

# Access to H.E. National Programme Unit



Unit Title:	Communication: Reading Strategies	Ungraded Unit Code:	UD23DEV20
Pathway(s):	All Pathways		
Module(s):	Developmental		
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LEARNING OUTCOMES	ASSESSMENT CRITERIA
<b>The learner will:</b>	<b>The learner can:</b>
1 Understand the purpose of a range of texts	1.1 Explain how language is used to achieve a specific purpose, for example, in advertisements or newspaper articles
	1.2 Assess the effectiveness of textual techniques used by the author to achieve a purpose, for example, characterisation, making an argument, style or use of language
	1.3 Trace and explain the main events in examples of continuous descriptive text, explanatory text and persuasive texts
2. Be able to read critically to evaluate information and ideas	2.1 Distinguish fact and opinion and compare information, ideas and opinions from different sources
	2.2 Recognise and explain understand how vocabulary is used for different purposes
3. Be able to use appropriate reading strategies depending on purpose	3.1 Use different reading strategies to find and obtain information, for example, skim, scan and detailed reading
	3.2 Identify the main points and specific details in a text
4. Understand organisational features and	4.1 Use a range of reference materials to find

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systems used to locate texts and information	information
	4.2 Select relevant information from at least three different types of source text
	4.3 Use an index system to locate materials by author and topic