

Activity sheet: Assessment brief exploration

Guess

You have three Academic Skills Assessments this term. Discuss with a partner and make guesses on what these three tasks might be.

- **Assessment 1:**
- **Assessment 2:**
- **Assessment 3:**

Skim for the main ideas

1. Which Assessment is worth the most marks?

2. What is the main activity for each Assessment? (one or two words each)

- **Assessment 1:**
- **Assessment 2:**
- **Assessment 3:**

3. Which Assessment includes a presentation or speaking?

4. Which Assessment looks the most challenging to you? Why? (one short reason)

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Scan for specific details

1. Which week is the Assessment 1 In-Class Workshop?

2. How many questions do you answer in Assessment 1?

3. Which week is each Assessment due in?

Assessment 1: **Assessment 2:** **Assessment 3:**

4. Will you have any in-class steps to complete for Assessment 2? If so, what are they?

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5. How many words should the TEEL paragraph be?

6. Do you need to include citations and/or a reference list in Assessment 2?

7. How long is the recorded presentation for Assessment 3?

8. How many skills should you discuss in Assessment 3?

9. Should you discuss any challenges in Assessment 3?

10. When you submit work for Assessment 1, 2, and 3, where should you submit it?

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Scanning exercise, BBC Text A

Answer the following questions. There are extension questions if you would like to extend your reading practice.

Scan the article. Do not read every word. Look quickly for names, numbers and key words.

Part 1: Find it quickly

1. Find one business name.

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2. Find one person's name.

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3. Find one number. What does it refer to?

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4. Find one UK place.

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Part 2: Find a specific detail

5. How many staff does Murat Mutlu employ?

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6. How long did one customer travel?

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Extension: A little more scanning

7. How old is Murat Mutlu?

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8. How long ago did he take over the shop?

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9. Find one example of social media changing customer behaviour.

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