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Automotive Technician - Apprentice Level 3



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About the Abu Dhabi Quality & Conformity Council

The Abu Dhabi Quality and Conformity Council (QCC) was established by law No. 3 of 2009, issued by His Highness Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan, President of the UAE. QCC is responsible for the development of Abu Dhabi Emirate's Quality Infrastructure, which enables industry and regulators to ensure that products, systems and personnel can be tested and certified to UAE and International Standards.

Products and services certified by QCC receive the Abu Dhabi Trustmark. The Trustmark is designed to communicate that a product or system conforms to various safety and performance standards that are set by Abu Dhabi regulators.

Foreword

The QCC Car Workshops Personnel Occupational Terms Working Group was initiated in January 2017 in order to establish occupational terms for workers in the car workshops sector in Abu Dhabi to elevate the quality of services provided in the sector and to promote the productivity of personnel.

The occupational terms are professional standards that specialist personnel must meet in order to perform the jobs they are assigned to produce quality outcomes. The Government of Abu Dhabi, under the leadership of His Highness Sheikh Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan, President of the UAE and Ruler of Abu Dhabi, and His Highness Sheikh Mohamed bin Zayed Al Nahyan, Crown Prince of Abu Dhabi, Deputy Supreme Commander of the UAE Armed Forces and Chairman of the Abu Dhabi Executive Council, has invested heavily, and at high levels of professionalism and safety, in the Infrastructure of Abu Dhabi. Therefore, it is crucial and obligatory to encourage the presence of skilled workmanship to maintain the quality infrastructure value in the Emirate of Abu Dhabi in particular and the United Arab Emirates in general.



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Occupational Terms

No.	Field	Details
1.	Occupation (Standard Unit)	Automotive Technician - Apprentice Level 3
2.	Description	This standard specifies the outcome required to assist in service, maintenance and technical repair of vehicles.
3.	Unit type	☐ Knowledge and Skills OR ■ Application
		No. Element E1 Assist in service, maintenance and repair of the vehicle
4.	Elements	E2 Plan and organize work to meet expected outcomes
4.	Elements	E3 Work effectively in a team
		E4 Maintain a healthy, safe and secure working environment
5.	QF <i>Emirates</i> level	□1 □2 ■3 □4 □5 □6 □7 □8 □9 □10
6.	Function	□ Policy and strategy QF 9-10 □ Managing QF 7-8 □ Specifying QF 6-7 □ Controlling QF 6 □ Maintaining capability QF 4-6 ■ Performing/carry out QF 1-4
7.	Entry information and prerequisites	High School Diploma/Industrial Training Diploma
8.	Grading	Application unit: Competent/Not Yet Competent



No.	Field		Details
9.	Industry sector	Automotive	
10.	Developed by	Government Entities Private Sector	Abu Dhabi Quality & Conformity Council, Zones Corp, Abu Dhabi Department of Economic Development, Abu Dhabi Urban Planning Council, Abu Dhabi Municipality, OSHAD, Center of Waste Management, Abu Dhabi Chamber, Health Authority Abu Dhabi, ACTVET, National Qualification Authority, SAAED for Trafficking Systems and the Ministry of Human Resources & Emiratisation Al Tayer Group, Emirates Motor Company, Ali & Sons Group, Al Futtaim Automobile and Prestige Car Services
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Terms & Conditions

Term	Description		
Dealership	A business established or operated under an authorisation to sell or		
	distribute an automotive company's goods and services		
Job role	Job role defines a unique set of functions that together form a unique		
	employment opportunity in an organization		
Performance	Performance Criteria are statements that together specify the standard		
Criteria	of performance required when carrying out a task		
OEM	Original Equipment Manufacturer		
Vehicle	Mode of personal transport including 2-wheelers, 3-wheelers and 4- wheelers		



