

### **Strategic Leaders Programme Operations Departmental Manager Level 5**

Including CMI certificate in Management and Leadership Level 5





# Operations Departmental Manager Level 5

### Overview

The Operations Departmental Manager Level 5 apprenticeship cultivates and extends the delegate's knowledge across a range of topics, leading them to more efficiently achieve their operational goals.

On completion, delegates will have a refined range of skills supporting them to drive measurable improvements in both individual and business performance.

### Key responsibilities may include:

- Coaching and mentoring
- Creating and delivering operational plans
- Managing projects
- Leading and managing teams

- Talent management
- Managing change
- Financial and resource management

# **Roles may include:**



### Suitable for:

Operations/Departmental Managers that manage teams and/or projects, to achieve specific goals and objectives as part of the delivery of an organisation's strategy.

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## Delegate focused benefits



Develops strategic leadership skills and behaviours



Skills development workshops, brings learning to life

Learn from specialist coaches

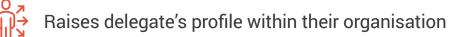


Learn to be adaptable within the working environment

Delegates can apply for Chartered Manager status



Encourages a proactive approach to learning



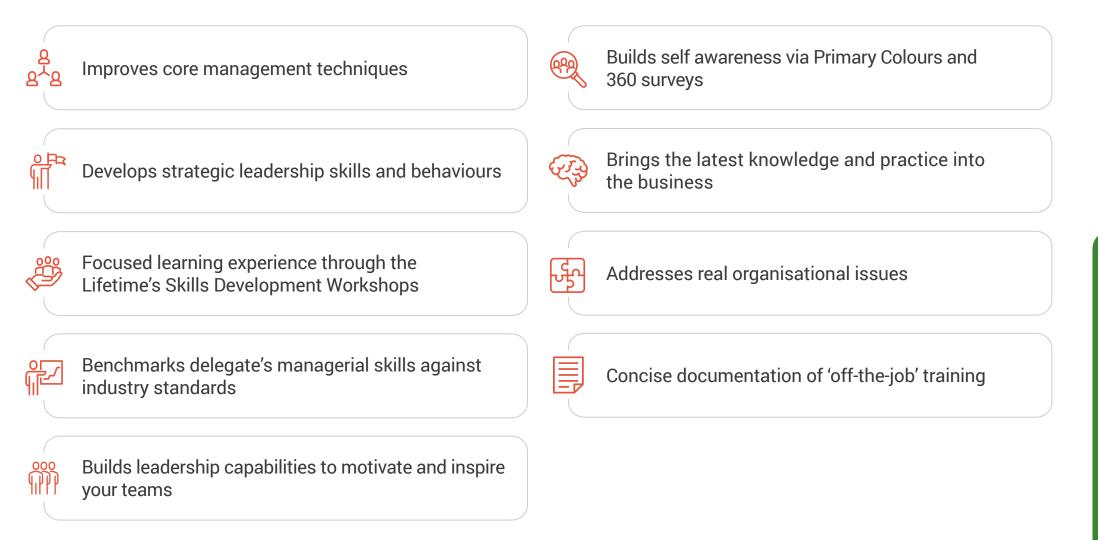


Mixed or employer specific cohorts





# Employer focused benefits





# Programme delivery

### **Programme length**

15 months (on average) plus End-point Assessment (EPA).

### **Delivery method**

Programme delivered virtually via:

- 11 x 2 hour online workshops
- 5 x 2 day skills development workshops
- Virtual coaching sessions every 8 weeks
- Virtual practice assessment sessions
- EPA Mock assessments

### **Blended learning**

The programme can be delivered via a mixture of face-to-face workshops or completely virtually. Both models will incorporate:

