

Occupational training programmes offered at Northlink

A wide variety of Occupational programmes covering various fields of study is offered at Northlink. This includes formal programmes, skills programmes (shorter programmes), learnerships and apprenticeships. These programmes are offered on a **part-time, distance or correspondence basis**:

Engineering

Part-time and correspondence studies available:

- Electrical N1-N6
- Mechanical N1-N6
- Motor N1-N3

The Campus will clarify which subjects are offered for either part-time and/ or correspondence, and the appropriate time slots.

Business Studies and Utility Studies

National Diplomas (*State Funded)	Other Occupational Programmes
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Financial Management*• Marketing Management*• Human Resource Management*• Business Management*• Public Management*• Educare*• Management Assistant (Secretary)*• Legal Secretary*• Tourism*• Tourism International Diploma (City & Guilds)• Food Preparation and Culinary Arts (City & Guilds)• Hospitality and Catering Services* and City & Guilds combined• Food & Beverage / Reception / Accommodation Services (City & Guilds)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hair Care• Cosmetology• Information Technology L5 (CPUT)• City & Guilds Diplomas• Sport Fitness 1st year Diploma NQF 5• Sport Fitness 2nd year Diploma NQF 5• Higher Certificate in sport Management (Administration) L5• Performing Arts (EDEXCEL) 

Competency Based Modular Training (CBMT):

CBMT is practical training, accredited by the SETAs, and completed by students as part of their skills development in becoming qualified artisans. The students who completed CBMT acquired skills that they can transfer to the work environment during workplace experience/ exposure.

A great advantage of CBMT is that the employer can send employees on a block release program according to company needs. For example, a student does not have to complete all phases in a specified time-frame. The employer can decide to send the employee for phase 1 (3 months) only. After completing phase 1 the student can then return to work and be sent to College for phase 2 after spending time at work. This makes the CBMT option a popular way of developing the skills of employees with minimum interruption to the productivity in the workplace as employees can be sent for CBMT on a rotational base.