



# Adaptations to Vocational and Other General Qualifications 2021/2022

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## **Introduction**

In August 2021, the Department for Education (DfE) and Ofqual published the outcomes of their joint consultation on the arrangements for the assessment and awarding of Vocational and Technical Qualifications and Other General Qualifications in 2021/22. Details of the [consultations decisions](#) along with a copy of the consultation and analysis of responses is available on the Ofqual website.

We have subsequently reviewed our adaptations to the assessment of our qualifications in line with the consultation decisions.

This document provides details of the adaptations to the assessment of our vocational and other general qualifications in 2021/22 including our Entry Level Certificates, Level 1/2 Vocational Awards and Level 3 Applied Certificates and Diplomas. **It replaces any previously published information on adaptations to assessment for the 2020/21 and 2021/22 academic years and overrides published information in the specification and sample assessment materials.**

The adaptations published in this document are for the academic year 2021/22 only and it should not be assumed that adaptations to assessments approved for 2020/21 or for 2021/22 will continue in 2022/23. **For the avoidance of doubt, a learner who has received a unit CAG or TAG in either 2019/20 or 2020/21 will be able to carry this result forward. Qualification CAGs and TAGs will not contribute to the award of a larger qualification. Please refer to the subject specific information in this document for further information.**

Adaptations have been designed to assist with mitigating the impact on teaching, learning or assessments caused by the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. We are aware that the impact of the disruption varies between centres, depending on the qualifications that they offer and their approaches to teaching and learning, with some centres and subjects more affected than others.

We continue to work collaboratively with DfE, Ofqual and other awarding organisations to monitor the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic and to identify and consider any contingency arrangements which may be necessary in the event of any potential worsening public health situation that results in significant disruption to a learner's ability to take their assessments.

Should you have any questions or would like further support with the delivery of your qualifications, please contact us, we will be very happy to support you.

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## Entry Level Certificate in English

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

Assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

<b>Unit 1 External Examination (25%)</b>	There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.
<b>Unit 2: End of unit tests (60%)</b>	There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.  Assessment has been designed to give centres flexibility regarding their delivery model and timetabling of assessments. Where a candidate or group of candidates is unable to sit an assessment, the centre can reschedule the assessment for a later date.
<b>Unit 3: Practical Assessment (15%)</b>	Candidates will not be required to complete <b>Task 1: Presenting a point of view</b> (both the group discussion and individual presentation).  Assessment has been designed to give centres flexibility regarding their delivery model and timetabling of assessments. Where a candidate or group of candidates is unable to sit an assessment, the centre can reschedule the assessment for a later date.

## Entry Level Certificate in Mathematics – Numeracy

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

Assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

<b>Unit 1 External Examination (25%)</b>	There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.
<b>Unit 2: End of unit tests (60%)</b>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>Assessment has been designed to give centres flexibility regarding their delivery model and timetabling of assessments. Where a candidate or group of candidates is unable to sit an assessment, the centre can reschedule the assessment for a later date.</p>
<b>Unit 3: Practical Assessment (15%)</b>	<p>Candidates will not be required to complete the Practical assessment in summer 2022.</p> <p>Removing the requirement for assessing hands-on practical work reduces teaching time considerably. Teacher demonstrations, simulations and other appropriate resources could be used to provide basic experience of relevant practical methods.</p> <p>Assessment has been designed to give centres flexibility regarding their delivery model and timetabling of assessments. Where a candidate or group of candidates is unable to sit an assessment, the centre can reschedule the assessment for a later date.</p>

## Entry Level Certificate in Science

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

Assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

<b>Unit 1 External Examination (25%)</b>	There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.
<b>Unit 2: End of unit tests (60%)</b>	There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.
<b>Unit 3: Practical Assessment (15%)</b>	<p>Candidates will not be required to complete the Practical assessment in summer 2022.</p> <p>Removing the requirement for assessing hands-on practical work reduces teaching time considerably. Teacher demonstrations, simulations and other appropriate resources could be used to provide basic experience of relevant practical methods.</p> <p>If teachers feel they can safely deliver any practical activities, they can do so.</p> <p>Assessment has been designed to give centres flexibility regarding their delivery model and timetabling of assessments. Where a candidate or group of candidates is unable to sit an assessment, the centre can reschedule the assessment for a later date.</p>

## Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Constructing the Built Environment (2018)

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a Unit TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1: Safety and Security in Construction</b></p> <p>External examination (25%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2: Practical Construction Skills</b></p> <p>Centre marked controlled assessment (50%)</p>	<p>The number of skills candidates are required to demonstrate has been reduced from three to two.</p> <p>Candidates will not be assessed on their interpretation of technical sources of information. (AC1.1)</p> <p>The time allowance for this assessment has been reduced from 14 hours to 9.5 hours.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>

	<p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3: Planning Construction Projects</b></p> <p>External examination (25%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p>The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.</p> <p>However, disruption and centre closures in 2020/21 means that candidates partway through their qualification may not have had access to specialist workspaces and equipment in centres to develop and refine their practical skills.</p> <p>The adaptations to Unit 2 should assist centres to mitigate this disruption by reducing the amount of time that candidates need to spend practising and refining their skills ahead of assessment. The reduction in assessment in the number of skills needing to be demonstrated during assessment has also led to a reduced assessment time of 9.5 hours, freeing up additional time for teaching and learning.</p>	



## Level 1/2 Vocational Award and Certificate in Creative and Media

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a Unit TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

#### Unit 1- Creating a proposal in response to a brief

External examination (25%)

There are no changes to this unit. However, the Unit 1 brief will be released electronically (for download from the secure website) in October rather than December.

This external assessment is available in March 2022.

#### Unit 2 – Creating an Outcome in response to a Brief

Controlled Assessment (25%)

Centres set the context for the task and can adapt it for assessment in Summer 2022 by setting a smaller/shorter (in duration) or simpler product than normal. For example:

- in Music this could be a shorter composition or performance
- in Design and Technology options (2D/3D/textiles etc), this could be a smaller or simpler item.

The assessment criteria remain unchanged and candidates will not be penalised for producing a shorter/simpler product than previous cohorts.

#### Unit 3 – Skills development units

Controlled assessment (50%)

Centres set the context for the task and can adapt it for assessment in Summer 2022 by setting a smaller task.

The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.

However, disruption and centre closures in 2020/21 means that candidates partway through their qualification may not have had access to specialist workspaces and equipment in centres to develop and refine their practical skills.

Releasing the Unit 1 brief earlier will allow centres greater flexibility to timetable the research activity. Centres can choose to split the time so that some initial research activity is undertaken at times when practical activities may be limited, and some hours are spent on this shortly before the exam in March. Many centres use the Unit 1 brief as a stimulus for Unit 2, so releasing this early should also help centres in planning their delivery.

## Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Designing the Built Environment

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to unit assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a Unit TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

#### Unit 1: Planning Potential of Construction Projects

Externally Marked Controlled Assessment 25%

There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

This assessment is therefore available in January and May 2022.

The January 2022 assessment will be available from 4 January on the WJEC secure website and should be completed by the candidates within 3 weeks of being opened by the centre. The assessment may be taken in time blocks determined by the centre taking into account the submission to the examiner no later than 1 February.

The May 2022 assessment will be available from 1 May on the WJEC secure website and should be completed by the candidates within 3 weeks of being opened by the centre. The assessment may be taken in time blocks determined by the centre taking into account the submission to the examiner no later than 28 May.

#### Unit 2: Drawing Construction Plans

The assessment for 2021 will be streamlined so that candidates do not need to identify information requirements for:

<p>Controlled Assessment 50%</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AC1.1 construction design</li> <li>• AC2.2 drawing elevations</li> <li>• AC 2.3 use language of drafting</li> </ul> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3: Building Structures and Materials</b></p> <p>Controlled Assessment 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p>The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.</p> <p>However, disruption and centre closures in 2020/21 means that candidates partway through their qualification may not have had access to specialist workspaces and equipment in centres to develop and refine their practical skills.</p> <p>The adaptations made to Unit 2 to streamline the amount of content being assessed should assist centres to mitigate disruption to teaching and learning by reducing the amount of time that candidates need to spend practising and refining their skills ahead of assessment.</p>	

## Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Engineering

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a Unit TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

#### Unit 1: Engineering Design

Centre marked controlled assessment 25%

The content being assessed will be streamlined for 2022. Candidates will not be required to identify features of engineered products that meet the requirements of the brief (AC1.2).

