

# BHS Approved Centres Hat Guidelines 2017 v1

Hats must meet ALL of the requirements of one of the following rows:

**IMPORTANT UPDATES FOR 2016 onwards:**

Due to a change by the European Commission regarding EN1384 and BSEN1384 no longer being an accepted standard, all hats which ONLY meet the standard EN1384 or BSEN1384, and do not comply with another standard from the below list, WILL NOT be permitted for use at any BHS Approved Centre. Hats which bear EN1384 or BSEN1384 ALONG WITH another standard from the below list, will be permitted. For example, BSEN1384 & PAS015 (1998 or 2011) along with the Kitemark would be acceptable. but not BSEN1384 on its own.

	Standard and Date	Quality Assurance Mark	Examples		
1	PAS 015 (1998 or 2011)	<p><b>AND MUST HAVE</b></p> <p>BSI Kitemark</p>  <p>Or Inspec IC Mark</p> 			
2	VG1 01.040 (2014-12)	<p><b>AND MUST HAVE</b></p> <p>BSI Kitemark</p>  <p>Or Inspec IC Mark</p> 			
3	ASTM F1163 (2004a or 04a onwards)	<p><b>AND MUST HAVE</b></p> <p>SEI mark</p> 			
4	SNELL E2001 or E2016	<p><b>AND MUST HAVE</b></p> <p>Official SNELL label and number</p> 			
5	AS/NZS 3838 (2006 onwards)	<p><b>AND MUST HAVE</b></p> <p>SAI Global mark</p> 			