

Construction Studies Induction Course - Project Types

The State Examinations Commission uses the following categories to record statistical information on types of projects submitted for assessment.

Construction

This category consists of all coursework relating to the construction of a building. These include wet trades, planning regulations, scale models, details of roofs, foundations, doors, windows, stairs, timber frame construction, sectional details etc. plumbing/ heating and drainage.

Furniture

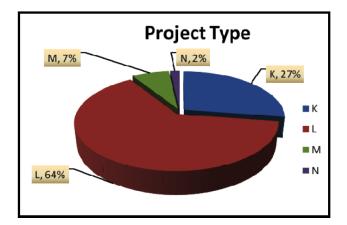
This category includes all items of internal and external furniture other than heritage.

Heritage

Coursework presented under this category include: buildings of historical significance; dwellings in the vernacular tradition or from a particular period; buildings and structures of architectural interest; artefacts of historical significance; building restoration and conservation and traditional skills including furniture restoration and replication etc.

New Technologies

Coursework presented under this category include: geothermal, solar, wind, MHRV, rainwater harvesting; new insulation techniques and materials; innovative building methods; control technologies, smart metering etc.



The accompanying chart, taken from the chief examiners report 2009, shows the type of coursework presented for assessment that year.