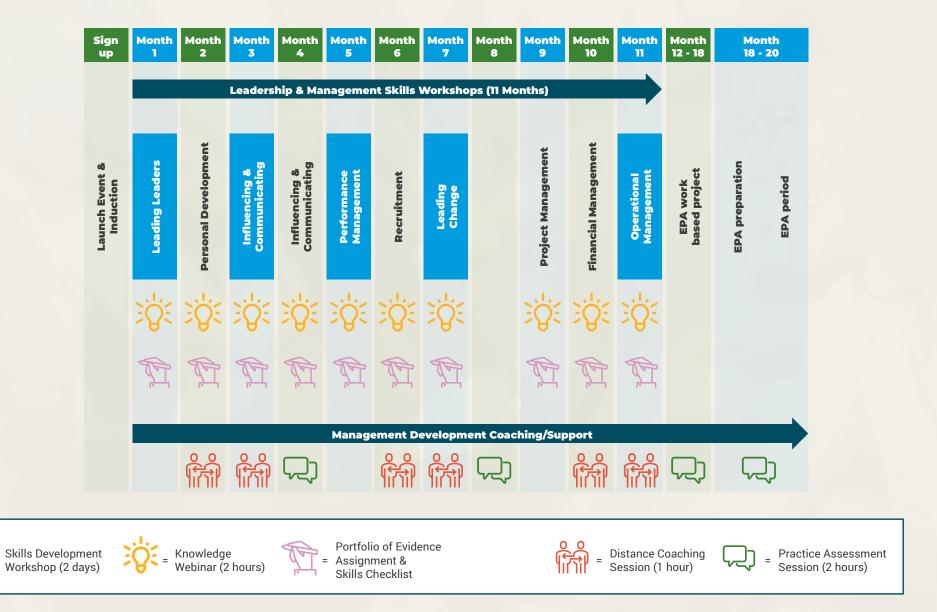
- Webinars
- One-to-one coaching sessions
- Workplace learning

 Contact: Delegates have access to their Management Development Coach via email, phone and online learning platform



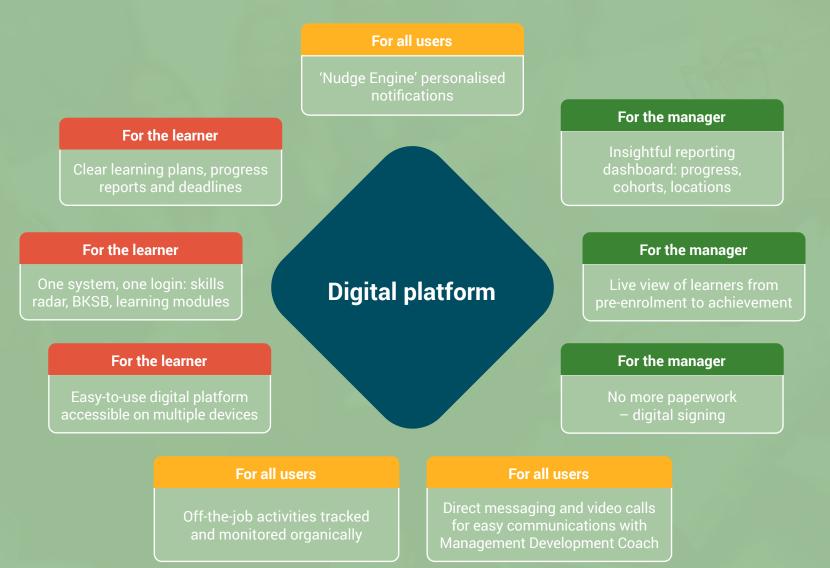


# Learning journey





## Blended delivery through Lifetime's online learning platform



# **Skills development workshops**

The Level 5 programme is enhanced by five additional learning modules, identified by leading business managers as critical for managers.

These modules are covered in the 5 x 2 day Skills Development Workshops which are delivered by Skills Development Coaches.

Leading Leaders		Influence and Communication		
Performance Management	Leading (	Change	Operational Management	

#### Each workshop is:

- Preceded by a two hour online knowledge webinar (11 webinars in total) which will take place around two weeks prior to the workshop
- Followed up with post course actions

The two day workshops will be held at the Manufacturing Technology Centre (MTC) in Coventry, or Green Park in Reading.