Performance Criteria

Element	1. Assist in service, maintenance and repair of the vehicle
PC 1.1	Work with other senior staff members, and observe their actions directly regarding
	the diagnoses and repair processes
PC 1.2	Work with other senior staff members, and carry out minor diagnoses and repair
	processes under their attended Instruction/Supervision/Observation.
PC 1.3	Understand the auto component manufacturer specifications related to the various
	components in the vehicle
PC 1.4	Ensure that service, maintenance and repair activities are carried out on the vehicle
	without causing damage to any other component
PC 1.5	Run errands at the direction of the senior technician such as getting/fetching parts,
	tools, gauges, instruments, fixtures, workshop supplies, taking vehicles to
	dealerships etc.
PC 1.6	Assist in performing service or repair of vehicles under supervision of senior
	technician
PC 1.7	Assist in dismantle components like wheels, suspension system, steering column,
	braking system, engine assembly etc.
PC 1.8	Assist in maintaining and managing the workshop, tools, equipment and machinery
	in required condition
PC 1.9	Follow standard operating procedures specially vehicle service manuals for using
	workshop tools and equipment
PC 1.10	Ensure any malfunctions or repair requirements observed in the vehicles (and
	beyond own scope of work) are reported to the senior person
PC 1.11	Ensure any malfunctions observed in tools and equipment are reported to the senior
	persons
PC 1.12	Ensure that trainings organized by the OEM from time-to-time are attended and
	knowledge levels are upgraded (esp. in case of newly launched products, product
	refreshes)
PC 1.13	Assist in maintaining and managing the workshop, tools, equipment and machinery
DC 1.1:	in required condition
PC 1.14	Ensure that trainings organized by the OEM from time-to-time are attended and
	knowledge levels are upgraded (esp. in case of newly launched products, product
	refreshes)

Element	2. Plan and organize work to meet expected outcomes
PC 2.1	Keep immediate work area clean and tidy
PC 2.2	Treat confidential information as per the company's guidelines
PC 2.3	Work in line with company's policies and procedures
PC 2.4	Work within the limits of the job role



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PC 2.5	Obtain guidance from appropriate people, where necessary
PC 2.6	Ensure work meets the agreed requirements
PC 2.7	Establish and agree on work requirements with appropriate people
PC 2.8	Manage time, materials and cost effectively
PC 2.9	Use resources in a reasonable manner

Element	1. Work effectively in a team
PC 3.1	Maintain clear communication with colleagues (by all means including face-to-face, telephonic as well as written)
PC 3.2	Work with colleagues to integrate work
PC 3.3	Pass on information to colleagues in line with organizational requirements both through verbal as well as non-verbal means
PC 3.4	Work in ways that show respect for colleagues
PC 3.5	Carry out commitments made to colleagues
PC 3.6	Let colleagues know in good time if cannot carry out commitments, explaining the reasons
PC 3.7	Identify problems in working with colleagues and take the initiative to solve these problems
PC 3.8	Follow the company's policies and procedures for working with colleagues

Element	1. Maintain a healthy, safe and secure working environment
PC 4.1	Comply with the Emirate's current health, safety and security policies and
	procedures
PC 4.2	Report any identified breaches in health, safety, and security policies and
	procedures to the designated person/authority
PC 4.3	Coordinate with other resources at the workplace to achieve the healthy, safe and
	secure environment for all incorporating all government norms esp. for emergency
	situations like fires, earthquakes etc.
PC 4.4	Identify and correct any hazards like illness, accidents, fires or any other natural
	calamity safely and within the limits of individual's authority
PC 4.5	Report any hazards outside the individual's authority to the relevant person, and
	warn other people who may be affected
PC 4.6	Safe handling of basic and simple vehicle systems, functions and standard
	equipment and instruments



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PC 4.7	Identify and recommend opportunities for improving health, safety, and security to
	the designated person
PC 4.8	Complete all health and safety records
PC 4.9	Understand the safety dress & PPE types and adhere to the proper dress code &
	PPE requirements in the work area

Knowledge & Understanding

- To assist in service, maintenance and repair of the vehicle, the user/individual on the job must know and understand:
 - 1. Standard operating procedures of the organization/ dealership for inspection, servicing and repair of vehicles to be followed
 - 2. Standard operating procedures recommended by the dealership/ suppliers/OEM for using tools and equipment to be followed as per the manufacturer instructions
 - 3. Safety requirements for equipment and components as prescribed by the OEM (e.g. preventing/ dealing with oil spillage and inflammable materials)
 - 4. Documentation requirements for each procedure carried out as part of roles and responsibilities as specified by OEM/ auto component manufacturer
 - 5. Organizational and professional code of ethics and standards of practice
 - 6. Safety, health and environmental policies and regulations for the workplace as well as for automotive trade in general (e.g. safe practices while working in pits/under vehicles)
 - 7. Workplace policies and schedules for housekeeping activities and equipment maintenance
 - 8. The basic functioning of various components of vehicles
 - 9. The storage location for the tools and materials used in the workshop
 - 10. The tools used during routine servicing and repairs
 - 11. The type, quality and codification system of components specified by the OEM for use as replacement parts
 - 12. The instructions related to grade of oils, lubricants and greases specified by the OEM for use
- To plan and organize work to meet expected outcomes, the user/individual on the job must know and understand:
 - 1. The company's policies, procedures and priorities for area of work, role and responsibilities in carrying out that work
 - 2. The limits of responsibilities and when to involve others
 - 3. Specific work requirements and who these must be agreed with
 - 4. The importance of having a tidy work area and how to do this



