

# Saint Lucia Human Capital Resilience Project

## TVET Social media Content May to June 2023

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#### Week Three

Introduction of Human Capital Resilience Project

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## Do you know what TVET is?

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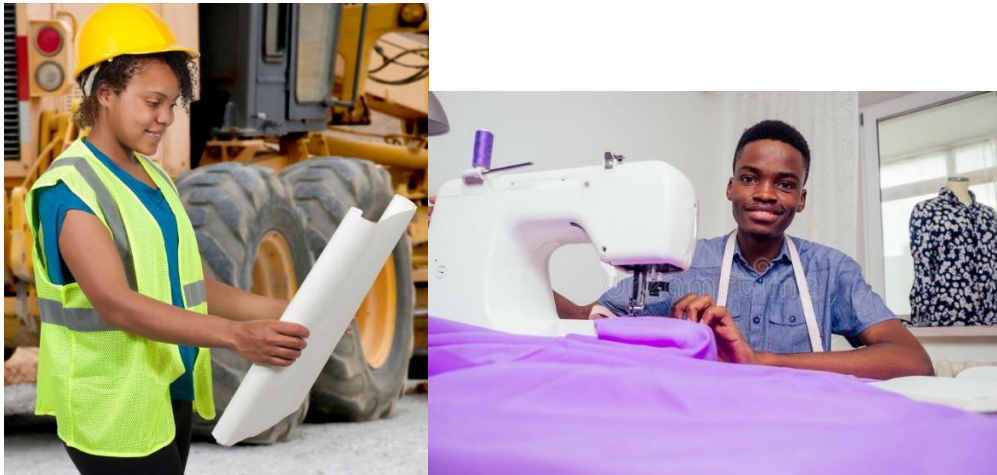
TVET is an inclusive educational approach that focuses on the acquisition of skills, knowledge, and attitudes, aimed at preparing individuals for a wide range of occupations and careers in various industries.



## Week Two

### How can TVET Benefit Me?

- TVET focuses on employability, entrepreneurial potential, and the development of attitudes and behaviours necessary for success.
- TVET offers qualifications and certifications that adhere to industry standards and enhance opportunities for individuals to reach their full potential.



### How Can TVET Benefit me?

TVET provides the opportunity to:

- acquire hands-on competencies in a trade or technical field
- gain industry-specific knowledge in areas like hospitality, agriculture, or renewable energy.
- Develops professional attitudes and behaviours, such as teamwork, problem-solving, and adaptability.



## Where can I get information about TVET?

  
 Sec. School  
 students, parents  
 principals &  
 teachers

  
 Adults/General Public

  
 Private Sector



### TVET Unit

**468-  
5437/5270**

Manages and oversees the implementation of TVET within the Secondary School system in Saint Lucia

### NELU

**451-7717**

The National Enrichment Learning Unit through its National Enrichment and Learning Programme (NELP), offers continued education.

### Institutions offering TVET Qualifications

UWI **452-3865**  
 Monroe college  
**456- 3200**  
 Sir Arthur Lewis community College  
**457-7300**  
 NSDC **458-1677**  
 CARE **450-8179**  
 BTC **450-8336**

### Workforce Development Centre

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Facilitates access to TVET training opportunities for young people (aged 15 - 25) from the south of the island (Dennery to Canaries)

### TVET Council

**451- 9467**

Oversees execution of TVET Policy, Curriculum, assessment & Certification outside of Secondary schools

## Week Three

### Understanding TVET Qualifications – Part 1

There are many opportunities to get TVET certified with TVET CSEC, CVQs, NVQs, diplomas and associate degrees.

#### TVET CSEC

Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) Caribbean Secondary Education Certification (CSEC) Available in all Secondary Schools:

- Technical Drawing
- Food, Nutrition and Health
- Textile, Clothing and Fashion
- Family and Resource Management
- Building and Furniture Technology
- Electrical and Electronic Technology
- Mechanical Engineering Technology
- Visual Arts
- Agricultural Science
- Principals of Business
- Principals of Accounts
- Electronic Document Preparation and Management
- Office Administration

For More information on TVET CSEC subjects contact the TVET Unit: 468-5437/5270



### Understanding TVET Qualifications Part 2.

There are many opportunities to get TVET certified with TVET CSEC, CVQs, NVQs, diplomas and associate degrees.

## What is a CVQ?

A Caribbean Vocational Qualification (CVQ) is a certification system approved by Caricom (with industry specific Qualifications) for individuals who have achieved and demonstrated competence in the essential knowledge, skills and attitudes for an occupation as detailed by the occupational standards for the specific job. CVQs available in Saint Lucia:

- Construction and a number of related areas
- Agriculture and a number of related areas
- Hospitality and business related services
- Occupational Area
- Information communication Technology (ICT) and Related areas
- Allied Health
- Education ( Early childhood Education)
- Automotive – Motor Vehicle Repair
- Public Services – Security Operations
- Providing Security Services
- Creative Industries – Steelpan Manufacturing, Tuning and Musical Performance.