#### **Cohort Approach**

- There will be up to 20 delegates in each cohort (15 required cohort)
- Cohorts will commence on a monthly basis
- Cohorts will be a mixture of delegates from different organisations, providing the opportunity to network with managers from other organisations, which widens delegate's horizons and adds real benefit to the scope of learning available
- Employers may request a single cohort if they have enough delegates
- It may be possible for the workshops to be held at employers location if running a full cohort



### **CMI Certificate in principles of management and leadership** Level 5

In addition to completing the apprenticeship delegates will work towards the CMI Certificate in Management and Leadership Level 5.

This qualification consists of 2 CMI knowledge based modules which are achieved by completing 2 written assignments which are embedded into the programme.



Delegates will receive a CMI Certificate in Management and Leadership Level 5

Principles of Operational Management and Leadership in an Organisational Context

- Understand factors which impact on an organisation's internal environment
- Understand the application of management and leadership theories
- Understand the knowledge, skills and behaviours to be effective in a management and leadership role

Principles of Developing, Managing and Leading Individuals and Teams to Achieve Success

- Understand approaches to developing, managing and leading teams
- Understand approaches to achieving a balance of skills and experience in teams
- Know techniques for leading individuals and teams to achieve success



## **Programme modules**

The delivery model is broken down over 9 topics:



# **Programme modules** Deep dive



### **Leading leaders**

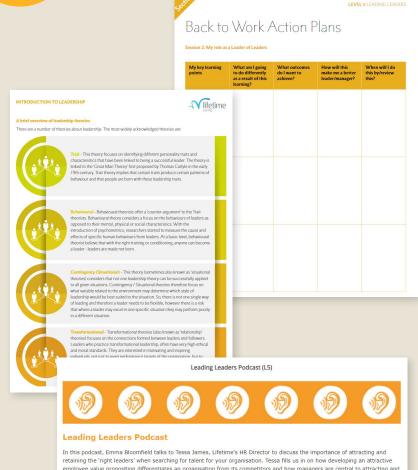
### **Covered:**

- Leadership Theories
- Feedback Methods
- Time Management and Prioritising

Leading Leaders

**Dig Deeper:** 

- Organisational Culture
- Employee Value Propositions
- Talent Management Model



retaining the 'right leaders' when searching for talent for your organisation. Tessa fills us in on how developing an attractive employee value proposition differentiates an organisation from its competitors and how managers are central to attracting and retaining talent within the organisation.

Tessa gives some top tips as to how you can use your leadership skills to develop and communicate the right culture through living the values of the company and being a great leader who drives the team towards the vision and goals. Through demonstrating what was promised in the EVP, managers will retain staff that will want to stay with the organisation and progress through the talent pipeline.





