



# Location and Avoidance of Underground Apparatus Training



## Introduction

The aim of the location and avoidance of underground apparatus course is to provide the delegates with required level of understanding of the safety procedures and precautions associated with the use of Cable Avoidance Tools before and during excavation work.



## Course Duration

SSG offer this course over half a day.



## Who Should Attend

Site personnel who are engaged in excavation and ground works.



## Course Programme

Delegates will participate in theory and practical training covering the following:

- Course introduction
- Relevant legislation, approved code of practice and guidance to include HSG 47
- Interpretation of utility maps
- Symbols used by utility companies on maps
- Common types of underground apparatus
- Support of apparatus in open excavations
- Safe working practices to include risk assessment and use of PPE
- Practical use of cable avoidance tools and generator
- Health and safety implications of damage to underground apparatus
- Assessment and feedback



## Certification and Assessment

The course will be certified by SSG based on attendance only. Should City and Guilds certification be required please advise at time of enquiry.



Suggested Follow on and Complementary Courses



CAT & Genny Assessments



CITB Site Supervisor Safety Training Scheme