

H48W 35 Software Development -GRADED UNIT 2

Instructions to learners

You are required to undertake an individual project and the context envisaged is that you will carry out a project which encompasses all of the knowledge and skills which would be required to complete a small scale project for an external client. The assessment will be based on the product, its evaluation and the process. You must:

1. **Interpret the needs** of the brief.
2. **Gather information** to clarify the brief.
3. Decide upon and develop a **design approach**.
4. Carry out development.
5. Evaluate the product and your performance.

The assessor will meet you regularly to discuss your progress through the stages. These meetings will be treated by the assessor as a management **review of your activities, keeping track of the progress** of the project comparing the actual with the planned progress. This will allow the assessor **to modify deliverable dates** (with your agreement) so that you manage to complete the work in the required time.

An assessor will take a 'project' approach to this Graded Unit, allowing you to deliver a coherent piece of work. The project undertaken should provide you with the opportunity to develop knowledge and skills gained in the other Units of study.

Any assistance from any third party not involved in the Graded Unit will affect your grade and your chance of getting an A.

The project will be marked out of 100. Your assessor will mark each stage of the project taking into account the criteria outlined. You can only progress to the next stage if you have met the minimum Evidence Requirements of the previous stage. At the end of each stage there will be opportunities for remediation/re-assessment on that particular stage. **However, if you require remediation/re-assessment this may lead to a lower grade.** In particular, if you miss an Evidence Requirement you will lose marks and have to remediate, leading to a lower grade.

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