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# Personal development

### **Covered:**

- Continuous
   Professional Development
- Learning Styles
- Self Awareness

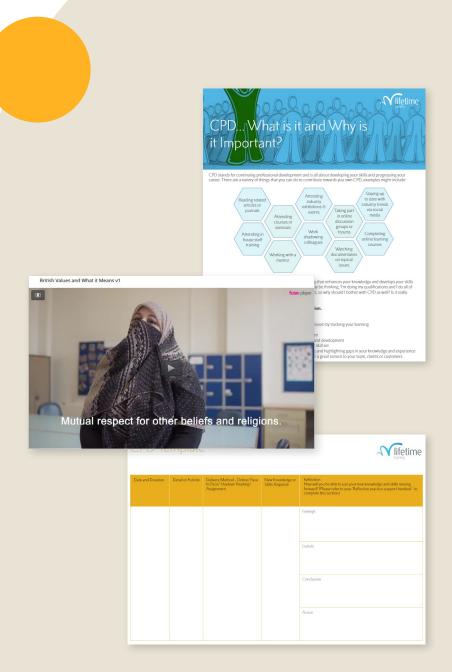
### **Dig Deeper:**

Managing Workload

- Behaviour Styles
- Working Styles

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Managing Workload





# Influencing and communication

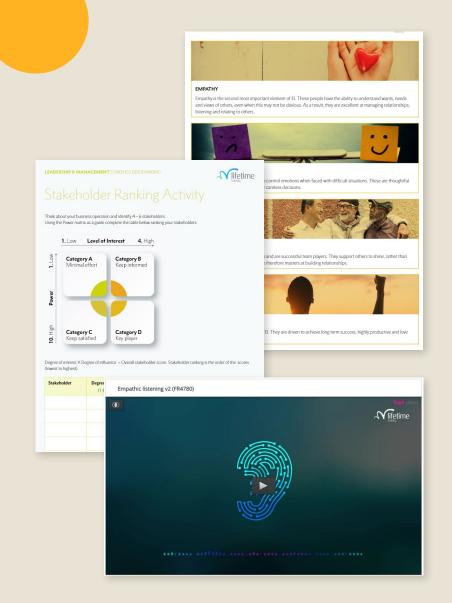
### **Covered:**

- Leading Multiple
   and Remote Teams
- Managing Stakeholders
- Communication Methods
- Interpersonal Skills
- Emotional Intelligence

### **Dig Deeper:**

Public Speaking

- Building Trust
- Influencing and Negotiating
- Conflict Management
- Collaboration and Sharing Best Practice





### Performance management

### **Covered:**

- Performance Management
- Under-performance
- Goal Setting
- Measuring Team Performance
- Coaching and Mentoring
- Delegation

### **Dig Deeper:**

Motivation

- Motivation
- Performance Conversations
- Reward and Recognition
- Equality, Diversity and Inclusion





You've probably heard people talking about coaching in the workplace. You might have even received some coaching in the past, or you might have used coaching to improve a person's performance, even if you didn't actually describe it as 'coaching' at the time.

But what actually is coaching, and how do you use it? And what walls do you need to be an effective coach? Coaching is a useful way of dowelpring people's skills and abilities, and of boosting performance. It can also help deal w issues and challenges before they become major problems.

Coaching should be something that all managers do with their teams. It helps you understand how peoplet think about their work, their careers, and their relationships with the organisation. It can also help you to improve a person's performance and deal with any issues before these become main problems.

Many managers use formal coaching as a way of guiding people through change, briefing them on organizational developments, carrying out performance appraisals, and so on. However, sometimes you need to react quickly to situations and issues, and that's where you can adopt a more informal approach to coaching.

#### Where coaching can help







### Recruitment

### **Covered:**

- Recruitment Process
- Workforce Planning
- Recruitment Documents
- Recruitment Methods
- Legislation, Regulations, Policies and Professional Codes

### **Dig Deeper:**

**Recruitment and Selection Methods** 

- Selection Methods
- Team Roles
- Inductions
- Training and Development





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entify the selection methods used for the two roles identified		Helpful	OPEN	Tell me about? Opens up the discussion.
		Helpful	PROBE	What exactly did that involve? Keep probing until you are clear but use the right point in the interview when trust is established.
impare the advantages and disadvantages of the selection method propriate to the role being recruited for.	Helpful	WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, HOW	Open questions invite input. Listen to the answers.	
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### **Leading Change**

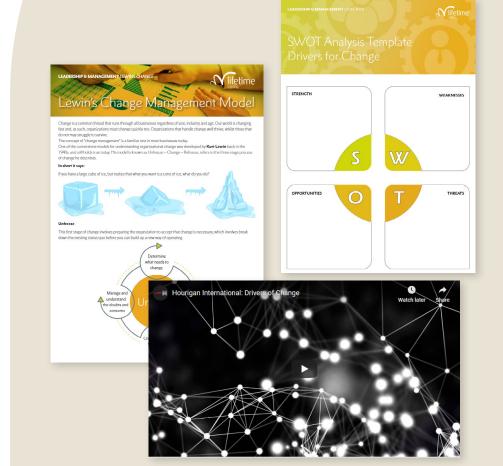
### **Covered:**

- Introducing Change
   Management
- Drivers for Change
- Culture and Change
- Barriers to Change

### **Dig Deeper:**

The 5 Why's Problem Solving Technique

- Continuous Improvement
- Problem Solving and Decision Making
- Ethical Decision Making