If you would like more information on CVQs – Contact the TVET Council at:

(758) 451 9467/(758) 572 5499/(758) 285 1486



## The Face of TVET - Meet Jervaunie

**TVET** TECHNICAL VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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I have been doing Graphic arts for a while, but I took a Graphics design course with the TVET Council and was able to improve by skills and market myself to grow my business.

What I learned helped me venture into new aspects of graphic design such as animation and taught me many new things. I am now working for myself and am able to sustain myself through my business.

I really have a passion for Graphics work and won't stop until I become one of the best in the Caribbean.

For more information contact the TVET Unit  
488-6437 or 488-6270

HCRP 285-3753 OR NSDC | CARE | NELLU or SALCC

**REIMAGINE YOUR FUTURE WITH TVET!**

MEET SAINT LUCIAN: Jervaunie K Lionel  
(Entrepreneur and Graphic/Brand Designer.)

## Week Four

### Understanding the TVET Qualifications in Saint Lucia Pt. 3

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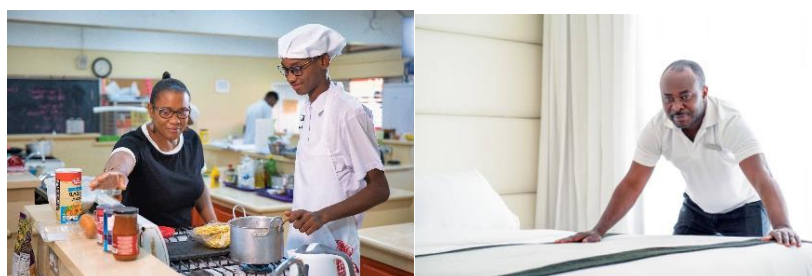
#### What is an NVQ?

National Vocational Qualifications (NVQs) are Vocational Qualifications based on competency standards which have been developed and validated for occupations which are relevant to a particular country. The Saint Lucia National Vocational Qualification (SLNVQ) is an occupational standard developed and validated in Saint Lucia for use in St Lucia and include the following areas:

- Housekeeping room attendant
- Breads, Cakes and Pastry Making Occupational area
- Commercial Food Preparation – Commis Chef

If you would like more information on NVQs – Contact the TVET Council at:

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### Understanding TVET Qualifications – Part 4

#### CVQ & NVQ Qualification Levels

LEVELS	REQUIREMENTS	ACADEMIC COMPETENCE
Level 1 - Certificate	To be determined by local training institution	Grade 10
Level 2 - Certificate	Grade 10	Grade 11
Level 3 – Diploma and/or Associates Degree	4 CSEC or Level 2 Certification	Associate Degree Entry to Bachelor's Degree Programme with or without advanced standing
Level 4 – Bachelor's Degree	5 CSEC/Level 3 Certification	Master Craftsman, Technologist Advanced Instructor Manager Entrepreneur
Level 5 – Post Graduate advanced Professional	Level 4 Certification or Equivalent	Chartered or Advanced Professional/ Senior Management Occupations



## The Face of TVET – Meet Christal



**TVET** | TECHNICAL VOCATIONAL  
EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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After taking TVET subjects at Vieux fort Comprehensive, and then doing electrical installation at Sir Arthur Lewis Community College, I worked in a number of technical positions at various companies.

This career path has helped me both personally and professionally. It has made me a critical thinker and more innovative, it has leveled up my finances and enabled me to be independent.

I love that I can fix all of my own appliances and do a lot of repairs to my own car. I look forward to breaking down more gender barriers as I move forward in this field.

*For more information contact the TVET Unit  
4685437 or 4685270*

*HCRP 285 3753 OR NSDC / CARE / NELU or SALCC*

**REIMAGINE  
YOUR  
FUTURE  
WITH TVET!**

**MEET SAINT LUCIAN: Christal Octave  
Shift Attendant - Generation  
Department (LUCELEC)**

**LUCELEC**

## **WEEK FIVE**

### **Understanding TVET Qualifications Part 5**

Where is TVET Training Available?

There are a number of Institutions offering Technical and Vocation Education and Training (TVET) in Saint Lucia.

- ✓ Comprehensive Secondary Schools
- ✓ Sir Arthur Lewis Community College
- ✓ National Skills Development Centre (NSDC)
- ✓ National Enrichment Learning Unit (NELU)
- ✓ Centre for Adolescent Renewal and Education (CARE)
- ✓ Boys Training Centre (BTC)
- ✓ Monroe College