

CERTIFICATE SUPPLEMENT (*)



1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (NL)

Diploma Beroepsonderwijs

Kwalificatie: Metaalbewerker Kwalificatiedossier: Metaalbewerken

In the original language

2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EN)

Certificate Senior Secondary Vocational Education Qualification: Metalworker Qualification file: Metalworking

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3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

The most important duties of a Metalworker are:

Core task 1: Manufactures products

- 1.1 Prepare and check the provided information and materials
- 1.2 Set and adjust machine and tools
- 1.3 Manufacture and transform material
- 1.4 Connect parts
- 1.5 Measure and check manufactured products
- 1.6 Complete work with regard to product manufacturing (in context)

Core task 2: Assemble sub-products

2.1 Prepare assembly of sub-products

2.2 Check materials and tools

2.3 Assemble and mount sub-products

- 2.4 Measure, test and check performed work
- 2.5 Complete work regarding the assembly of sub-products

4. RANGE OF OCCUPATIONS ACCESSIBLE TO THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE

The Metalworker is active in the metal products industry in various kinds of companies that performs diverse activities in the field of construction, sheet metal and insulation work. He can be found in construction companies, sheet metal industry, supply companies, machine and equipment, machine and equipment building and the shipbuilding industry within the vehicle industry.

5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE	
Name and status of the body awarding the certificate	Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate Ministry of Education, Culture and Science

<u>*</u>Explanatory note

This document is designed to provide additional information about the specified certificate and does not have any legal status in itself. The format of the description is based on the following texts: Council Resolution 93/C 49/01 of 3 December 1992 on the transparency of qualifications, Council Resolution 96/C 224/04 of 15 July 1996 on the transparency of vocational training certificates, and Recommendation 2001/613/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 July 2001 on mobility within the Community for students, persons undergoing training, volunteers, teachers and trainers.

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The education and training for this qualification is offered as of August 1, 2008.

6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE

Senior secondary vocational education features two learning pathways: the school-based pathway (bol) and the training on the job pathway (bbl).

In the school-based pathway, the majority of the course consists of theory at school. The extent of the practical component (vocational practice) is between 20% and 60%. In the training on the job pathway, the extent of vocational practice is at least 60% of the course. The participant works four days a week in a training company, and attends school for theory subjects just one day a week.

In principle it is possible to follow both learning pathways, but which pathway is offered will depend on the individual educational institution.

Average duration of the education/ training	2 years (3200 study hours) (depending on
leading to the certificate	previous education)

Entry requirements

The certificate preparatory vocational secondary education (vmbo) basic vocational programme, or a comparable level.

7. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Dutch senior secondary VET is based on qualification files, that each contain one or more qualifications. The information included in part 3 and 4 is derived directly from the qualification file, that is composed by the Centre of Expertise. The complete qualification file can be found at http://kwalificaties.s-bb.nl/, only in Dutch.

Additional information, including a description of the Dutch national qualifications system, is available at the Netherlands National Reference Point (NRP): <u>www.s-bb.nl</u>. The NRP is the information centre for vocational qualifications in the Netherlands. SBB has been appointed in this capacity by the Ministry of Education, Culture and Science.