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| **Unit Title:** | **Understanding Plant Pruning** |
| **Unit Level:** | **Level 1** |
| **Unit Credit Value:** | **1** |
| **GLH:** | **9** |
| **LASER Unit Code:** | **WJC603** |
| **Ofqual Unit Code:** | **L/506/1032** |

This unit has 3 learning outcomes.

| **LEARNING OUTCOMES** | | **ASSESSMENT CRITERIA** | |
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| **The learner will:** | | **The learner can:** | |
| 1. | Understand the reasons for pruning plants. | 1.1 | State what is meant by pruning. |
| | | 1.2 | State why pruning is carried out. |
| | | 1.3 | Name plants which are usually pruned. |
| 2. | Know how to prune plants. | 2.1 | Identify a node. |
| | | 2.2 | Identify where and how to cut when pruning. |
| 3. | Be able to prune plants. | 3.1 | Make a firm clean cut using practice material. |
| | | 3.2 | Prune different plants at different occasions by:<br>a) Cutting in the correct place<br>b) Making a clean cut. |

| **Assessment Guidance:** |
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| AC1.2 A minimum of three reasons to be given.<br>AC 1.3 A minimum of six plants to be named.<br>AC 3.2 A minimum of two plants to be pruned on at least four times. |

| **Additional Information:** |
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