

Unit Title: Design Software
Unit Level: Level 3
Unit Credit Value: 5
GLH: 40
LASER Unit Code: CAI965
Ofqual Unit Code: A/502/4574

This unit has 2 learning outcomes.

LEARNING OUTCOMES		ASSESSMENT CRITERIA	
The learner will:		The learner can:	
1.	Obtain, insert and combine information for designs.	1.1	Explain what designs are needed.
		1.2	Explain how the context affects the way designs should be prepared.
		1.3	Provide guidance on what and how any copyright or other constraints may apply to the use of own and others' designs.
		1.4	Obtain, insert and prepare designs.
		1.5	Explain how file format affects design quality, format and size and how to choose appropriate formats for saving designs.
		1.6	Use appropriate techniques to organise and combine information of different types or from different sources.
		1.7	Store and retrieve files effectively, in line with guidelines and conventions where available.
2.	Use design software tools to create, manipulate and edit designs.	2.1	Explain what technical factors affecting designs needs to be taken into account and how to do so.
		2.2	Select and use suitable tools and techniques efficiently to create designs.
		2.3	Use guide lines and dimensioning tools appropriately to enhance precision.
		2.4	Select and use appropriate tools and techniques to manipulate and edit designs.
		2.5	Check designs meet needs, using IT tools and making corrections as necessary.
		2.6	Identify and respond appropriately to quality problems to ensure that outcomes are fit for purpose and meet needs.

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Assessment Guidance:

See IT User Assessment Strategy available from www.e-skills.com

Additional Information:

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