

Part E - Reflection Presentation

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Reflection

The Best Bits of Term 1

I would say one of the best bits of term 1 was the introduction on of the course. We discussed all the modules and activities we will be doing throughout the course and it has made me more interested to study Motorsport Engineering. At the start of the term I have met so many people in my course that are now turned into my friends. It was also great meeting our course tutors because they shared some of their memories teaching engineering. I have also learned so many things in term 1 especially Solid Works.

The best part of term 1 was also a blast because I have gained a lot of experiences being an independent student. It taught me to be more confident about myself pursue my goals in life.

Academic Area Improvements

On this oncoming term I would like to improve on my Solid Works skills and understanding the system. I would also like to improve my knowledge on Solid Works as well because this is a huge part of the Motorsport Engineering course. Solid Works will also be handy in the future.

Maths and Science are also going to be on my improvement lists. Maths and Science will be important on this course because these are the major subject to learn in order to understand engineering easier.

Reflection on term 1

I have gained a lot of experiences and knowledge during term 1. However, there are some modules that I need practicing and be better on. For term 2 I will set (SMART) targets in order for me to be more organized and get work done. In this case I will be able to focus more on my goals.

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GRADEMARK REPORT

FINAL GRADE

9/20

GENERAL COMMENTS

Instructor

A title slide should always have your name on it.

While you have got presenter notes in your PowerPoint presentation,, they do not add anything to the presentation.

There is far too many words on your slides. Slides should just have the main points (a couple words per point). Then you add the additional information in what you say, i.e. the presenter notes.

While you have included the best bits of term 1, it would appear that there are no academic highlights throughout the term. This is a bit worrying, as we would hope that there was an element of a module, that had been successful or appealed to you at this point.

You talk about the improvements that you want to make to SolidWorks, Maths and Science but have not highlighted anywhere what the issues have been.

Your idea of using SMART goals for term 2 is a good suggestion.

All presentations should really have a conclusion slide.

In terms of the assessment criteria, I believe you fall in the 40-49% bracket, which says the following;

Limited attempt at evaluation of the underlying concepts and principles, tending towards description.

Some evidence to support emerging arguments and judgements but these may be underdeveloped or with a little inconsistency / mis-interpretation.

Mark Awarded

9 / 20 = 45%

Overall Coursework Mark (including Parts A, B, C, D & E) = 58.5%

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