



Practical Test for N220 Paver

Test sequence	ACTIVITY GUIDELINES The learner must: - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All pre-start and running checks must be completed before any activity takes place The shutdown procedures must be completed by the learner at the end of the test All additional test requirements can be completed over the period of the test duration
Operator safety and observations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Seat belt must be worn if stated in the employer's risk assessment / method statement The risk assessment, method statement, COSHH assessments must be adhered to The paver must be supplied with the correct operator's manual, be serviceable and meet the current legislation Exclusion zones must be clearly marked Laying area must be walked and clearly marked out All proximity hazards must be identified to the instructor prior to the test starting COSHH assessment must adhered to throughout the testing process
Travelling to work area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Travel to the work area Manoeuvre through a restricted area
Setting up in preparation for laying tasks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prepare and set the paver for a pass Discuss and confirm job, mat and tonnage requirements Discuss requirements with screed operator and paving crew Align paver to carry out pass Screed set for required mat thickness (if applicable) Prepare paver to receive material from loaded vehicle
Carry out laying and distributing tasks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lay asphalt as per job specification or test criteria keeping consistent head of material, line and direction
Shutdown procedure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensure hopper / paver is clean Paver parked on firm level ground in a safe position, Engine knocked off with isolator key removed and handed to the instructor
Load transporter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Safely load paver on transporter (if applicable) Engine knocked off with isolator key removed and handed to the instructor
Additional notes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A verbal description to the instructor of the pre-start checks would be acceptable if the machine is hot
Specifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A minimum pass consisting of 1x width x 25m long x 25mm thick The operator's manual must be accessible The restriction must be no wider than the paver plus 800mm The vehicle used to deliver the material must be fit for purpose The laid material to be finished within 100mm of designated finishing point The screed operator and crew must be experienced in maintaining level (if applicable) Correct disposal of waste must be arranged prior to the test starting All signals shall be agreed prior to the test starting
Test timings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The full test must be completed within 1hrs 30min
Note	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It is recommended that all learners completing basic training receive a minimum 7hr Health, Safety, Environment and Induction Training