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.

#### Unit 2: Producing Engineered Products

Centre marked controlled assessment 50%

The content being assessed will be streamlined for 2022 with the number of processes required reduced from nine to six. Centres will need to modify working drawings to assist candidates in allowing for these changes.

In addition, candidates will not be required to evaluate the quality of engineered products (AC4.2).

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for

	<p>assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3: Solving Engineering Problems</b></p> <p>External Examination 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p>The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.</p> <p>However, disruption and centre closures in 2020/21 means that candidates partway through their qualification may not have had access to specialist workspaces and equipment in centres to develop and refine their practical skills.</p> <p>Streamlining the content that is assessed in Unit 2 should assist centres to mitigate this disruption by reducing the amount of time that candidates need to spend practising and refining their skills ahead of assessment and will allow more time for the design and manufacturing work required and to prepare for the Unit 3 examination.</p>	

## Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Event Operations

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a Unit TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

#### Unit 1: The Events Industry

Written Exam 40%

There are no changes to assessment of this unit.

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

#### Unit 2: Event Operations

Centre marked controlled assessment 30%

Candidates must complete **either** Task 1 in this unit **or** Task 3 in unit 3.

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.

<p><b>Unit 3: Event Planning</b></p> <p>Centre marked controlled assessment 30%</p>	<p>Candidates must complete either Task 1 in Unit 2 or Task 3 in this unit.</p> <p>Candidates should have the opportunity to plan, run and evaluate at least one event as part of the learning programme before engaging with the summative assessment. This is a reduction from the three events stipulated in the specification.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p>The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.</p> <p>As elements of event planning are assessed in Unit 2, Task 1 and Unit 3, Task 3, we have streamlined the assessment for 2022 by allowing candidates to complete one of these tasks. The planning task in Unit 2 is a group task which centres may find difficult to facilitate and therefore the planning task in Unit 3 may be more manageable for centres.</p> <p>Where candidates do not complete the Unit 2, Task 1, teachers will need to identify suitable events for candidates to participate in and assign roles to enable them to complete the remaining tasks. Centres have the flexibility to adapt the assessment brief for Unit 2 so that candidates can run smaller events, outside events or online events.</p> <p>Learners should have the opportunity to plan, run and evaluate a minimum of one event before engaging with the Unit 3 summative assessment. This is a reduction from three events as published in the specification; this adaptation will free up additional teaching and learning time to focus on other areas of content.</p>	



## Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Global Business Communication

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a Unit TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1 – Global Opportunities</b></p> <p>Centre Marked Controlled Assessment (25%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2 – Global Travel</b></p> <p>External Examination (25%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3 – Global Customer Relations</b></p>	<p>Candidates will not be required to complete the speaking and listening tasks (Task 3, Part B and Task 4, Part A).</p>

<p>Centre Marked Controlled Assessment (25%)</p>	<p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 4 – Global Sales and Marketing</b></p> <p>Centre Marked Controlled Assessment (25%)</p>	<p>The requirement for candidates to complete the listening task (Task 4, Part A) will be removed for summer 2022. In addition, the speaking task (Task 4) will be amended to a written presentation in order to ensure that the Learning Outcome is assessed.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p>The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.</p> <p>Removing the speaking and listening tasks from Units 3 and 4 will assist in mitigating disruption to teaching and learning time by allowing time that would have been allocated to these assessments to be spent on teaching and learning activities. It also mitigates some of the issues with social distancing as these tasks require close contact which could be problematic with physical distancing measures.</p>	

## Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Health and Social Care

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a Unit TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1: Human Development</b></p> <p>External Exam 40%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2: Service Provision</b></p> <p>Centre Marked Controlled Assessment 30%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3: Contemporary issues in health, social</b></p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p>

<b>care and early years services</b>	An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.
Centre Marked Controlled Assessment 30%	External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.
	Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.
The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.	

## Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Hospitality and Catering

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a Unit TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

#### Unit 1: The Hospitality and Catering Industry

Externally assessed examination 40%

There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

#### Unit 2: Hospitality and Catering in Action

Controlled Assessment 60%

Candidates must still plan two dishes but will only be required to prepare **one** dish in line with the controls outlined in the brief.

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.

The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.

However, disruption and centre closures in 2020/21 means that candidates partway through their qualification may not have had access to specialist workspaces and equipment in centres to develop and refine their practical skills.

The adaptations made to Unit 2 to streamline the number of dishes being assessed should assist centres to mitigate disruption to teaching and learning by reducing the amount of time that candidates need to spend practising and refining their skills ahead of assessment.

## Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Planning and Maintaining the Built Environment

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a Unit TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1: Adding Value to the Built Environment</b></p> <p>Externally Marked Controlled Assessment 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>The January 2022 assessment will be available from 4 January on the WJEC secure website and should be completed by the candidates within 3 weeks of being opened by the centre. The assessment may be taken in time blocks determined by the centre taking into the account the submission to the examiner no later than 1 February.</p> <p>The May 2022 assessment will be available from 1 May on the WJEC secure website and should be completed by the candidates within 3 weeks of being opened by the centre. The assessment may be taken in time blocks determined by the centre taking into the account the submission to the examiner no later than 28 May.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2: Maintaining the Built Environment</b></p>	<p>Candidates to be required to complete a minimum of three rather than five repair tasks (existing time allowance retained).</p>

<p>Centre Marked Controlled Assessment 50%</p>	<p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3: Sustainable Built Environments</b></p> <p>Centre Marked Controlled Assessment 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to this unit.</p> <p>External moderation is available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p>The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.</p> <p>However, disruption and centre closures in 2020/21 means that candidates partway through their qualification may not have had access to specialist workspaces and equipment in centres to develop and refine their practical skills.</p> <p>The adaptations to Unit 2 should assist centres whilst recognising that schools and colleges will be implementing arrangements appropriate to their specific circumstances to ensure that teaching and learning can continue.</p>	



## Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Retail Business

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a Unit TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1 Customer Experience</b></p> <p>Centre Marked Controlled Assessment – 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2 – Retail Business</b></p> <p>External examination – 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3 – Retail Operations</b></p>	<p>The amount of content which is being assessed will be streamlined for Summer 2022. Candidates will not be</p>

Centre Marked Controlled Assessment – 50%

required to provide evidence for the following assessment criteria:

- AC1.2 Describe rights of retail employees
- AC1.3 Summarise responsibilities of retail employees
- AC3.1 Explain the effects of seasonality on retail operations

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.

The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.

Streamlining the content that is assessed in Unit 3 in Summer 2022 will also allow more time to prepare for the assessment and for the Unit 2 examination.

## Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Sport and Coaching Principles

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a Unit TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1: Improving Sporting Performance</b></p> <p>Centre Marked Controlled Assessment 30%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the content or assessment of this unit. The word limit of approximately 1,500 words introduced in 2021/2021 will remain in place for 2021/2022.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2: Fitness for Sport</b></p> <p>External Examination 40%</p>	<p>There are no changes to assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>

<p><b>Unit 3: Coaching Principles</b></p> <p>Centre Marked Controlled Assessment 30%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the tasks or assessment criteria.</p> <p>The assessment requires candidates to plan and deliver a 'specific sports session'. Candidates will need to consider how this assessment can be delivered whilst complying with any social distancing measures that remain in place within their centre.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p>The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.</p> <p>The word limit for Unit 1 provides a clear expectation of the requirements whilst meeting all the assessment criteria and the assignment brief.</p> <p>We are aware that some centres are may continue to experience difficulties in supporting candidates to participate in group activities. Centres can adapt the context for the brief so that the activities can be undertaken within social distancing restrictions in place within their centre and any other public health guidelines.</p>	

## Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Tourism

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a Unit TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1 Customer Experience</b></p> <p>Centre Marked Controlled Assessment 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2 The Business of Tourism</b></p> <p>External Examination 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3 Developing UK Tourist Destinations</b></p>	<p>The content being assessed in summer 2022 will be streamlined so that candidates will not be required to:</p>

<p>Centre Marked Controlled Assessment 50%</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• describe features of destinations (AC1.1)</li><li>• describe how destination features are enhanced to give appeal (AC 2.2)</li><li>• explain the relationship between organisations involved in tourism development (AC 3.2).</li></ul> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p>The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.</p> <p>Streamlining the content being assessed in Unit 3 will assist in mitigating disruption to teaching and learning by enabling teachers to adapt their teaching and learning activities for these topics or adjusting the depth to which the topics are taught to free up additional teaching and learning time for other topic areas.</p>	

### Level 3 Applied Certificate in Business

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

#### Adaptations to unit assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

#### Unit 1: The Organisation: Survival and Prosperity

External Examination (50%)

There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

#### Unit 2: Active Marketing

Controlled Assessment (50%)

There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.

Most learners starting the Certificate qualification in September 2021 will be Year 12 learners. The additional assessment opportunities provided in 2021/22 will allow learners ready for

assessment in January 2022 to complete these and 'bank' the outcomes for aggregation in a future series.

The word limit for Unit 2 will ensure that the amount of evidence generated by the learner is appropriate for the number of marks available.



### Level 3 Applied Diploma in Business

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

#### Adaptations to unit assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22. For the avoidance of doubt, this means that candidates who are progressing from a Certificate to a Diploma qualification in 2021/22 (mid-flight learners) will need unit TAGs for the Certificate units or will need to sit the Certificate unit assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

#### Unit 1: The Organisation: Survival and Prosperity

External Examination (25%)

There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

#### Unit 2: Active Marketing

Controlled Assessment (25%)

There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

	<p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3: Organisational Strategies and Decision Making (Optional)</b></p> <p>or</p> <p><b>Unit 4: Strategies and Decision Making for Retail Organisations (Optional)</b></p> <p>External Examination (25%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of these units.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 5: Markets and Customers</b></p> <p>Controlled Assessment (25%)</p>	<p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p>The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.</p> <p>The additional assessment opportunities provided in 2021/22 will allow learners ready for assessment in January 2022 to complete these and 'bank' the outcomes for aggregation in a future series.</p> <p>The word and page limits in place for the assessments will ensure that the amount of evidence generated by the learner is appropriate for the number of marks available.</p>	

### Level 3 Applied Certificate in Criminology

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

#### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

#### Unit 1: Changing awareness of Crime

Controlled Assessment (50%)

There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.

#### Unit 2: Criminological theories

External Examination (50%)

There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.

An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.

This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.

Most learners starting the Certificate qualification in September 2021 will be Year 12 learners. The additional assessment opportunities provided in 2021/22 will allow learners ready for

assessment in January 2022 to complete these and 'bank' the outcomes for aggregation in Summer 2022 or Summer 2023.

### Level 3 Applied Diploma in Criminology

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

#### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22. For the avoidance of doubt, this means that candidates who are progressing from a Certificate to a Diploma qualification in 2021/22 (mid-flight learners) will need unit TAGs for the Certificate units or will need to sit the Certificate unit assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1: Changing awareness of Crime</b></p> <p>Controlled Assessment (25%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2: Criminological theories</b></p> <p>External Examination (25%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p>

	<p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3: Crime scene to courtroom</b></p> <p>Controlled Assessment (25%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 4: Crime and punishment</b></p> <p>External Examination (25%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p>The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.</p> <p>The additional assessment opportunities provided in 2021/22 will allow learners ready for assessment in January 2022 to complete these and ‘bank’ the outcomes for aggregation in a future series.</p>	