### **Project management**

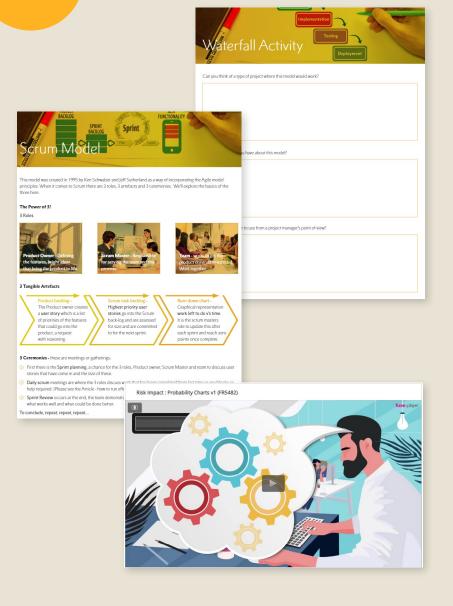
### **Covered:**

- Project Management
- Project Lifecycle
- Project Management Models
- Project Roles
- Project Governance
- Project Initiation
- Project Planning Tools and Techniques

### **Dig Deeper:**

Prince2 and PMP

- Risk Analysis Tools and Techniques
- Project Implementation
- Project Monitoring
- Closing and Evaluating
   a Project





# Financial management

### **Covered:**

- Financial Management
- Setting Budgets
- Managing a Budget
- Budget Reporting
- Contingency Budgets
- Financial Forecasting

### **Dig Deeper:**

Financial Trends in the Sector You Work In

		BUDGET
		Setting Budgets
		The purpose of a budget is to accurately forecast income and expenditure, to help as a tool in key decision making and monitor business performance.
		There are different types of budgets which we will look at in this chapter in further detal. Too will also have the opportunity to enhed your learning further through the complementing activities.
		A desirable skill for managers to have, is indeed, the management of the budget to ensure its purpose is met. The <b>three main purposes</b> are:
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	VAT (value added tax)	
	Capital Employed	
	Net Assets (also called total net assets)	
	Income	
	Revenue	
	Profit (Gross Profit)	



### **Operational management**

### **Covered:**

- Business Planning
- Competitor Analysis
- Operational Planning
- Sales and Marketing Plans
- Contingency Planning
- Operational Management
- Managing Resources

- Technology and Data Management in Business
- Management Systems
   and Processes
- Targets and Monitoring
- Identifying New Opportunities





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# Who delivers the training?



### **Skills Development Coach**

With realms of experience in management and running their own business, these coaches are experts who will help the delegate to develop themselves in the areas of people management, operational management and project management.

### They will:

- Deliver the learning through online webinars
- Cover the knowledge for each module
   through interactive sessions

### **Management Development Coach**

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Management Development Coaches are Level 5 qualified trainers who have prior experience of working at a senior management level.

### They will:

- Help the delegate plan their independent learning and post course activities
  - Provide one to one coaching via telephone and virtual tutorials
  - Feedback on written assignments and evidence submitted
    - Support with preparation for End-point Assessment



## **Pre-enrolment activities**

1. Initial Assessment Literacy and Numeracy

#### 2. Personal Statement

A 250-500 word statement around their current role, career plan, motivations for applying to the programme and the key areas where they wish to develop their skills

#### 4. Review Call

A call to go through all of the pre-enrolment activities

#### **3. Short Assignment**

A 750-1000 word assignment called 'Leading People'. We will provide full guidance on the requirements. Delegates will need to read through the guidance, complete the necessary research and complete the tasks as detailed in the assignment

### 5. Eligibility

The eligibility criteria is as follows: UK/EU Resident for three years Not currently a student in funded learning Delegates will need GCSE grade A to C or Level 2 Functional Skills in maths and English. Delegates without this will need to complete Level 2 in both subjects prior to End-point Assessment (EPA).





# Visit one – launch day

The launch day is a great opportunity for delegates to meet the others in their cohort, as well as getting a full introduction to the programme and the delivery personnel involved.

