



IRTE Workshop accreditation

“With around 80% of maintenance provision for LGVs outsourced, this is a logical step that will yield excellent results for the industry”

David Wells, Chief Executive, FTA

- Commercial advantage
- Independent assurance
- Raising standards

Book your assessment

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What is IRTE Workshop Accreditation?

IRTE Workshop Accreditation is an independent audit which recognises and promotes best practice in workshop procedures. By successfully passing the audit you will be placed on the IRTE Workshop Accreditation Register, which sends a message to manufacturers and operators that your organisation runs to the highest standard, enabling them to buy your services with confidence.

This independent verification of your operating standards, health and safety awareness and regulatory compliance will give you a competitive advantage within the industry. The other benefits of the accreditation include highlighting existing best-practice while helping you to develop and improve, leading to better outcomes in terms of vehicle downtime and pass rates.

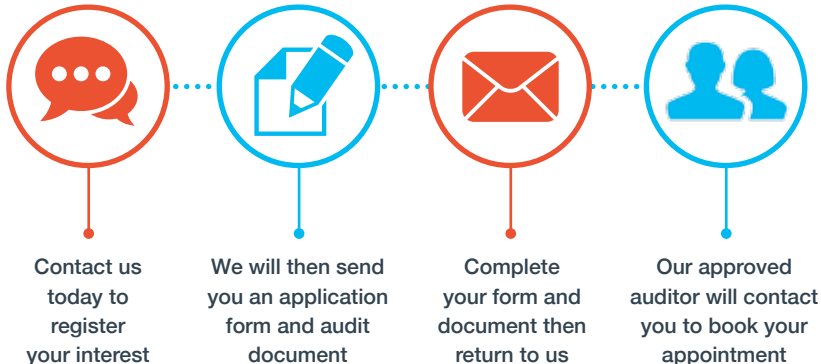
- Demonstrate your workshop's quality standards via test pass rates, health and safety records and areas of expertise
- Pass on confidence in standards of work to customers
- Get a non-biased review of how your workshop compares to the industry standard
- Identify training needs for increased workshop efficiency
- Receive a competitive advantage through inclusion in the [IRTE Workshop Accreditation Register](#)

FAQ

Who can apply for IRTE Workshop Accreditation?

Maintenance workshops which are either open for external business or in-house are welcome to apply, whether you service commercial, passenger carrying or light freight vehicles.

How do I apply for Accreditation?



What are the benefits?

Once your workshop has passed, it is placed on the IRTE Workshop Accreditation Register, which is a searchable database for operators who are looking for a new or improved maintenance provider. You will also benefit from being able to use the accredited workshop logo on your website, marketing and sales materials. Most importantly, you will know that your workshop is of the demanding operational standard which an independent audit requires.

What does it cost and how long does it last?

We have an easy to follow pricing structure, which depends on how many workshops you need assessing:

Band A (5 workshops or less) **£775 + VAT per audit**

Band B (6 – 30 workshops) **£735 + VAT per audit**

Band C (31 workshops or more) **£695 + VAT per audit**

Once audited successfully, each workshop will remain on the accreditation register for three years. When you approach your renewal; we will contact you to arrange it.

My team is already irtec qualified; should we get Workshop Accreditation too?

Yes! In fact we positively encourage those with irtec qualified staff to apply. irtec and Workshop Accreditation are two halves of the same coin – one half shows how skilled your people are and the other the standards you set in the workplace.

I'm an operator, how does the scheme help me?

You can be assured that when you choose a maintenance provider, you are doing it with confidence to the rigorous standards set by the Institute of Road Transport Engineers (IRTE). Our approved auditors all have experience of the required standards, giving added quality assurance.

For more information on IRTE Workshop Accreditation and to book, contact us:

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“Wincanton and other major fleet operators welcome the development of a workshop accreditation scheme, particularly one aimed at the heavy vehicle market. Accredited workshops will be able to showcase their service offerings to a key customer group, demonstrate their continued improvement and establish their credibility in the broad marketplace.”

Dave Rowlands, Technical Services Director,
Wincanton Group Ltd

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