



# **FOA - CFOT**

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## COURSE CONTENT

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### **Introduction to Fibre Optics**

- Health and safety
- Fibre optic terms
- Metric system
- Fibre optic communication systems

#### Installation

- Fibre Type
- Multimode and singlemode
- Attenuation and loss
- Cable types

### **Splicing**

- Splicing processes
- Troubleshooting
- Parameters

#### **Connectors**

- Connector basics and types
- Termination processes

## **Installation & Planning Considerations**

- Loss budgets
- Choosing components
- Documentation

#### **Testing**

- Test equipment and correct procedures
- Light source & power meter (ILM)
- Visual light source (VLS)
- OTDR's features and principles
- Event types i.e reflective/ non-reflective
- Macro/micro bending
- Fault locating
- Lead types
- Practical workshops

#### **Exam and Assessment Method**

- Multiple choice exam





