<u>CADD ET0085</u> ISOMETRIC & ORTHOGRAPHIC PRACTICE DRAWING INSTRUCTIONS

Students are required to draw to details with exact dimensions given in the Practice Drawings.

The students shall set appropriate limits, border, title block, dimensions, text and linetypes.

Insert the 6 frequently used toolbars in AutoCAD drawing to draw proficiently: **Draw, Modify, Draw Order, Dimension, Layers and Properties.**

8 DRAWING SETTINGS:

- a) Paper Limits = 320mm x 340mm

 Border size = 10mm from edge of paper limits

 Title block = dimensions as shown in layout
- b) Text Font shall be Times New Roman, Text Height = 5 mm
- c) Linetype Scale (LTS) = 0.5
- d) Overall Dimension Scale (Dimscale) = 1.0
- e) Set Layers as shown below:

Dimensions shall be drawn with colour 'Cyan'.

Centre line shall be drawn with colour 'Red'.

Hidden line shall be drawn with colour 'Green'.

Text shall be drawn with colour 'Magenta'.

Remember to set the following too namely:

- f) Format > Dimstyle (See BB > Learning Resources > LAB > UNIT 1),
- g) Activate Grid, Snap and Object snap icons in Status Toolbar and
- h) Snap setting (Click arrow down) > Drafting setting in Status Toolbar Snap & Grid Setting Tab:
 - Snap & Grid X & Y Spacing = 5mm
 - Grid Style = 2D Model Space
 - Grid Behaviour = Uncheck all the boxes

Object Snap tab:

• Check the relevant boxes = Endpoint, Midpoint, Centre, Quadrant, Intersection, Extension, Perpendicular and Nearest.

With these settings completed, students can now start drawing the two Iso-Ortho Practice drawings.



