THE EDEXCEL DIPLOMA

Getting To Grips With Assessment
Registration and Entry Model for all components

- Principal Learning will follow a registration and entry model
- Project, Extended Project and Functional Skills will follow an entry model
- Additional Specialist Learning will follow the model of the selected qualification
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What does internal assessment look like in Principal Learning?

- Specification design
- Single assignment brief
- Model of assessment
- Quality processes
- Controlled conditions
Designing effective assignments

A checklist

- Fit for Purpose
- Manageable
- Secure
- Reliable
- Valid
- Transparent
- Balanced
- Flexible
Domain Assessor

- Developing staff understanding
- Review and evaluation
- Quality assuring assessment activities
- Quality assuring standards of assessment
- Meeting administrative requirements
Internal Standardisation

- Pre Process Training
- Domain Assessor/Assessor Training
- Stage 1: Standardisation
- Internal Standardisation Exercise
- Stage 2: Marking
- Marking Completed
- Stage 3: Internal Sampling
- Assessors Sampled
- Stage 4: Completion
- Final marks submitted for External Moderation
Controlled Assessment

Task setting
- One assignment
- Work related context
- Learning outcomes & assessment criteria
- Verifying assignments

Task taking
- Time
- Resources
- Supervision
- Group work

Task marking
- Marking
- Standardisation
- The role of Domain Assessor
Useful contacts

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Final Questions