DEMONSTRATE NUMERACY SKILLS

UNIT CODE: ENG/OS/EI/BC/02/3/A

UNIT DESCRIPTION:

This unit covers the competencies required to identify and undertake simple numerical processes. The person who is competent in this unit shall be able to use / work with whole numbers and money up to one hundred thousand; Locate, compare and use highly familiar measurement; Use highly familiar maps and diagrams; Identify and use some common 2D shapes; and locate specific Information in highly familiar tables, graphs and charts for work.

ELEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
These describe the	These are assessable statements which specify the required level
key outcomes	of performance for each of the elements.
which make up	Bold and italicized terms are elaborated in the Range
workplace	
function	
1. Use whole	1.1 Whole numbers and money amount up to 100,000 in highly
numbers and	familiar workplace documents and tasks are named and read
money up to	1.2 Understanding of place value and the role of zero is
one hundred	demonstrate
thousand for	1.3 Halves are recognised and understood in workplace
work	1.4 Whole numbers and money amounting up to 100,000 are
	organised in size order and are compared
	1.5 Counting done in number groups
	1.6 Addition and subtraction of whole numbers and money up to
	100,000 done in accordance with workplace requirement
	1.7 Links between operations of addition and subtraction are
	clearly described
	1.8 Reasonableness of outcome with prompting and support is
	checked
	1.1 Numerical information is recorded, and the result of the task
	is communicated using informal language and symbolism
2. Locate,	2.1 Measurements in highly familiar workplace documents and
compare and	tasks are located
use highly	2.2 Different units of measurements and their uses are identified
familiar	2.3 The comparative relationship between the units of
measurement	measurement identified
for work	2.4 Understanding of conservation of amounts is demonstrated
	2.5 Informal language is used to compare measurements
	2.6 Digital time is well read and am and pm used in reference to
	time

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		2.7 Calendar used appropriately to record information
		2.8 Basic measurement information is well read and recorded
		2.9 Additions and subtraction of simple quantities done in
		workplace
3.	Use highly	3.1 Familiar items or places are in highly familiar maps and
	familiar maps	diagrams
	and diagrams	3.2 Simple symbols and pictorial representations are identified
	for work	in highly familiar maps and diagrams
		3.3 Simple oral directions are given to locate objects
		3.4 Simple oral directions followed to locate objects
		3.5 Understanding of informal directional language is
		demonstrated
4.	Identify and	4.1 Familiar two-dimensional shapes are identified and named
	use some	4.2 Common objects are described in terms of size and shape
	common 2D	4.3 Common, every day, informal language is used to compare
	shapes for	objects
	work	4.4 Common objects are grouped based on shape, size, colour
		and features
5.	Locate	5.1 Features of simple tables identified
	specific	5.2 Specific numerical information located in highly familiar
	Information in	tables using grid movement (up and down columns and
	highly familiar	across rows) and key
	tables, graphs	5.3 Numerical information and data in highly familiar tables
	and charts for	compared using appropriate informal language
	work	5.4 Information related to relevant workplace tasks
		5.5 Features of simple graphs and charts identified
		5.6 Specific numerical information located in highly familiar
		graphs and charts
		5.7 Numerical information and data compared using appropriate
		informal language

RANGE

This section provides work environments and conditions to which the performance criteria apply. It allows for different work environments and situations that will affect performance.

Variable	Range
Measuring instruments	Rulers
include but not limited to:	Watches/clocks
	• Scales
	• Thermometers
	AVO meter
Common two -	Round/circle
dimensional shapes	• Square
include but not limited to:	Rectangular

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Triangle

REQUIRED SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE

This section describes the skills and knowledge required for this unit of competency.

Required Skills

The individual needs to demonstrate the following skills:

- Applying Fundamental operations (addition, subtraction, division, multiplication)
- Using calculator
- Using different measuring tools

Required knowledge

The individual needs to demonstrate knowledge of:

- Types of common shapes
- Differentiation between two dimensional shapes / objects
- Formulae for calculating area and volume
- Types and purpose of measuring instruments
- Units of measurement and abbreviations
- Fundamental operations (addition, subtraction, division, multiplication)
- Rounding techniques
- Types of fractions
- Different types of tables and graphs
- Meaning of graphs, such as increasing, decreasing, and constant value
- Preparation of basic data, tables & graphs

EVIDENCE GUIDE

This provides advice on assessment and must be read in conjunction with the performance criteria, required skills and knowledge and range.

1. Critical Aspects of	Assessment requires evidence that the candidate:
Competency	1.1 Measured objects or materials as per job
	requirements
	1.2 Used calculator to perform the four fundamental operations
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	1.3 Performed calculations involving money up to one
	hundred thousand
	1.4 Performed conversions between hours, minutes
	and seconds
	1.5 Calculated area and volume of regular shapes
	1.6 Created tables and graphs to represent and
	interpret information
2. Resource	2.1 Calculator
Implications	2.2 Basic measuring instruments
3. Methods of	Competency may be assessed through:

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Assessment	3.1 Written Test
	3.2 Interview/Oral Questioning
	3.3 Demonstration
4. Context of	Competency may be assessed in an off the job
Assessment	setting
5. Guidance information	Holistic assessment with other units relevant to the
for assessment	industry sector, workplace and job role is
	recommended.

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