

# WSET Level 2 Award in Wines



Course Length: 3 Days

# **Class 1: Wine – from Vine to Table**

Course Outline, Study Packs, Glasses, Exam Format Tasting and Evaluating Wine Grape-Growing

### Lunch

Winemaking
Pairing Wine with Food
Storage & Service of Wine

## **Class 2: The Classic Varieties**

Chardonnay Sauvignon Blanc Riesling Gewurztraminer, Viognier & Albariño Chenin Blanc, Semillon & Furmint

### Lunch

Pinot Noir Merlot & Cabernet Sauvignon Syrah/Shiraz & Grenache/Garnacha

# Class 3: Signature Varieties, Sparkling, & Fortified Wines

Pinot Grigio/Pinot Gris Italian Varieties & Labels Tempranillo & Spanish Labels Other Red Varieties

### Lunch

Sparkling Wines Sherry & Port Exam

# **LEARNING OUTCOMES:**

- Display an understanding of the influences on the style, quality and price of wines.
- Understand wine label terminology
- Name the important grape varieties and describe their character and the style of wine produced
- Produce basic descriptions of wines using the Level 2 Systematic Approach to Tasting
- Give basic advice on storage, service of wine, and food and wine matching

# **Study Pack**

Upon registration, you will be sent an access code to you within 2 business days. Access is valid for up to 1 year from the time of registration.

### Exam

The examination is restricted to information contained within the Study Pack.

At the end of the last day of the course, students will be provided 60 minutes to answer 50 multiple-choice questions.

The exams are then couriered to WSET head office for marking. Results are released approximately 6-8 weeks after the exam.

Students are required to achieve a grade of 55% to pass the Level 2 certification.