## Level 3 Applied Certificate in Food Science and Nutrition

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1: Meeting nutritional needs of specific groups (100%)</b></p> <p>Controlled assessment (50%)</p>	<p>The need for a physical interview will be removed from Task 3. Instead candidates may submit the evidence they have produced in preparation for the interview and the teacher can use this to complete the observation record.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 1: Meeting nutritional needs of specific groups</b></p> <p>External examination (50%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>

Most learners starting the Certificate qualification in September 2021 will be Year 12 learners. The additional assessment opportunities provided in 2021/22 will allow learners ready for assessment in January 2022 to complete these and 'bank' the outcomes for aggregation in a future series.

The removal of the requirement for teachers to conduct individual interviews with learners as part of the Unit 1 assessment will help address any social distancing concerns moving forward and also free up additional timetabled hours for teaching and learning.

Extra teaching time for the examination content could also be gained from reducing the number of practical sessions learners have to practice food preparation skills. This may also be a necessity to accommodate social distancing requirements and any local authority requirements e.g. if no equipment is to be reused within 72 hours.



## Level 3 Applied Diploma in Food Science and Nutrition

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22. For the avoidance of doubt, this means that candidates who are progressing from a Certificate to a Diploma qualification in 2021/22 (mid-flight learners) will need unit TAGs for the Certificate units or will need to sit the Certificate unit assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1: Meeting nutritional needs of specific groups (50%)</b></p> <p>Controlled assessment (25%)</p>	<p>The need for a physical interview will be removed from task 3. Instead candidates may submit the evidence they have produced in preparation for the interview and the teacher can use this to complete the observation record.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p>External examination (25%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to the external assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a</p>

	<p>Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2: Ensuring food is safe to eat</b></p> <p>External examination 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3: Experimenting to solve food production problems (optional)</b></p> <p>Controlled assessment 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 4: Current issues in food science and nutrition</b></p> <p>Controlled assessment 25%</p>	<p>The requirement for direct supervision (high control) will be removed for the first part of task 2, carrying out research.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>

The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.

The additional assessment opportunities provided in 2021/22 will allow learners ready for assessment in January 2022 to complete these and 'bank' the outcomes for aggregation in a future series.

The removal of the requirement for teachers to conduct individual interviews with learners as part of the Unit 1 assessment will help address any social distancing concerns moving forward and also free up additional timetabled hours for teaching and learning.

Extra teaching time for the examination content could also be gained from reducing the number of practical sessions learners have to practice food preparation skills. This may also be a necessity to accommodate social distancing requirements and any local authority requirements for example, if no equipment is to be reused within 72 hours.

## Level 3 Applied Certificate in Health and Social Care

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to unit assessments in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1: (Contemporary) Issues in health and social care</b></p> <p>External Examination (50%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to the external assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2: Core values and services</b></p> <p>Controlled assessment (50%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>

Most learners starting the Certificate qualification in September 2021 will be Year 12 learners. The additional assessment opportunities provided in 2021/22 will allow learners to complete and 'bank' assessments throughout the course.

### Level 3 Applied Diploma in Health and Social Care

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

#### Adaptations to unit assessments in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22. For the avoidance of doubt, this means that candidates who are progressing from a Certificate to a Diploma qualification in 2021/22 (mid-flight learners) will need unit TAGs for the Certificate units or will need to sit the Certificate unit assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1: (Contemporary) Issues in health and social care</b></p> <p>External Examination (25%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to the external assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2: Core values and services</b></p> <p>External Examination (25%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>

