## Open Awards Qualification Unit



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## 1 Unit Details

| Unit Title:               | Research Skills |
|---------------------------|-----------------|
| Unit Reference<br>Number: | J/615/9132      |
| Level:                    | Level 2         |
| Credit Value:             | 3               |
| Minimum GLH:              | 24              |

## 2 Learning Outcomes and Criteria

| Learning Outcome (The Learner will): |   | Ass | Assessment Criterion (The Learner can):   |  |
|--------------------------------------|---|-----|---|--|
| 1.                                   | Understand different types of research methods and their uses | 1.1 | Describe the methodology of research methods  |  |
|                                      |   | 1.2 | Describe how different methods can be used for research purposes  |  |
| 2.                                   | Know how to plan a piece of research                          | 2.1 | Describe how to identify research aims for a relevant topic of research   |  |
|                                      |   | 2.2 | Describe how to plan a research design model  |  |
| 3.                                   | Know how to report on a piece of research                     | 3.1 | <ul> <li>Describe how to produce a research report that:</li> <li>a) uses a standard format</li> <li>b) presents information</li> <li>c) describes findings in relation to the research aims</li> </ul> |  |
|                                      |   | 3.2 | Describe how to use an accepted method of referencing for source material   |  |
| 4.                                   | Know how to evaluate a piece of research                      | 4.1 | Describe the process for evaluating the outcomes of research  |  |