

# Hand jointing and finishing

## 2 day course



### Course objective

Develop knowledge and practical skills in the application of hand jointing to tapered edge joints, butt end joints, internal and external angles.  
Understand the reasons for a range of Gyproc jointing materials.

### Course content

- The importance of Health and Safety including safe systems of work and risk assessments
- Develop an understanding regarding the range of jointing products and their working characteristics for setting, air drying and combined setting and air drying materials
- Understand the range of joint reinforcement to flat surface joints, internal angles, beads and corner tapes for external, obtuse internal angles
- Develop an appreciation as to the reasons for combining 1st stage hand jointing with joint finishing with mechanical jointing box applications
- Understand sanding methods both hand and mechanical and grit types for sanding paper used in the sanding process
- Apply and understand the reason for drywall primer and sealer applications on completion of sanded board surfaces
- Know how to repair damaged plasterboard surfaces
- Understand the range of tools which can be used to carry out the jointing process

### Course timing

- The training course starts at 9.30am on day 1 and 9.00am on consecutive days concluding at 4.00pm each day

### Course dates and costs

- Please refer to [british-gypsum.com/training](https://british-gypsum.com/training) for current course dates and costs

### CITB training grants

- Short duration training grants and grants through individual company training plans are available for companies who are classed as in scope with CITB. The current grant is £50.00 per day with the grant year starting in August each year
- Please check the CITB website for up to date course grant information

### Evidence towards qualifications

- Course attendance certificates are issued on completion of the course
- Course attendance can contribute as evidence towards achieving a Diploma NVQ/SVQ in interior systems drylining finisher qualification



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