Five full days, Monday to Friday and two evenings

Course content

- Health & Safety
- Key plumbing principles
- Common plumbing processes
- Cold water systems
- Domestic hot water systems
- Sanitation systems
- Central heating systems/pipework
- Electricity supply
- Sheet lead weathering
- Water regulations
- Energy efficiency
- Environmental awareness
- Effective working relationships

Practical exercises

- Bathroom installation
- Maintenance
- Commissioning and de-commissioning
- Fault finding
- Heating systems copper/plastic/low carbon steel
- Drainage
- Leadwork
- Electrical

Further Courses Available

- BPEC Part P
- CORGI Registration

Franchise Training

You will also receive franchise training at PlumbXpress' Head Office, this will comprise:

- Use of the PlumbXpress Brand
- Promotion of your Business
- Business Skills
- IT Training
- Guidance on accounting software
- Use of a commercial jetter