

1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (DE) ⁽¹⁾

Lehrabschlussprüfungszeugnis Dachdecker/Dachdeckerin

⁽¹⁾ in original language

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

Certificate of Apprenticeship 'Roofer' (f/m)

⁽²⁾ This translation has no legal status.

3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

- setting up and securing of work and construction sites as well as checking of preliminary work and foundation grounds
- manufacture of devices for the drainage of surface water such as roof gullies
- assembly of built-in and surface-mounted components for roofs and walls, such as fans, skylight domes, arcade rooflights, passages, windows, solar systems, photovoltaic systems, snow retention and snow guard systems, as well as collaboration in the installation and assembly of roof safety systems
- production of substructures for roof surfaces as part of renovations of roof covering and re-roofing work as well as wall surfaces
- installation of insulating materials, separating, levelling or sealing layers and vapour barriers as well as surface protection
- processing (by hewing, cutting, sawing, nailing, stapling, wiring, etc.) of covering and sealing materials (e.g. clay tiles, concrete roof tiles, fibre cement panels, straw, wooden shingles, plastic panels, etc.)
- division of the surface and use of ropes for the roof covering and sealing work to be performed
- covering of wall and roof surfaces by applying different types of covering and using different covering materials
- establishing connections and finishes e.g. for fireplaces and walls
- preparation of roofs and façades for green areas (e.g. sealing, production of separating layers and filtering layers, etc.)
- checking and monitoring of finished work, and identification and correction of defects
- performance of repair, maintenance and servicing work on existing roof and wall surfaces
- performance of the work taking into consideration relevant safety regulations, norms and environmental standards
- appropriate written and oral command of language and specialist terminology 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 roofing companies

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(*) 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 Lehrlingsstelle der Wirtschaftskammer (Apprenticeship Office of the Economic Chamber; for the address, see certificate)	Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate Bundesministerium für Arbeit und Wirtschaft (Federal Ministry of Labour and Economy)
Level of the certificate (national or international) NQF/EQF 4 ISCED 35	Grading scale / Pass requirements Overall performance: Pass with Distinction Good Pass Pass Fail
Access to next level of education/training 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.	International agreements 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. Information on equivalent apprenticeship occupations can be obtained from the Federal Ministry of Labour and Economy.
Legal basis 1. Training Regulation for Roofer BGBl. II (Federal Law Gazette) No. 192/2019 (company-based training) 2. Curriculum framework (education at the vocational school for apprentices) 3. The present apprenticeship trade replaces the apprenticeship trade Roofer (Training Regulation BGBl. II [Federal Law Gazette] No. 276/1973 as amended by BGBl. II [Federal Law Gazette] No. 15/1980 and Examination Regulation BGBl. II [Federal Law Gazette] No. 204/1976), which expired as of 31.07.2019.	

6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE
1. Training in the framework of the given Training Regulation for Roofer 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 <i>Berufsausbildungsgesetz</i> (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 $\frac{4}{5}$ of the entire duration of the training and focuses on the provision of job-specific skills and competences according to Article 2 of the Training Regulation, BGBl. II (Federal Law Gazette) No. 192/2019, 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 $\frac{1}{5}$ 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: www.zeugnisinfo.at and www.edusystem.at National Europass Center: europass@oead.at Ebendorferstraße 7, A-1010 Wien; Tel. + 43 1 53408-684