

Communications Specialist – The Royal Logistic Corps Class 2 Course

CSS Communications Specialist Class 2 BCiP 5.6

Course Aim.

To train Combat Service Support (CSS) personnel to be competent in the CSS Communications Specialist Class 2 BCiP 5.6 role.

Course Objectives.

Training Objectives associated with the Class 2 course are:

- TO1 Operate Field Telephone Equipment.
- TO2 Setup a Command Post Environment.
- TO3 Accounting and Maintenance Procedures.
- TO4 Identify and Comply with BCIP H&SAW Precautions, Conduct Operator Maintenance Procedures and Identify System Capabilities.
- TO5 Operate the VHF Radio.
- TO6 Operate BCIP UDT.
- TO7 Operate a BCIP LAS Platform Installation.
- TO8 Prepare Battery Maintenance Equipment.
- TO9 Manage BCIP Key Variables (KV).
- TO10 Employ In-Service Masts and Remote/Elevated Antennae.
- TO11 Provide a BCIP Radio Rebroadcast (RRB) Facility.

Duration.

The course is two weeks residential training delivered by CIS Sqn at DST Leconfield.

Enrolment Criteria.

Personnel must meet the following criteria to apply for the course¹:

- Hold a minimum vetting status of SC.
- Attended formal BOWMAN upgrade training BCiP 5.6.
- Medical Grade MFD (MLD/MND in special circumstances).
- Registered and activated Defence Learning Environment (DLE) account.
- Be capable of achieving a minimum score of 70% on the course Entry Assessments.
- Pregnant personnel are not to attend this course.

Qualifications Gained

- BOWMAN Basic Signaller BCIP 5.6.
- RLC Communications Specialist Class 2.

Accreditation.

The course is accredited and mapped to professional qualifications at Level 3.

¹ Request to deviate can be sought in accordance with RLC Training Instructions.

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Dates & Enrolment.

Courses dates for each Training Year can be found within the relevant DCLPA Pamphlets. Queries and applications are to be submitted via the Unit career management single point of contact to the courses clerk within DCLPA Training Operations.