- 5. How to prioritize workload according to urgency and importance and the benefits of this
- 6. The company's policies and procedures for dealing with confidential information and the importance of complying with these
- 7. The purpose of keeping others updated with the progress of work
- 8. Who to obtain guidance from and the typical circumstances when this may be required
- 9. The purpose and value of being flexible and adapting work plans
- 10. How to complete tasks accurately by following standard procedures
- 11. Technical resources needed for work and how to obtain and use these
- 12. Time management Key Performance Indicators for accurate customer invoicing and estimation/quotes
- 13. Computer literacy at the minimum level of competencies of email/google search and MS office (Outlook/word/Excel)
- To work effectively in a team, the user/individual on the job must know and understand:
 - 1. The company's policies and procedures for working with colleagues, role and responsibilities in relation to this
 - 2. The importance of effective communication and establishing good working relationships with colleagues
 - 3. Different methods of communication and the circumstances in which it is appropriate to use these
 - 4. The importance of creating an environment of trust and mutual respect
 - 5. The implications of own work on the work and schedule of others
 - 6. Different types of information that colleagues might need and the importance of providing this information when it is required
 - 7. The importance of helping colleagues with problems, in order to meet quality and time standards as a team
- To maintain a health, safe and secure working environment, the user/individual on the job must know and understand:
 - 1. Legislative requirements and organisation's procedures for health, safety and security and individual's role and responsibilities in relation to this
 - 2. What is meant by a hazard, including the different types of health and safety hazards that can be found in the workplace
 - 3. How and when to report hazards
 - 4. The limits of responsibility for dealing with hazards
 - 5. The company's emergency procedures for different emergency situations and the importance of following these
 - 6. The importance of maintaining high standards of health, safety and security
 - 7. Implications that any non-compliance with health, safety and security may have on individuals and the organisation



- 8. Different types of breaches in health, safety and security and how and when to report these
- 9. Evacuation procedures for workers and visitors
- 10. How to summon medical assistance and the emergency services, where necessary
- 11. How to use the health, safety and accident reporting procedures and the importance of these

Other Skills

Writing Skills

- To be competent, the user/individual on the job needs to:
 - Record and document the basic details of repairs and maintenance performed on various components/ components
 - Record all diagnostics done by senior technicians as per the prescribed format recommended by the OEM/ auto-component manufacturer
 - Write in at least one language
 - o Complete written work with attention to detail

Reading Skills

- To be competent, the user/individual on the job needs to:
 - 1. Read the basic specification of a vehicle or any other component or part
 - 2. Read work orders, specifications etc. related to the job including instructions mentioned on the job card
 - 3. Read the service circulars/ sign boards placed in the workshop with respect to the overall process to be followed for service, repair and maintenance of the vehicle
 - 4. Read any specific safety related guideline

Listening & Speaking Skills

- To be competent, the user/individual on the job needs to:
 - 1. Clearly communicate workplace information and ideas with colleagues (verbal and non-verbal)
 - 2. Use terms, names, grades, and other nomenclature pertaining to the Automotive trade, tools, specific workshop equipment etc.
 - 3. Communicate with colleagues and customers to handle verbal enquiries, such as clarifying indicated faults and problems indicated on a job card which would lead to the proper diagnosis of the issue to do an effective root cause analysis
 - 4. Communicate to the supervisor and service advisor, the results of the test performed and appropriate values to find the root cause of the problem



- 5. Interact with the customer through Service Advisor/ Supervisor in case any additional work needs to be done on the vehicle which may not have been indicated in the job card and found during the work being carried out as per the job card
- 6. Understand and promote the brand image with respect to reliability and economy



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