

# T Level Technical Qualification in Onsite Construction

**Plastering** 

Guide exemplification material Threshold competence – Sample 2021



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## Introduction

The sample assessment materials within this document refers to the plastering sample occupational specialism assignment. The aim of these materials is to provide centres with examples of knowledge, skills and understanding that attest to minimal threshold competence. The examples provided do not reflect all evidence from the sample assignment as the focus of this material is the quality and standards that need to be achieved rather than the volume of exemplar evidence provided. However, the examples provided are representative of all tasks in the sample assignment. It is important to note that in live assessments a candidate's performance is very likely to exhibit a spikey profile and standard of performance will vary across tasks. Minimal threshold competence will be based on a synoptic mark across all tasks.

The materials in this GEM are separated into the sections as described below. Materials are presented against a number of tasks from the assignment.

**Task** – This section details the tasks that the candidate has been asked to carry out. What needs to be submitted for marking and any additional evidence required including any photograph/video evidence. Also referenced in this section are the assessment themes the candidates will be marked against when completing the tasks within it. In addition, candidate evidence that has been included or not been included in this GEM has been identified within this section.

In this GEM there is candidate evidence from:

Task 1

Task 2

Task 3

**Candidate evidence** – This section includes a description of the task and how the task links to the relevant assessment themes. It may also include the candidates work, photographs/videos of the work in production (or completed) and practical observation records of the assessment completed by centre assessors. This will be actual evidence that was captured as part of the assessment and then internally marked by the centre assessor.

**Commentary section** - This section includes detailed comments to demonstrate how the candidate evidence attests to the standard of minimal threshold competence by directly correlating to the grade descriptors for this occupational area. Centres can compare the evidence against the performance indicators in the marking grid descriptors within the assessor packs, to provide guidance on the knowledge, skills and understanding that needs to be achieved for minimal threshold competence.

It is important to note that the commentary section is not part of the evidence or assessment but are evaluative statements on how and why that piece of evidence meets a particular standard.

## **Grade descriptors**

#### To achieve a pass (threshold competence), a candidate will be able to:

Demonstrate an acceptable performance that meets the requirement of the brief, demonstrates the adequate technical skills in preparing a variety of backgrounds, apply specific techniques and skills to mix, apply, form and finish plastering and rendering systems, and is able to enter the industry to begin to work in the occupational area.

They will be able to interpret information, demonstrate planning, assess risk, and follow safe working methods when applying practical skills to an acceptable standard as recognised by industry.

Demonstrate basic knowledge and understanding of the principles and processes required for carrying out a range of plastering and rendering work: including setting up materials and equipment, preparing surfaces and fixing beads, gauging and mixing materials, applying, forming and keying backing coats and applying and forming finishing plasters and renders surfaces to a good standard.

They will work safely showing an understanding in the selection and use of tools and equipment and demonstrate a basic awareness of straightforward preparation and application processes

Attempt some complex tasks and the level of performance meets an acceptable level.

Identify routine causes of plastering faults and have some knowledge in how to rectify them. Communicate with stakeholders building sound working relationships to support the planning and execution of a brief.

Mostly use industrial terminology accurately in both written and verbal contexts.

## Task 1 – Prepare and plan backgrounds for installation

(Assessment themes: Health and Safety, Design and planning, Presentation)

For task 1 candidates need to produce the following pieces of evidence:

- Measurements of the site location/work
- Method statement
- A risk assessment
- A materials list
- Plan and present to the client on the recommended materials to be used for the different internal plastering works and a specific colour through design for the external render using manufacturer samples/designs to support any recommendations

For illustration, the guided exemplification materials (GEM) for Task 1 contain examples of candidate evidence for the following assessment requirements only:

- Method statement
- A risk assessment
- Assessor observation on candidate presentation to client on the recommended materials to be used for the different internal plastering works and a specific colour through design for the external render using manufacturer samples/designs to support any recommendations

The following task 1 candidate assessment requirements have not been included as example candidate evidence for this version of the guided exemplification materials.

- Assessor observation of measurements of the site location/work
- A materials list

## **Candidate evidence**

#### Task 1 – Method statement

#### Method statement of the installation

#### Internal

1) Ensure you have the correct PPE, follow risk assessment

2) Set up mixing area

Materials available, for mixing – drywall, gypsum, renders and beads for internal and external works. Drill and whisk and mechanical drum. Clean water and electric points available.

3) Set up tools and equipment

Check in good working order. Correct tools for installation

4) Set up the work area

PPE, tools and equipment - protect working areas

5) Fix the internal bead

Set up and fix beads

6) Mix and apply the backing coat

Mix plaster as per manufacturer instructions

7) Dry line the wall

Install dry line direct bond

8) Mix and apply the finishing plaster

Gauge and mix finishing coats

#### External

9) Fix the external beads

Set out and fix beads

10) Apply the scratch coat

11) Apply and form the render finishes

Top - coat and finish

12) Make good defect plaster surface

#### Commentary

The method statement is clear and provides accurate detail on how to complete the given tasks. However, there are minor omissions in the method statement, for example, the candidate did not include finishing off by making sure tools and equipment are clean and stored correctly at the end of the task. The task activities are shown in a logical order, demonstrating the candidate has a good understanding of sequencing. There is little or no reasoning or justification linking the method to the task in the method statement, i.e., why the beads are set prior to fixing or allowing first pass to dry before applying the second pass.

