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## Overview

This standard is about assisting lecturers, teachers or trainers with the delivery of learning activities. You will be expected to following workplace procedures and use relevant knowledge, ideas, skills and procedures to ensure that the learning activity is completed successfully. You will work with the member of staff to ensure that all learners gain the most from the activity.

A practical activity will only be successful if all the learners participate. They need to follow the instructions and work in a safe manner. By working with the member of staff in charge of the activity, you will help all learners gain the most from the activity.

You are expected to be familiar with the learning activity and to anticipate any problems

that might arise. Under the supervision of the, lecturer, teacher or trainer, you will work with learners to ensure they work safely and to help them complete the activity.

Who this standard is for

The standard is recommended for all staff, but particularly new recruits and junior employees.

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## Performance criteria

### *You must be able to:*

P1 ensure that your work is carried out in accordance with workplace procedures

P2 receive requests for support and respond to them correctly

P3 evaluate your capacity to provide the support, discussing any problems with the teacher, lecturer or trainer involved

P4 support teachers, lecturers or trainers and follow their instructions when monitoring the learner activities

P5 instruct the student/learners correctly and clearly on best working practices

P6 encourage the students/learners to adopt best working practices when carrying out learning activities

P7 monitor the student/learner activities and adhere to procedures and health and safety requirements

P8 take the appropriate action to address problems encountered before, during and after learning activities

P9 report problems or concerns from the learning activities to the relevant people

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## Knowledge and understanding

### *You need to know and understand:*

K1 the health and safety requirements of the area in which you are carrying out the activities

K2 the techniques and processes you must use correctly in the workplace

K3 the limits of your own authority and to whom you should report if you have problems that you cannot resolve

K4 the basic techniques and knowledge required to help with the learning activity

K5 how to promote best scientific or technical working practices amongst student/learners

K6 how to encourage learners to ask questions

K7 the scientific or technical hazards associated with the leaning activity and how to deal with them

K8 how to deal with spillages or any other incident that may occur

K9 how to identify and deal with problems with learners before, during or after the learning activity has taken place

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