



1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (NL)

Diploma Beroepsonderwijs
Kwalificatie: Assistent medewerker natuur en leefomgeving
Kwalificatiedossier: Assistent medewerker voedsel en leefomgeving

In the original language

2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EN)

Certificate Senior Secondary Vocational Education
Qualification: Assistant nature and living environment worker
Qualification file: Assistant food and environment worker

This translation has no legal status

3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

The most important tasks of an Assistant nature and living environment worker are:

Core task 1: Undertakes activities within the food and living environment sector

- 1.1 Transports products and/or materials
- 1.2 Maintains materials and the environment
- 1.3 Assists in laying out and maintenance
- 1.4 Assists in the maintenance of buildings and sites.

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

The Assistant nature and living environment worker can for example be employed within a landscape gardening firm or green services, woodland and nature conservation, agricultural, water or environmental technology or within a (green-based) recreation business.

5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

Name and status of the body awarding the certificate The certificate issued on completion of the programme is signed by the examination board at the school where the pupil attended the programme.	Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate Ministry of Education, Culture and Science
Level of the certificate (national or international) Qualification level 1 of the Dutch VET qualification structure Characteristics: intended for participants not eligible for a course at qualification level 2. After completion of the course, the professional is able to carry out simple tasks, under supervision. NLQF level 1 - EQF level 1 - ISCED 2C	Grading scale / Pass requirements 10 excellent 9 very good 8 good 7 very satisfactory 6 pass 5 fail 4 unsatisfactory 3 very unsatisfactory 2 poor 1 very poor
Access to next level of education/professions	International agreements

* 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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5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

With a diploma at qualification level 1, transfer is possible to a course at qualification level 2.

Legal basis

Act on Vocational Education and Training (WEB), registered number of qualification (crebo): 97473
The training for this qualification is offered as of August 1, 2007.

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 (bbj).

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 leading to the certificate

1 year (1600 study hours) (depending on previous education)

Entry requirements

There are no legal educational requirements.

7. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Dutch senior secondary VET is based on qualification files, that each contain one or more qualifications. The information in section 3 and 4 is drawn directly from the qualification file, that is composed by the Centre of Expertise. The complete qualification file is available at www.kwalificatiesmbo.nl, only in Dutch.

Additional information, including a description of the Dutch national qualifications system, is available at the Netherlands National Reference Point (NRP) for VET: www.nlgrp.nl

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