



Assignment front sheet

Learner Name		Assessor Name	
Date issued		Completion date	Submitted on
Monday 8 th September		Monday 3 rd November 2014	
Qualification		Unit number and title	
BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in IT		Unit 6: Software Design and Development	
Assignment title	Assignment 1 – Which Language?		
In this assessment you will have opportunities to provide evidence against the following criteria.			

Criteria reference	To achieve the criteria the evidence must show that the student is able to:	Task no.
P1	Describe the application and limits of procedural, object oriented and event driven programming paradigms	Task 1
P2	Describe the factors influencing the choice of programming language	Task 1
P3	Explain sequence, selection and iteration as used in computer programming	Task 2
P4	Outline the benefits of having a variety of data types available to the programmer	Task 2

Learner declaration			
I certify that the work submitted for this assignment is my own and research sources are fully acknowledged. I am happy with the grade awarded.			
Learner signature:		Date:	
Final Grade (if appropriate)		Points	

	Assessment Criteria Achieved (indicate with ✓ and initial)									
	P1	P2	P3	P4						
1 st attempt Date										
Final attempt Date										

Assessor's comments

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Grading criteria		Assessor Feedback
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Additional Assessor Feedback (including feedback for upgrade) and Action Plan	Action completed by date

Learner Feedback

Learner		Signature		Date	
Assessor		Signature		Date	
Internal Verifier		Signature		Date	
Lead Internal Verifier (if appropriate)		Signature		Date	

Assignment brief

Qualification	BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in IT
Unit number and title	Unit 6: Software Design and Development
Start date	Monday 8th September 2014
Deadline	Monday 29th September 2014
Assessor name	

Assignment title	Assignment 1 – Which Language?
<p>The purpose of this assignment is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Know the features of programming languages • Understand the principles of software design • Be able to use tools to demonstrate software designs 	
<p>Scenario</p> <p>You are working for “Lets Train U”, a training organisation that provides training in its own training centres, on customer’s sites and as an on-line resource. You have been given the job of producing a document to help attract prospective trainees to the software design and development courses. This will be used on the company’s website via the information link.</p>	
<p><i>P1 describe the application and limits of procedural, object oriented and event driven programming paradigms</i> <i>P2 describe the factors influencing the choice of programming language</i></p> <p>Task 1 (P1, P2)</p> <p>To help novice programmers decide on which course they should do, create a document for the website that describes the application and limits of the following paradigms:- (P1)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • procedural programming • object-oriented programming • event driven programming <p>To help to inform any employers who are thinking of sending their staff on a “Lets Train U” course, you should add to your document a description of the factors that influence the choice of programming language. This should relate to the organisation, employees and policy. (P2)</p> <p><u>Evidence</u></p> <p>Document suitable for a web site</p>	

P3 explain sequence, selection and iteration as used in computer programming

P4 outline the benefits of having a variety of data types available to the programmer

Task 2 (P3, P4)

You have been asked by your manager to give examples of a visual language to demonstrate its features. The code for your programs may be used as part of the training program for C#.Net.

As a developer, you know that before you start to write programs you need to be aware of the different data types available in the programming language you are using. You feel that this information is necessary for programming trainees so you decide to create a table containing data types that are commonly used. **(P4)**

Write a small selection of programs which give examples of the following: (note: all programs must be fully commented so that trainees are able to follow each part) **(P3)**

Features

- variables (naming conventions)
- input and output statements
- conditional (IF) statements
- case statements
- logical operators (<> AND OR)
- loops
- assignment statements

Evidence

Table of data types

Sample C#.Net programs internally documented