	<p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
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<p><b>Unit 3: (Optional) - Employment within the sectors</b></p> <p>Controlled assessment (25%)</p>	<p>The requirement for high control (direct supervision) will be removed from task 2. In addition, the content being assessed will be reduced for summer 2022. Candidates will be required to evaluate only those research methods they have used to complete the assessment when responding to AC3.1, AC3.2 and AC3.4. A recommended word count of approximately 4,000 words has been introduced to provide further guidance to candidates on evidence expectations.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 4: (Optional) - Experience of disease, illness and disability</b></p> <p>Controlled assessment (25%)</p>	<p>The requirement for high control (direct supervision) will be removed from task 2. In addition, the content being assessed will be reduced for summer 2022. Candidates will be required to evaluate only those research methods they have used to complete the assessment when responding to AC3.1, AC3.2 and AC3.4. A recommended word count of approximately 4,000 words has been introduced to provide further guidance to candidates on evidence expectations.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 5: Human behavior and development</b></p> <p>External Examination (25%)</p>	<p>There are no changes to the external assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a</p>



	<p>Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
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The additional assessment opportunities provided in 2021/22 will allow learners ready for assessment in January 2022 to complete these and 'bank' the outcomes for aggregation in a future series.

### Level 3 Applied Certificate in Medical Science

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

#### Adaptations to unit assessments in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1: Human Health and Disease</b></p> <p>External Examination 50%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>The pre-release for the January 2022 examination will be released six weeks prior to the exam to allow for the Christmas break.</p> <p>The pre-release for the June 2022 examination will be released four weeks prior to the exam date in line with the standard arrangements.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2: Physiological measurement techniques</b></p> <p>Controlled Assessment 25%</p>	<p>The assessment in 2021 will be streamlined. Candidates will not be required to complete tasks that require practical hands-on work (AC 3.2, 3.3). The data required to complete the remainder of the assessment will be supplied by WJEC and will form part of the assessment brief.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a</p>

	<p>Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3: Medical Science research methods</b></p> <p>Controlled Assessment 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p>Most learners starting the Certificate qualification in September 2021 will be Year 12 learners. The additional assessment opportunities provided in 2021/22 will allow learners ready for assessment in January 2022 to complete these and 'bank' the outcomes for aggregation in a future series.</p> <p>Removing the requirement for candidates to complete the physiological testing in unit 2 will help address health and safety concerns and free up additional classroom time for teaching and learning. Where teachers are able to manage hands-on practical work for this unit, they should do so. Teacher demonstrations, video clips, simulations and other appropriate resources will need to be used to provide basic experience of relevant testing methods as this could be assessed in the written external examinations.</p>	

### Level 3 Applied Diploma in Medical Science

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

#### Adaptations to unit assessments in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22. For the avoidance of doubt, this means that candidates who are progressing from a Certificate to a Diploma qualification in 2021/22 (mid-flight learners) will need unit TAGs for the Certificate units or will need to sit the Certificate unit assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1: Human Health and Disease</b></p> <p>External Examination 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>The pre-release for the January 2022 examination will be released six weeks prior to the exam to allow for the Christmas break.</p> <p>The pre-release for the June 2022 examination will be released four weeks prior to the exam date in line with the standard arrangements.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2: Physiological measurement techniques</b></p> <p>Controlled Assessment 12.5%</p>	<p>The assessment in 2021 will be streamlined. Candidates will not be required to complete tasks that require practical hands-on work (AC 3.2, 3.3). The data required to complete the remainder of the assessment will be supplied by WJEC and will form part of the assessment brief.</p>

	<p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3: Medical Science research methods</b></p> <p>Controlled Assessment 12.5%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 4: Medicines and treatment of disease</b></p> <p>Controlled Assessment 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 5: Clinical laboratory techniques</b></p> <p>External Controlled Assessment 12.5%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a</p>

	<p>Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This external assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 6: Medical case study</b></p> <p>External Examination 12.5%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>

The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.

The additional assessment opportunities provided in 2021/22 will allow learners ready for assessment in January 2022 to complete these and 'bank' the outcomes for aggregation in a future series.

Removing the requirement for candidates to complete the physiological testing in unit 2 will help address health and safety concerns and free up additional classroom time for teaching and learning. Where teachers are able to manage hands-on practical work for this unit, they should do so. Teacher demonstrations, video clips, simulations and other appropriate resources will need to be used to provide basic experience of relevant testing methods as this could be assessed in the written external examinations.

