LLN Assessment Diploma Level



Background

Registered Training Organisations' have a responsibility to identify the language, literacy and numeracy needs of all students prior to the delivery of training and assessment services. This enables a training organisation to tailor its support services to meet individual student requirements.

This LLN Self-Assessment Tool is designed to assess the core skills of learning, reading, writing, oral communication and numeracy as described in the Australian Core Skills Framework (ACSF).

Instructions to students

This self-assessment is suitable for students wishing to enrol into a Diploma level qualification, who have not previously completed a Certificate IV level course or above.

The tasks in this LLN Assessment are similar to the types of tasks that you will need to complete as part of the course that you are intending to enrol into.

This is not a test and it is not counted towards your overall results. It is designed to help your trainer to identify any areas where you may need further assistance or support in your training.

This LLN Assessment should take approximately 45 minutes to complete.

If you have already undertaken this LLN self-assessment with Rosewood International College, please notify the RTO Manager or your Trainer/Assessor.

Instructions

- Please read each question carefully and then answer them as fully as possible
- Please do not leave any spaces blank or questions unanswered
- Do not accept any help from another person
- It is in your best interest please be honest!

CANDIDATE DETAILS				
Family Name:				
Given Name:				
Course Name				
Date of Birth:	Day/Month/Year//			
Email Address:				
Do you speak a language other than English at home?	2 No English only 2 Yes, other – please specify			



1. Read the Safety Data Sheet provided and answer the questions that follow.

SAFETY DATA SHEET

Note: This document has been prepared for assessment purposes – it is **not** an approved SDS.

Product Name: MINERAL TURPENTINE

Emergency telephone number: 1300 237 6148

HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO CRITERIA OF WORKSAFE AUSTRALIA.

DANGEROUS ACCORDING TO THE CRITERIA OF THE AUSTRALIAN DANGEROUS GOODS CODE.

May cause lung damage if swallowed. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

Vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness. Keep out of the reach of children. Do not breathe vapour. Avoid contact with skin.

Dangerous for the environment. Avoid release to the environment. Toxic to aquatic organisms may cause long term adverse effects on the aquatic environment.

If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical advice immediately and show container or label.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS

May include a burning sensation and/or a dried/cracked appearance. Other signs and symptoms of central nervous system (CNS) may include headache, nausea and lack of coordination. Respiratory irritation signs and symptoms may include a temporary burning sensation of the nose and throat, coughing and/or difficulty breathing. If material enters lungs, signs and symptoms may include coughing, choking, wheezing, difficulty in breathing, chest congestion, shortness of breath, and/or fever. Auditory system effects may include temporary hearing loss and/or ringing in the ears.

FIRST AID TREATMENT

Swallowed	If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Transport to nearest medical facility for additional treatment. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep head below hips to prevent aspiration.
Eye	If in eyes, hold eyes open, flood with water for at least 15 minutes. If redness, burning, blurred vision, or swelling persist transport to nearest medical facility for additional treatment.
Skin	If skin contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and wash skin thoroughly with water and follow by washing with soap if available.
Inhaled	Remove victim from exposure if safe to do so. If rapid recovery does not occur, transport to nearest medical facility for additional treatment. Remove contaminated clothing.
First Aid facilities:	Fresh water should be available to rinse eyes or skin. Provide eye baths and safety showers.



PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Respiratory protection: If work practices do not maintain airborne level below the exposure standard, use appropriate respiratory protection equipment. When using respirators, select an appropriate combination of mask and filter and select a filter for organic gases and vapours (boiling point > 65 Deg C). Respirators should comply with AS1716 or an equivalent approved by a state/territory authority.

Hand protection: Use solvent resistant gloves. Nitrile for longer term protection or PVC and neoprene for incidental splashes.

Eye protection: Wear safety goggles.

Protective clothing: Use chemical resistant glove/gauntlets, boots and apron. Skin protection not ordinarily required beyond standard issue work clothes.

