

# SIA Security Course

FREE 16 day course



Guiding you towards a better future



Our Security course is classroom-based and runs over 16 days in total (running Monday to Friday).



- 16 day course
- Classroom based
- FREE (if eligible see page 4)
- Based in Liverpool
- We pay for your badge

Our security course at Bright Direction Training, gives you the skills and knowledge to work in the security industry. On completion of the course, you will obtain an SIA licence, which is a legal requirement if you are looking to work in security.

You will complete the following units:

- Level 1 Award in Customer Service
- Level 1 Employability Skills Certificate
- First Aid at Work
- Level 2 Award Working as a Door Supervisor



#### **Level 1 Award in Customer Service:**

Improving customer service knowledge when working face to face with customers. Identifying appropriate solutions to any issues.

#### **Level 1 Employability Skills Certificate:**

Gaining an insight into the security industry. Understanding mindset, time management, problem solving and working in a team, interview skills and how to keep improving.

#### First Aid at Work:

This qualification covers knowledge such as the roles and responsibilities of the first aider, how to assess an incident and recognising signs/symptoms of injury and illness. The qualification also covers first aid skills in CPR and use of an AED and assisting a casualty who is suffering from major injury and illness such as chest injuries, spinal injuries and anaphylaxis.

### Level 2 Award Working as a Door Supervisor

This part of the course is delivered over 6 days, and covers the four units that are required to get your SIA licence:

- Working as a Door Supervisor
- · Working in the Private Security Industry
- Conflict resolution
- Physical Intervention





To be eligible for government funding, you must be:



- Aged 19 +
- A resident of Liverpool City Region
- Unemployed AND in receipt of benefits

OR

• Earning less than Liverpool £31,600 a year

Where possible we will support learners with security-related employment opportunities. On successful completion of the course, Bright Direction Training will pay for your SIA licence, so there is no cost to you.



The security industry is booming! There has been a huge increase in demand as businesses look for ways to protect their assets, premises and belongings. Which is great for you, because it means that there are more vacancies for security guards and door supervisors. It is currently one of the largest sectors of employment in the UK, making it a fantastic option for a long-term career, and can offer a well-paid profession to help you to secure your future.

# So why is it such a great industry to work in?

### **Flexibility**

There are many options as to what your working hours could look like, with employment options ranging from casual hours for a more flexible working pattern, to fixed regular hours for those who want a more permanent schedule.

### **Great career prospects**

As the technological world advances in surveillance and security, the need for more qualified security personnel is increasing. The options to progress your career are vast, and its versatility means it can suit most people's strengths in one way or another. You may enjoy being with people in a more public-facing role, or your skills may lend themselves more to back-office activities, such as surveillance or night shift work.



### It's no desk job

Even on the surveillance front, it can be a physically engaging job with tasks such as patrolling or investigation duties. It can be a physically demanding job, which is great for people who don't like to sit still all day. A career in the security industry lets you choose a role that doesn't see you tied to a desk; you'll certainly be getting your steps up!

### Feel good factor

The safety of the people or the things you're charged with protecting is what the job is about. It can give you a huge sense of achievement and satisfaction that you're able to give people that feeling of security through your work. If you're passionate about the safety of others, then it can be a truly fulfilling career.

## What job roles can you look at in the security industry?

The variety of roles is what makes a job in security an attractive prospect, and a great career choice. Work can include:

- Door Supervisor
- Patrol Officer
- · Security Officer
- CCTV Operator
- Retail Security
- Nightclub/Doorman
- Revenue Protection
- Static Security Guard
- Control Room Officer
- Security Concierge
- Bodyguard
- VIP Security

Kickstart your career with Bright Direction Training!



### We Are Not Your Average Training Company!

Our learners are at the heart of everything we do. From how we choose our staff, the courses we deliver and the partners we work with. All of our decisions are made with you in mind. Because, if you don't get the results you want, we haven't done our jobs properly.

At Bright Direction Training, we deliver flexible courses that are unique to you and your needs, so that we can help you get the results you want in the time that you want them. We only offer accredited courses that are recognised and valued within the industry. This ensures that you receive high-quality training and earn qualifications that hold credibility. Our team of experienced trainers all possess extensive expertise in their areas. They have practical industry experience and can provide valuable insights and real-life examples, enriching the learning experience.

By completing your course with Bright Direction Training, you can expect to receive comprehensive, practical, and reputable training that equips you with the skills and qualifications that you came to us for!





# **Our Philosophy**

'Honesty of purpose. That's my main focus. I want to deliver that in everything we do. not just going through the motions - but making a difference to people's lives.'

## What you can expect from us

- A warm welcome
- Well qualified & experienced tutors
- Safeguarding support should you need it
- A fun, safe & friendly learning environment
- Support & access to careers advice & employment

# What we expect from you

- 100% attendance
- Punctuality
- Respect each other and their opinions
- Follow BDT policies including appropriate behaviour
- Comply with BDT's zero tolerance approach to drugs and alcohol
- · Enjoy the course!



# YOUR COURSES ARE FREE? REALLY?



Yes, but not for everyone unfortunately. We would love to be able to offer our courses for free to everyone, but each course and area has an eligibility criteria that we have to follow to enable us to get the funding from the government. You can see if you are eligible on page 4.

# WILL YOUR COURSES BE FREE FOR ME?

You can see if you are eligible for our SIA course on page 4.

# DO I NEED TO PAY FOR MY OWN SIA LICENCE?

No. On successful completion of the course, Bright Direction Training will pay for your SIA licence.





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# HOW DO I GET THE GOVERNMENT FUNDING?

You don't need to do anything. We do it all for you! Just get in touch with us if you are interested in any of our courses, and we will have a chat with you to find out if you are eligible to attend our courses for FREE!

# HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE TO GET MY SIA LICENCE?

After completion of the course, it can take around 14 working days to get your results. You can then apply for your SIA licence. Your licence can take around 3-6 weeks to arrive - however, you will receive a reference number which most employers will accept until your physical card arrives.

# HOW LONG DOES MY SIA LICENCE LAST?

Your licence lasts for 3 years. When your card expires you can do a short top up course to renew your badge.