

Timeline of the Qualification Framework Cycle

September
Written Examinations, Professional Interviews & Oral Examinations including Resits
Training begins in preparation for the May and September exam cycles

October
Training continues
Practical and Oral and Professional Interview examinations including Resits

November
Training continues

December
Ratification meeting for the September exam results
Exam results awarded

January
Appeals submission cut-off date for examination results
Training dates published on the website and bookings open for the following May and September exam cycles

February
Certificates provided for successful examinations achievements

March
1 of March deadline for coursework submission for feedback

April
1 April deadline for Stage 2 Portfolios, Reflective Statement submissions
Stage 1 Coursework submission deadline for no feedback
Revision days commence
Exam registration closes for May Exam cycle

May
All written examinations
Professional Interview examinations
Feed and Food Oral examinations

June
Practical and Oral examinations for Weights and Measures
Exam registration for May opens for the following year

July
Qualification Panel ratification meeting for the May results
Stage 1 Coursework updates published
Stage 2 Portfolio updates published
Exam result letters provided to candidates
Awards confirmed and notification sent to candidates
1 July deadline for coursework submission for feedback

August
1 August Deadline for Stage 2 Portfolios, Reflective Statement submissions
1 August Training bookings close for the following May and September exam cycles
Revision day in preparation for September cycle