Course Objectives for N216 - Road Planer

It is envisaged that by the end of this course of training the trainee operator will be able to answer questions on and perform the following:

* ⮚ Have a basic understanding of the industry, the dangers of working in the industry and their responsibilities as a plant operator
* ⮚ Have a working knowledge of the manufacturer’s handbook for the particular machine to be used
* ⮚ Be able to locate and identify the major components of the machine and explain their functions
* ⮚ Be able to locate and identify steering, driving and braking controls and explain their functions
* ⮚ Identify and maintain PPE appropriate for Planer use.
* ⮚ Conduct all pre-operational and running checks in accordance with manufacturer’s and legislative requirements
* ⮚ Safely mount and dismount the machine
* ⮚ Configure the machine for travel and manoeuvre it safely across varying terrain in open and confined areas
* ⮚ Conduct all necessary safety checks at the work area
* ⮚ Manoeuvre the machine to the work area and correctly configure in readiness to carry out planing tasks
* ⮚ Carry out Planing tasks and load material into transporting vehicles or containers
* ⮚ Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of loading and unloading procedures for machine transportation
* ⮚ Environmental considerations
* ⮚ Carry out all end of shift and shut down procedures