



Skills Live: Horticulture Competition Description

Winter Planter

Date

Students from mainstream and specialist colleges and schools are invited to take part in the horticulture competition. Hosted by [Derwen College](#), the competition will take place on **Thursday 24th October 2019**.

Full competition briefs will be sent to all competitors w/c 16th September 2019.

Entry Requirements

Students aged 16-25 working at up to Functional Skills **Entry Level 2** are welcome to enter the competition.

Apply at: www.derwen.ac.uk/derwenskillslive. A maximum of two competitors per organisation may enter this competition.

The deadline to enter the competition is Friday 2nd August 2019.

Competition Task

Competitors will be given 60 minutes to:

Prepare a winter planter (November)

Equipment provided by host:

All plants will be provided

Equipment to be provided by competitor:

Uniform and PPE for both competitor and support staff.

Presentation materials including planter within the dimensions of H-100cm, W-50cm, D-50cm

Marking and Assessment

Judging will be marked against the criteria:

- Plan/design and presentation of planter
- Wearing appropriate personal protective equipment
- Maintaining hygiene, Health and Safety and correct use of tools
- Maintaining work area
- Plant knowledge and planting skills
- Appropriate combination of plants (height/spread)

Contact Details

For further information about the competition, please email Derwen Skills Live on skillslive@derwen.ac.uk