## Level 3 Applied Diploma in Professional Construction Practice

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to unit assessments in 2021/2022

- Candidates who were part-way through their qualification in Summer 2021 should have been entered for a Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021, subject to sufficient evidence being available to allow the centre to determine a grade.
- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22. For the avoidance of doubt, this means that candidates who were part-way through their qualification in 2021/22 (mid-flight learners) will need unit TAGs for the units they would have completed in Summer 2021 or will need to sit these unit assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1: Design the built environment</b></p> <p>Controlled Assessment 20%</p>	<p>The requirement for supervision will be removed from tasks 2 and 3. Candidates should still be guided to spend approximately 14.5 hours on these tasks. Tasks 1 and 4 must still be completed under supervision as published in the sample assessment materials.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2: Create the built environment</b></p> <p>External Examination 20%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a</p>

	<p>Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 3: Value and use the built environment</b></p> <p>External Examination 20%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 4: BIM and construction projects</b></p> <p>Controlled Assessment 40%</p>	<p>The requirement for supervision will be removed from tasks 2, 3 and 4. Candidates should still be guided to spend approximately 34 hours on these tasks. Task 1 must still be completed under supervision as published in the sample assessment materials.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p>The availability of Unit TAGs for eligible learners will help mitigate disruption to teaching and learning experienced in 2021/22.</p> <p>The additional assessment opportunities provided in 2021/22 will allow learners ready for assessment in January 2022 to complete these and ‘bank’ the outcomes for aggregation in a future series.</p>	



## Level 3 Applied Certificate in Tourism

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

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- Unit Teacher Assessed Grades (Unit TAGs) awarded for Summer 2021 will contribute to the overall qualification grade in 2021/22 and beyond. **Candidates who are not awarded unit TAGs for a Unit in summer 2021 will need to sit the assessments in 2021/22.**
- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

<p><b>Unit 1: The UK Tourism Product</b></p> <p>External Examination 50%</p>	<p>The requirement for candidates to run the tourism event has been removed from this assessment.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 2: Worldwide Tourism Destinations</b></p> <p>Controlled Assessment 50%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>

Most learners starting the Certificate qualification in September 2021 will be Year 12 learners. The additional assessment opportunities provided in 2021/22 will allow learners ready for assessment in January 2022 to complete these and 'bank' the outcomes for aggregation in a future series.

The removal of the requirement for candidates to run the tourism event as part of the Unit 1 assessment will remove the need for candidates to attend tourism venues and gather in groups, should disruption continue into the academic year. This adaptation has no impact on the marks allocated for the assessment and will not prevent candidates from accessing the higher mark bands.

### Level 3 Applied Diploma in Tourism

There are no changes to taught content and teachers are expected to teach all content required by the Specification.

#### Adaptations to assessment in 2021/2022

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- Candidates may choose to sit an assessment for which they have previously been awarded a TAG. The highest grade achieved for the unit will be used when aggregating the qualification.

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<p><b>Unit 3: The Dynamic Tourism Industry</b>  External Examination 25%</p>	<p>There are no changes to the assessment of this unit. An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>This assessment is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p>
<p><b>Unit 4: Event and Itinerary Planning</b>  Controlled Assessment 25%</p>	<p>The requirement for candidates to <b>run</b> the event has been removed from Part A of the assignment.</p> <p>An additional assessment opportunity has been made available in January 2022 for candidates ready for assessment, including candidates who have been awarded a Unit TAG for Summer 2021 and who want an opportunity to sit the assessment.</p> <p>External moderation is therefore available in January and Summer 2022.</p> <p>Centres are also reminded that controlled assessment can be timetabled over as many sessions and weeks as is necessary within the time allowed.</p>
<p>The additional assessment opportunities provided in 2021/22 will allow learners ready for assessment in January 2022 to complete these and 'bank' the outcomes for aggregation in a future series.</p> <p>The removal of the requirement for candidates to run the tourism event as part of the Unit 1 assessment will remove the need for candidates to attend tourism venues and gather in groups, should disruption continue into the academic year. This adaptation has no impact on the marks allocated for the assessment and will not prevent candidates from accessing the higher mark bands.</p>	