



CIPD APPROVED CENTRE • FLEX SELF-PACED • 2026

CIPD Level 5

Associate Diploma in People Management

Qualify on your terms. Study at the pace that fits your life, backed by practising HR professionals who stay with you from your first unit to your Diploma certificate.

196

Guided learning hours

7

Units, three core,
three pathway
and one specialist

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Exams. Ever.



CIPD
Approved centre

You are never studying alone

Self-paced does not mean unsupported. You choose the speed, we provide the structure, the expertise and the encouragement to keep you moving.

- **Study when it suits you**
Start any time and fit your learning around work and family.
- **Support from Practising HR professionals**
Every tutor works in the profession they teach. Extra sessions available, at no additional cost.
- **CIPD Student Membership included**
Paid for you, from induction right through to certification.
- **High-quality learning resources**
Slide decks, templates, worked examples and assessment briefs.
- **Guaranteed pass or your money back**
Engage with your tutor and submit your work, and we stand behind the result.
- **No hidden extras**
Marking, re-marking, feedback and certification all sit inside your fee.

Dedicated tutor engagement in every unit

Orientation

A confident start, not a login link

Mid-point review

A check-in on your progress

Assessment guidance

Clarity on what good looks like

On request

Extra support any time you ask



Seven units. Zero exams.

Built on the CIPD Profession Map, so everything you learn is practical, current and immediately usable at work.

THREE CORE UNITS

5CO01 Organisational performance and culture in practice

5CO02 Evidence-based practice

5CO03 Professional behaviours and valuing people

THREE PATHWAY UNITS

5HR01 Employment relationship management

5HR02 Talent management and workforce planning

5HR03 Reward for performance and contribution

ONE SPECIALIST UNIT

5OS06 Leadership and management development

Choose your pace

196 guided learning hours, spread however you like. A typical weekly commitment:

3 months 16.5 hrs / week

6 months 8 hrs / week

9 months 5 hrs / week

12 months 4 hrs / week

18 months 2.5 hrs / week

How you are assessed

One written assessment per unit, applied to real workplace situations, marked by our assessors and quality assured by the CIPD, with two further attempts available

YOUR INVESTMENT



£2,450 all in. No hidden extras.

Your CIPD Student Membership fees and VAT are already inside that number. So is every piece of marking, feedback and support you will need.

BEST VALUE

Pay upfront

£2,205

Save £245 with the 10% upfront discount

Spread the cost

£204.16

Per month across 12 months, interest free

Standard fee

£2,450

Including VAT and all CIPD membership fees

Every fee includes

- ✓ The full CIPD Level 5 programme
- ✓ CIPD Student Membership, paid by us
- ✓ Tutor support throughout your studies
- ✓ Learning resources and assessment briefs
- ✓ All marking, feedback and re-marking
- ✓ Diploma Certificate on successful completion

Your employer can be invoiced direct on request. The final instalment must be completed before your final unit is released. A CIPD bursary is available, subject to eligibility.

WHERE IT TAKES YOU



A qualification that opens doors

The Associate Diploma gives you the expertise employers look for in mid-level and advisory people roles, plus a route to Associate CIPD Membership and the letters Assoc CIPD after your name.

HR Business Partner

People Manager

Employee Relations Manager

Talent Manager

Reward and Benefits Manager

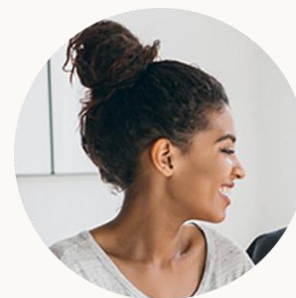
Resourcing Business Partner

People Analyst

Diversity and Inclusion Specialist

Associate CIPD Membership on completion

Professional recognition that travels with you for the rest of your career.



"Tony, Lara and Lauren offer a fantastic services and were a brilliant support completing my CIPD Level 5 Associate Diploma in People Management. They were there every step of the way and were also very responsive when I had a question or needed additional support. Thank you all, I will definitely be in touch if I decide to take another course that you support."

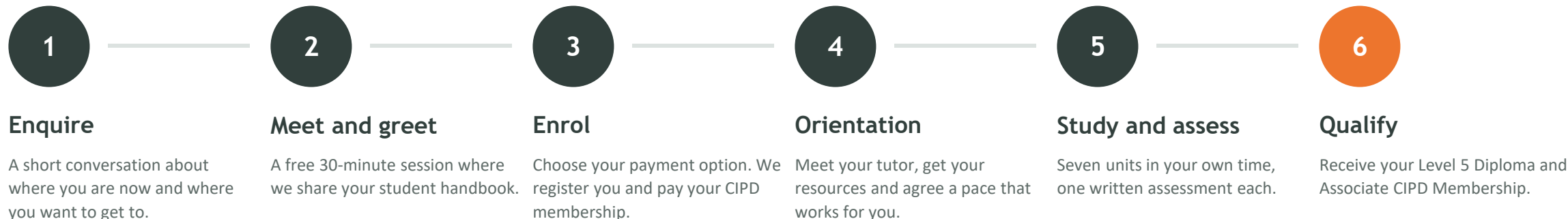
Clare Scholes · Level 5 student

"I recently completed my CIPD Level 5 qualification with Contigo and honestly could not recommend them enough. Tony and Lara were incredibly supportive throughout the entire qualification and were always there whenever I needed guidance, reassurance or feedback. They both took the time to explain things properly, helped me stay motivated during the tougher parts of the course, and genuinely wanted to see me succeed. Their support, knowledge and encouragement made a huge difference to my learning experience and helped me build both my confidence and understanding within HR. Thank you both for all your support throughout the qualification."

Alex Sokol · Level 5 student

[More learner and client stories at contigoassociates.com/testimonials](https://contigoassociates.com/testimonials)

From first enquiry to certificate



Ready to start?

Tell us where you are in your career and we will tell you honestly whether Level 5 is the right next step. No pressure, no sales script.

Contigo means with you. We mean it.

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