Engineering controls: Ensure that adequate ventilation is provided. Maintain air concentrations below recommended exposure standards. Avoid generating and inhaling mists. Keep containers closed when not in use.

HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling and storage: Avoid breathing of or contact with material. Use in well ventilated areas. Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid contact with skin and eyes and clothing. Handle open containers in well ventilated area. Ensure that the workplace is ventilated such that the Occupational Exposure limit is not exceeded. Do not empty into drains.

Do not eat, drink or smoke in contaminated areas. Before eating, drinking or smoking, remove contaminated clothing and wash hands. Do not store near strong oxidants.

Dispensing: Electrostatic charges may be generated during transfer. Electrostatic discharge may cause fire. Ensure electrical continuity by earthing all equipment.

a) What product is this Safety Data Sheet (SDS) based on?

b) Name three signs and symptoms that this product may cause.

c) What facilities should a workplace have in case a person is affected by this product?



d)	Why do you think an emergency telephone number is provided?
e)	What is the main purpose of this SDS?
f)	In your own words, explain what you think the following sentence means — "Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long term adverse effects on the aquatic environment".
g)	In your own words, explain what you think the following sentence means – "If swallowed, do not induce vomiting".
h)	A fellow worker has had contact with this product. You notice that he is becoming uncoordinated and seems to be having trouble breathing. He also complains that his eyes are burning. He is sure that he didn't swallow any of the product but he thinks he may have breathed some in. Explain, in a list of steps, how you would help your workmate.



2. This is an open-ended writing task designed to assess your ability to communicate an opinion
using appropriate vocabulary, grammatical structure and text conventions.
Topics
Does money really motivate employee performance?
Are leaders born or made?
CEOs are overpaid
Two weeks paternity leave should be a right for all male workers
Emotional intelligence (EQ) is more important than intellect (IQ)
Is there a difference between managing and leading?
Training – a cost to a business or a value add?
Women make better managers
Choose one of the topics and write half a page expressing your opinion. It is suggested that you
take a few minutes to plan your work before you start and to check your work before you finish.
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3. This task requires you to interpret numerical information. Review the scenario below and
respond to the questions that follow.
Scenario: Evaluate success of training program

employees. You recently conducted a survey of employees who participated in this program to find out



	how many completed the work-based assessment tasks. The survey results are displayed in the chart below.						
		Assessment Progress					
			Total	%			
		Employees who completed work-based tasks	130		1		
		Too busy at work	6				
		On break or extended leave	2				
		Awaiting sign-off by Manager	2				
		Has not made it a priority	22				
		Did not respond to survey	24				
		Total	186				
a)	What per	centage of employees completed the work-based	l tasks? *	:			
b)	How man	y employees have not completed the work-based	d tasks? *	:			
c)	What is tl	he main reason these employees did not complet	e the wo	rk-bas	ed tasks?	*	
d)	Explain to assessme	wo (2) strategies that could be used to help emplont tasks?	yees con	nplete	the work	-based	
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Core LLN Skill Assessment Summary

Candidate's name:	Date assessed:	Assessed by:	

Summary of core LLN skills (refer to the ACSF for details of what defines the levels of performance within each skill). To be completed by the Assessor.

Skill	Support Note the level of support given, if any, during assessment	Notes	ACSF level of performance
Learning			
Reading			
Writing			
Oral communication			



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Assessment tasks completed:	
lotes about educational background:	
trengths and weaknesses:	
Other comments:	
Recommendations for support (if any):	
Reference list – LLN assessment tools adapted from:	

Precision Consultancy Australia ACSF assessments 2014, Use a SDS, assessment tasks, Precision Consultancy Australia, North Fitzroy, Victoria, viewed 19 December 2014, http://www.precisionconsultancy.com.au/acs_framework.

Further details can be found via the following link https://www.education.gov.au/australian-core-skills-framework