The launch event activities will be scheduled to look like the following:





### 09:30 Arrival tea and coffee

- **10:00** Welcome and introduction to Lifetime and the Skills Development Coaches from Leading Results
- **10:15** Welcome to the venue
- **10:30** Programme overview (what's required, structure of the programme, assessments, time needed)
- **11:30** Coffee and tea
- 11:45 My leadership journey (facilitated session)
- 13:00 Lunch and networking
- **13:45** My leadership shadow (introduction to Primary Colours model and Leadership Shadow concept)
- 16:00 Question and answer session



# Expectations and commitment

### **Personal Study**

Commit to 4 to 6 hours of self study per week

### Structured booked study

- Access all online webinars for 1-2 hours per session
- Virtual coaching sessions every 8 weeks
- Virtual practice assessment sessions

### Full days out-of-the-business

- 1 x Launch Day
- 10 x Skills development workshops (5 x 2 days)
- 2 x EPA mock assessments

### **Delegates must:**

- Make sure to book a minimum of 2 hours for a Online session with their Management Development Coach as and when agreed.
- Attend their sessions, be punctual and advise their Management
   Development Coach in advance if they are unable to attend/need to cancel their appointment
- Submit assignments by email to deadline to ensure completion of the qualification within the given timeframe
- Attend the skills workshops ensuring they allocate the full 2 days to be in attendance
- Make sure that they have good internet access, and a quiet area to undertake their tutorials without interruption

# **End-point Assessment** (EPA)



# **End-point Assessment**

Delegates enter the End-point Assessment (EPA) period following a gateway discussion with their employer and Management Development Coach.

### The End-point Assessment consists of the following:

Professional discussion, underpinned by a portfolio of evidence

Project proposal, presentation and questioning





# **End-point Assessment**

### Professional Discussion, underpinned by a portfolio of evidence

- Duration: 60 minutes
- Portfolio of evidence relates to the prescribed knowledge, skills and behaviours for the professional discussion method with 20 pieces of evidence

### **Project Proposal, presentation and questioning**

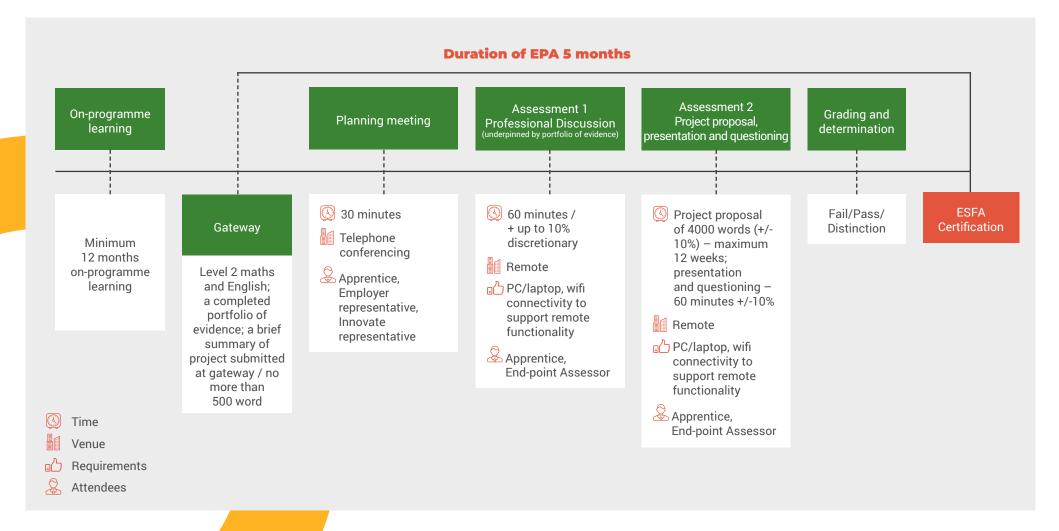
- · 2 assessment components assessed holistically
- Project Proposal Report (created post gateway)
- The business based project proposal must be created post gateway
- EPAO to sign off the project proposal title and scope
- Duration for the creation and writing up of the project proposal will be 12 weeks
- Project proposal will be 4,000 words
- Must sufficiently cover relevant knowledge, skills and behaviours

 Minimum of 6 questions with further questions for clarification and to ensure coverage of knowledge, skills and behaviours

- The presentation will focus on the project proposal
- Must be submitted at the same time as the project proposal (12 weeks after gateway)
- Duration of presentation: 20 minutes
- Duration of Q&A: 40 minutes
- Minimum of 8 questions asked by assessor with clarification/probing questions if required



# End-point Assessment journey



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