

1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (DE) (1)

Lehrabschlussprüfungszeugnis Fertigteilhausbau

⁽¹⁾ in original language

2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EN) (2)

Certificate of Apprenticeship "Prefabricated Housing Construction" (f/m)

⁽²⁾ This translation has no legal status.

3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCES.

- storage, care and selection of raw materials and other building and auxiliary building materials
- manual and machine-based processing of raw materials (such as timber, plastics, metal) and other building and auxiliary building materials, as well as performance of surface treatment
- manual and machine-based production (using production facilities) of construction elements (such as wall, ceiling, floor and roof elements)
- installation of insulation materials for heat, cold, humidity, fire and noise protection as well as sealing material
- production of other prefabricated building components such as stairs, wall and ceiling panelling as well as timber flooring
- assembly and mounting of prefabricated building components as well as production of sub-structures, laying and processing of lightweight panels, and also production of connection and expansion joints
- installation of other prefabricated building components such as doors and windows, stairs, wall and ceiling panelling and timber flooring using different fastening and installation methods
- · examination and testing of the performed tasks as well as identification and elimination of defects
- performance of the work taking into consideration relevant safety regulations, norms and environmental standards
- appropriate written and oral command of language and mode of expression as well as use of job-related foreign language

4. RANGE OF OCCUPATIONS ACCESSIBLE TO THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE ⁽³⁾

Range of occupations:

Employment including in manufacturing companies of prefabricated houses (most often medium-sized industrial companies)

(3) if applicable

(*) Explanatory note

This document has been developed with a view to providing additional information on individual certificates; it has no legal effect in its own right. These explanatory notes refer to the Decision (EU) 2018/646 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 April 2018 on a common framework for the provision of better services for skills and qualifications (Europass).

More information on Europass is available at: http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu or www.europass.at



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
Lehrlingsstelle der Wirtschaftskammer	
(Apprenticeship Office of the Economic Chamber; for the address, see certificate)	Bundesministerium für Arbeit und Wirtschaft (Federal Ministry of Labour and Economy)
Level of the certificate (national or international)	Grading scale / Pass requirements
NQF/EQF 4 ISCED 35	Overall performance: Pass with Distinction Good Pass Pass Fail
Access to next level of education/training	International agreements
Access to the <i>Berufsreifeprüfung</i> (i.e. certificate providing university access for skilled workers) or a vocational college for people under employment. Access to relevant courses at a <i>Fachhochschule</i> (i.e. university level study programme of at least three years' duration with vocational-technical orientation); additional examinations must be taken if the educational objective of the respective course requires it.	Between Germany, Hungary, South Tyrol and Austria, international agreements on the mutual automatic recognition of apprenticeship-leave examinations and other vocational qualifications have been concluded. More information on this topic may be obtained at the Austrian Federal Ministry of Labour and Economy.
Legal basis	

1. Training Regulation and Examination Regulation for Prefabricated Housing Construction BGBI. II (Federal Law Gazette) No. 131/2017 (company-based training)

2. Curriculum framework (education at the vocational school for apprentices)

 The present apprenticeship trade replaces the apprenticeship trade Prefabricated Housing Construction (Training Regulation BGBI. II [Federal Law Gazette] No. 190/2000, as amended by BGBI. II No. 177/2005 and Examination Regulation BGBI. II [Federal Law Gazette] No. 331/1999) which expired as of 31.5.2017.

6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE

- Training in the framework of the given Training Regulation for Prefabricated Housing Construction and of the curriculum of the vocational school for apprentices. Admission to the final apprenticeship examination upon completion of the apprenticeship period specified for the apprenticeship trade concerned. The final apprenticeship examination aims to establish whether the apprentice has acquired the skills and competences required for the respective apprenticeship trade and is able to carry out the activities particular to the learned trade herself/himself in an appropriate manner.
- 2. Admission to the final apprenticeship examination in accordance with Article 23 (5) of the *Berufsausbildungsgesetz* (Vocational Training Act). An applicant for an examination is entitled to sit the final apprenticeship examination without completing a formal apprenticeship training if she/he has reached 18 years of age and is able to prove acquisition of the required skills and competences by means of a relevant practical or an on-the-job training activity of appropriate length, by attending relevant courses etc.

Additional information:

Entry requirements: successful completion of 9 years of compulsory schooling

Duration of training: 3 years

Enterprise-based training: Enterprise-based training comprises ⁴/₅ of the entire duration of the training and focuses on the provision of job-specific skills and competences according to Article 3 of the Training Regulation, BGBI. II (Federal Law Gazette) No. 131/2017, enabling the apprentice to exercise qualified activities as defined by the profile of skills and competences specified above.

Education at vocational school: School-based education comprises 1/5 of the entire duration of the training. The vocational school for apprentices has the tasks of imparting to apprentices the basic theoretical knowledge, of supplementing their enterprise-based training and of widening their general education in the framework of subject-oriented part-time instruction.

More information (including a description of the national qualification system) is available at: <u>www.zeugnisinfo.at</u> and <u>www.edusystem.at</u>

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