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# IS YOUR PAL CARD ABOUT TO EXPIRE?



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If so, you don't need to retake the full MEWP operator course to renew it!

Existing PAL Card holders can choose the shorter, Operator Renewal Course, or the PAL+ Advanced Operator Course to renew and upskill at the same time.



To book or for more details, contact an IPAF training centre www.ipaf.org/training

















# Existing PAL Card Holders

Routes to Renewal

Take the IPAF MEWP
Operator Renewal Training Course

OR

Take the IPAF PAL+ Advanced MEWP Operator Training Course





#### **Practical Module & Test**



Choose real machines or VR MEWP simulator

#### Theory Module



Choose eLearning or instructor-led



On successful completion your PAL Card is renewed for five years\*

(\*subject to regional variation)

### IPAF MEWP Operator Renewal Training Course

The quickest & simplest way to renew your PAL Card

#### IPAF PAL+ Advanced MEWP Operator Training Course

Upskill while also renewing your regular PAL Card

#### Can these courses be taken as eLearning?

Yes, you can take the theory module and test as eLearning for both courses prior to attending a training centre where you will take your practical module. (Facial recognition technology is used during eLearning to confirm your identity.) Alternatively, you can take the theory module and test in a classroom, led by an instructor, at a training centre.

#### Can these courses be take using a VR Sim?

Yes, you can take the practical module and test for both courses using a virtual reality MEWP simulator (VR sim), supervised by an instructor at a participating training centre, or, by prior arrangement, at your worksite.

N.B. Only courses for machine types 3a and 3b can be taken using a VR sim; courses for machine types 1a and 1b must be taken on a real machine at a training centre.

#### What are the pre-requisites for this course?

A valid PAL Card and a minimal amount of practical experience is required - please contact your nearest IPAF training centre to find out more.

A valid PAL Card or operator licence - please contact your nearest IPAF training centre to find out more.

#### Which categories of MEWP does this course cover?

1a 3a 3b 1b

3a+ 3b+ 1b+

#### How long is the course?

The duration is between half a day and a day, depending on format chosen. The course is designed to build upon candidates' existing knowledge. By comparison, the regular 'entry-level' MEWP Operator Course takes between one and three days, depending on the candidate's experience and complexity of the machine training is required for.

Usually one day - depending on format taken.

#### What qualification do I gain?

Your PAL Card – now issued digitally as ePAL (see overleaf), will be renewed for five years.\*

\*Subject to regional variation.

Your PAL Card – now issued digitally as ePAL(see overleaf), will have the plus sign (+) added for each relevant category.

Please see www.ipaf.org/palplus for more information.

#### How much does it cost?

Each training centre sets its own prices. Please contact your local training centre for more details.

#### If I have a PAL Card can I use the IPAF logo?

PAL Card holders can use the 'operator tick logo' which signifies operators hold a PAL Card and have completed IPAF-approved training. Download at www.ipaf.org/logos. Please search for 'IPAF operator tick logo'. (Only IPAF members can use the 'IPAF Member' logo.)









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