

Landscape Horticulturist Harmonized Level 2

STANDARDIZED LEVEL EXAM (SLE) BREAKDOWN

The following table shows the number of questions per General Area of Competency (GAC) and Competency on the *Landscape Horticulturist Harmonized Level 2 SLE*.

Number of questions on each exam: 100

Level 2 GAC/Competency	#
B. USE TOOLS, EQUIPMENT AND VEHICLES	5
B1. Use hand tools	1
B2. Use power tools	2
B3. Use measuring equipment	0
B4. Use vehicles and motorized equipment, trailers and attachments	2
C. ORGANIZE WORK	7
C1. Perform site assessments	2
C2. Use documentation and reference material	2
C3. Maintain records	0
C6. Organize materials and equipment	0
C7. Transport materials	1
C8. Transport equipment	2
F. APPLY HORTICULTURAL PRACTICES	37
F1. Practice basic plant science	14
F2. Identify plants and plant requirements	12
F3. Manage plant health and growing conditions	3
F4. Prune plant materials	8
G. APPLY ENVIRONMENTAL PRACTICES	17
G1. Practice environmental stewardship	1
G3. Practice soil stewardship	15
G4. Practice water stewardship	1
H. PERFORM PRE-CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES	3
H2. Prepare construction site	3
I. INSTALL HARDSCAPE	12
I2. Install surface materials	7

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Level 2 GAC/Competency	#
I3. Install steps and retaining walls	5
J. INSTALL SOFTSCAPE	13
J2. Install exterior landscape plants	6
J3. Transplant plants	4
J4. Install mulch	3
L. MAINTAIN HARDSCAPE	2
L1. Maintain drainage systems	1
L3. Maintain surface materials	1
L4. Maintain steps and retaining walls	0
M. MAINTAIN SOFTSCAPE	4
M1. Maintain exterior softscape	3
M4. Propagate plant materials	1
Total:	100