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Please submit this form to your tutor via the eTMA system as part of TMA 01. Note that you can increase the size of each answer box below by clicking on the lower border and dragging it.

1. What made you decide to study this module or qualification?

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| I love coding, I started out learning HTML and CSS many years ago to make a website and blog for a photographer friend. Then I got back into Python a hobby from childhood. And whilst doing all my maths courses I learnt to typeset using LaTeX. So, with all this personal experience but no IT qualifications I thought let’s make something official out of this and hopefully learn the correct way to do things instead of my own self-taught approach. |

2. How do you think your previous experience of work, education or everyday life might have prepared you for your current studies? It can be common for new students to feel apprehensive or anxious. Are there areas you feel uncertain about that you would like to share with your tutor?’

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| I have had no formal education in computing, so my major anxiety is discovering all my bad habits and not doing it the ‘proper’ way. |

3. Briefly describe one occasion on which you have successfully demonstrated one of the following aspects of employability in the workplace, at home, through study or in your leisure activities:

•Self-management

•Team working

•Problem solving

•Communication and literacy

•Numeracy

•Application of information technology

•Business and customer awareness

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| My job is teaching GCSE maths and numeracy to, mainly, 16-19 year olds. So that entails pretty much all of the list above, except maybe business and customer awareness. |

4. Identify at least one area where you feel you’d like to develop your capabilities (this could be work and/or study related, or something related to a leisure interest).

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| I would like to develop my typesetting skills so I can continue writing a tikz inspired Euclids elements. |

5. When you have completed your module or qualification studies, what are your longer term personal, academic and career goals?

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| To develop my pottery skills enough to go part time in my job and peruse that as a more monetary endeavour. |