# LEVEL 3 AWARD UNDERSTANDING THE PRINCIPLES & PRACTICES OF ASSESSMENT (UNITS)

Subject Area Student Type Study Mode

Education & Training Adults Part Time

#### What is the course about?

These assessment qualifications are designed for individuals currently working in, or seeking to enter, roles involving the assessment of learners. They are suitable for those conducting assessments across a wide range of learning environments, including Further Education (FE), Adult Continuing Learning, the Third Sector, and other workplaces. The qualifications cater to assessors in all occupational sectors, covering both accredited and non-accredited learning.

Each course includes six underpinning knowledge sessions for Unit 301, followed by personalised tutorials with your tutor to support your learning journey.

#### Why should I choose the course?

This qualification is for those starting their journey as an assessor and is suitable for aspiring assessors.

#### What will I learn?

Unit 301 is a knowledge-based unit designed for individuals who need to understand assessment processes but are not currently practicing as assessors. For example, aspiring assessors or quality managers. This unit is worth 3 credits.

The qualification can be tailored to suit your individual needs, and assessment will be carried out through assignments, recorded discussions, or a combination of both methods.

#### What will the course lead on to?

On completion of the course you could progress onto:

- Level 3 Award in Assessing Vocationally Related Achievement
- Level 3 Certificate in Assessing Vocational Achievement
- Level 3 Award in Assessing Competence in the Work Environment.

#### Are there any links with industry and university?

The assessment planning and observations may be carried out in a realistic working environment and you must be able to carry out assessments of vocational skills, knowledge and understanding













## What support is available?

We have a team of staff dedicated to providing learning support if required, as well as a Wellbeing Team that is on hand to offer guidance, support and help when needed. Additionally, eligible students can access a wide range of finance and funding support to help them during their time at college.

Click here for learning support: https://wvr.ac.uk/college-life/learning-support

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# Why should I choose to study the course at Warrington & Vale Royal College?

Here at Warrington & Vale Royal College we have a team of dedicated, experienced staff who can share their extensive knowledge and skills with you. Learning in a friendly and inclusive environment, you will be fully supported to achieve your goals.

### What are the entry requirements?

There are no specific entry requirements.

### What are my funding options?

For information on funding please contact Learner Services on 01925 494400 or email learner.services@wvr.ac.uk

# Are there any additional costs associated with the course?

There are no additional costs associated with this course, but you may wish to purchase the course book *Achieving your TAQA Assessor & Quality Assurer Award* by Ann Gravells.







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