## Candidate evidence

## Task 1 – Risk assessment

Mixing area			
Hazard	Risk	Control	Probability
Setting up mixing equipment	Slips and trips	Tape leads. Follow instructions	
Manual Handling	Strains/sprains	Follow manual handling guidance	Low
Dusty environment from mixing	Inhalation of dust	Wear PPE	Low
Mixing using power tools	Electric shock	Use correct voltage. Check equipment regularly for faults	Low - med
Wet floor surfaces	Slips and trips	Use of barriers and signage	Low
Completing plastering	g and rendering task	(S	
Hazard	Risk	Control	
Congested work area	Trip hazards	Maintain clean and tidy work area	Low
Plaster and render splashes	Sustained eye injury	Wear eye protection	Low
Working at height	Falls from height	PPE	Low
Disposing of waste	Trip hazards from build up	Dispose of waste on regular basis	

## Commentary

The candidate demonstrates good technical knowledge of the types of risks and hazards associated with plastering tasks, having identified the majority of hazards and associated risks for each of the required tasks. However, the candidate did not include hazardous material as a separate risk/hazard. The candidate demonstrates some understanding of controls and mitigation required for the given tasks but some lack relevant detail, for example working at height does not detail appropriate access equipment as a control. The probability of each of the hazards/risks occurring has been attempted but with some minor omissions i.e., in the disposal of waste and in setting up in the mixing area.

## **Candidate evidence**

#### Task 1 - Presentation to client on the recommended materials

#### **Practical Observation Form**

Assessment component	Qualification number
8711-308	8711-38
Candidate name	Candidate number
Candidate A	CG12345
Centre name	Assessment theme
City & Guilds	Presentation

Complete the table below referring to the relevant marking grid, found in the assessment pack. Do not allocate marks at this stage.

Task	<b>Notes</b> – detailed, accurate and differentiating notes which identify areas of strength and weakness are necessary to distinguish between different qualities of performance and to facilitate accurate allocation of marks once all evidence has been submitted.
Presentation	Manufacturers literature of plastering products and samples of colour through render was sourced and presented to the client as part of the presentation. The candidate was fluid for much of the presentation, with one or two lapses and moments taken to regather thoughts. Initially eye contact and general interaction was lacking in the introductory statements, but this improved quickly with good interaction later. The candidate was able to provide an accurate description on the recommendations to be used for the different internal plastering works and external render, with clear and sound justifications for their choices. However, there was an oversight in the reasoning for the choice of colour and textures to be used on the external wall rendering work. Terminology was used correctly although not extensively.

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Assessor A	15/12/2020

## Commentary

The candidate demonstrates a good understanding on how to deliver a presentation with a fluid presentation and sound interaction and body language most of the time. However, there was some minor lapses of concentration during the introductory links. The candidate demonstrates sound knowledge of materials, providing an adequate description of the recommended materials to be used for the different internal plastering works. However, there were some omissions in the rationale of choices relating to the colours and textures in the rendering. The specification requirements were met, and the candidate used terminology and language correctly in the presentation.

## Task 2 – Plaster and render installations

(Assessment themes: Health and Safety, Internal plastering systems, Produce and fix mouldings)

For task 2 candidates need to produce the following pieces of evidence:

#### Internal plastering systems:

Task 2 a

• Completed window wall, dry line installation system with a plaster finish

Task 2 b

• Cornice moulding fixed in correct position and stopped-in in line with drawing dimensions

Task 2 c

• Completed pier return, correct position of standard angle bead, floated with a backing coat and finished and plastered ready for decoration

#### External rendering work:

• Three completed rendered surfaces (one plain and two different textured finishes) with a colour by design shown and separated with beads

For illustration, the guided exemplification materials for Task 2 contain examples of candidate evidence for the following assessment requirements only:

- Task 2a Assessor observations of completed dry line system installation with a plaster finish
- Task 2b Assessor observations of Completed cornice moulding fixed in the correct and stopped-in in line with drawing dimensions

The following task 2 candidate assessment requirements have not been included as example candidate evidence for this version of the guided exemplification materials.

- Task 2c Completed pier return
- External rendering work

## Task 2a

The guided exemplification materials (GEM) for Task 2a contain examples of candidate evidence for the following assessment requirements

• Assessor observations of completed dry line system installation with a plaster finish

#### Photographic/video evidence required:

- Photographic evidence showing positioning of completed perimeter seals and dry wall adhesive dabs - Illustrated in Task 2a photographic/video evidence section below (photograph 10)
- > Photographic evidence of plasterboard being installed to wall and window returns -

Illustrated in Task 2a photographic/video evidence section below (photographs 8-9 and 11-16)

