

Learner Journey

Business Administrator

Level 3 Business Administrator

Grading

Please use the following grading terminology:

Pass

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Distinction

Demonstrate excellent knowledge, skills and behaviours against the Apprenticeship Standard

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| Standard Name: Business Admin | Enrolment | Month 1 | Month 2 | Month 3 | Month 4 | Month 5 | Month 6 | Month 7 | Month 8 |
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| Knowledge, Skills & Behaviours | Induction: Prior learning Objective setting Skill scans results Learning plan | The Organisation | Value of Their Skills, Planning and Organisation | Communication, Document and Record Production | Relevant Regulation | Policies and Processes | Interpersonal Skills | Stakeholders Responsibility | Business Fundamentals - Project Management |
| Group Sessions 2 Hour online workshops | Discussed, agreed and booked | Organisational purpose, aims, activities, values, vision & political/economic environment Products & or services PESTLE analysis Organisational SWOT | Organisational structures Fitting into the team Progression & succession Personal SWOT Prioritisation Organisation Time/diary management Meeting/missing deadlines Effective to-do lists Managing expectations Setting a positive example | Communication skills Using appropriate channels Barriers to communication Body language Open & closed questioning IT packages Written letters emails Proposals Recording information Updating databases | Laws Legislations Regulations Which of the above apply to role/affect organisations'. Data protection & GDPR, including data breaches. Health & safety Compliance Industry legislation Supporting the organisation in applying all of the above | Policy, process, procedures Customer data Reviewing processes Autonomy Making suggestions for improvements Solutions based approach Applying solutions Benefits of improving business processes Helping to define procedures | Team theory - Belbin, Forming, Storming, Norming. Building positive relationships with own team & wider organisation. Influence & challenge appropriately. Becoming a role model. Coaching skills. Areas for personal development | Stakeholders & partner organisations Different relationships. Internal & external customers &/or suppliers - who they are, where they are - in/outside of UK. | Project management principles, theory & tools Scoping Planning Resources Gantt charts Project management monitoring & reporting Leading a project IT - Record & analyse data Evaluation IT solutions to solve business problems |
| Additional Group Sessions (as required), e-portfolio (Learning Assistant), How to Pass EPA, Functional Skills | | | | | | | | | |
| 1:1 Session Each session to include a feedback section on activities work produced to date & a review of the training plan. | Meeting dates Zoom links Assessment Visit Records (AVR's) Training plan, Hot Topics & TheLightBulb website First Impressions | SPAG check Training plan review Learning Assistant Training Hot Topic Remote observation Your role & responsibilities, presentation & dress code | SPAG check Training plan review Learning Assistant Training Hot Topic Personal Development Plans | SPAG check Training plan review Progress Review Hot Topic Proof reading Plagiarism | SPAG check Training plan review Hot Topic Professional discussion Risk assessments | SPAG check Training plan review Hot Topic Proposals | SPAG check Training plan review Progress Review Observation | SPAG check Training plan review Hot Topic Building a reputation | SPAG check Training plan review Hot Topic Presentation skills |
| EPA planning activities | Understanding EPA process | Understanding EPA process Training Plan Review | Understanding EPA process Training Plan review Building showcase portfolio on Learning Assistant | Understanding EPA process Training Plan review Building showcase portfolio on Learning Assistant Progress review | Understanding EPA process Training Plan review Building showcase portfolio on Learning Assistant | Understanding EPA process Training Plan review Building showcase portfolio on Learning Assistant | Understanding EPA process Training Plan review Building showcase portfolio on Learning Assistant Progress review | Understanding EPA process Training Plan review Building showcase portfolio on Learning Assistant | Understanding EPA process Training Plan review Building showcase portfolio on Learning Assistant |

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| Knowledge, Skills & Behaviours | Business Fundamentals - Managing Change Discussion & questioning, covering all skills criteria | Business Fundamentals - Business Finances | Quality Employer Reference Behaviours document to be completed, covering all behaviours | Quality - complaints | Decision Making | External Environment Factors | Communication Professional discussion & questioning, covering all skills | Regular 1:1 coaching & support to ensure learner is at ease with the process & remains in a state of readiness | Reflection |
| Group Sessions 2 Hour online workshops | Change management theory & practice Making recommendations for improvements within document & record production. Who to make recommendations to & in what format Wish list - what would you love to improve | Business finance Responsibility Trust Compliance Confidentiality Security Making payments IT - financial software Billing Invoicing Purchase orders | Compliance & standards Pride & reputation Skills/standards required Proof reading & quality checking Self-sufficiency Personal SWOT Assessing needs CPD Reviewing processes Suggestions for improvement Respect & tolerance Best practice Coaching others | Complaints Procedures Problem solving Attitude & behaviour Empathy, not sympathy Importance of record keeping How to initiate contact Protecting reputation Making & fulfilling promises Key point of contact | Proactivity Good judgement Effective decision making Frequent decisions Sound reasoning Challenges Maturity Seeking advice Asking the right people Advice outside of their team - wider organisation Respecting others time | Market forces Policy & regulatory changes Supply chain Wider business impact International/global market, with pro's & cons PESTLE revisited Organisational SWOT revisited | Agility Confidence & authority Social media policies & solutions Answering questions from inside & outside of the organisation Representation of the organisation or department Reviewing others work How to provide feedback Coaches others | | |
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