- Video evidence showing a sequence of frames of the installation of the plasterboard to wall - to contain close ups frames showing detail of plumb, returns and tolerances (TBC)
- Photographic evidence of positioning of thin coat angle beads fixed to window returns and tolerances - Illustrated in Task 2a photographic/video evidence section below (photographs 17-23)
- Video evidence with sequence of frames to show positioning of beads to all window returns and any adjustments that have to be made and final positioning (TBC)
- Photographic evidence of completed installation with plaster surface trowelled ready for decoration (close up and distance) – Illustrated in Task 2a photographic/video evidence section below (photographs 24 -28)

## **Candidate evidence**

#### Task 2a - Install a dry lining system and finish to a window wall

Assessment ID	Qualification number
8711-308	8711-38
Candidate name	Candidate number
Candidate A	CG12345
Centre name	Assessment theme
City & Guilds	Internal plastering systems (Internal fix/drylining, Internal fix beads, Installation)

Complete the table below referring to the relevant marking grid, found in the assessment pack. Do not allocate marks at this stage.

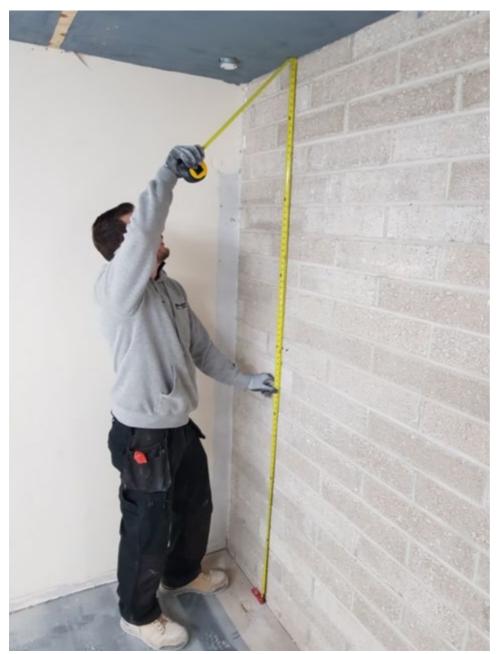
Task	<b>Notes</b> – detailed, accurate and differentiating notes which identify areas of strength and weakness are necessary to distinguish between different qualities of performance and to facilitate accurate allocation of marks once all evidence has been submitted.
Internal Fix/Dry Lining	Candidate selected the necessary tools and equipment in line with the task and proceeded to measure and cut plasterboard to the set dimension in line with the drawing but with min. Slight damage to one of the plasterboards, and a small error on the service box which was transferred and cut slightly out of position.
	Dry wall adhesive selected and mixed to the correct consistency and dry wall dabs applied evenly on to the background, could have benefited from more adhesive but sufficient.
	Plasterboard fixed and installed in line, plumb and lining diagonally to the wall and returns formed square level and plumb as specified against tolerances (within +/- 3mm in line). Some plasterboard joints were slightly uneven and butt joints contained slightly larger gaps but were rectified by filling in flush and to specification, in preparation for the application of finishing plaster.
Internal Fix Beads	The thin coat beads were measured and cut to the correct dimensions following a readjustment, to ensure the installation of beads were plumb, level and in line with no steps. Beads within tolerance /-3mm/. Waste within 10% tolerance despite the readjustment.
Installation	Finishing plaster mixed to correct consistency and tape cut, positioned on applied plaster to all butt joints sufficiently. Plaster first pass applied evenly to all surfaces, one lapse in cleaning of beads at the end but generally regular cleaning of beads and service box, small amount of wastage due to overmixing but within 10% tolerance. Second pass mixed and applied and troweled in line with industry standards, all angles and return corners are sharp and clean. Service box required cleaning.
	Plastered surface had slight imperfections (scaring marks) but these can be rectified, in preparation for decoration.
	All work areas kept clean and waste removed and disposed of in line with legislation, safe working procedures demonstrated throughout the task.
	Overall good display of plastering techniques and tool use with a good quality finish shown during the installation process.

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## Photographic/video evidence Task 2a.

Photographs 1 – 5: Showing measurements of wall surface and setting out dimensions to plasterboard in preparation for cutting. May show minor errors in setting out.

Photograph 1 – showing accurate vertical line measurements taken of wall surface from floor to ceiling

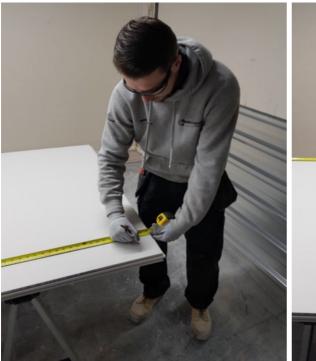


Photograph 2 – Showing accurate measurements for service box for transfer to plasterboard

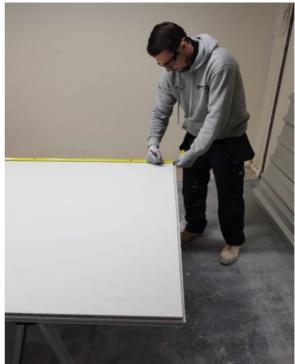


Photograph 3 – 5 - Showing accurate transferance of measurements/dimensions to plasterboard

Photograph 3



Photograph 4



Photograph 5



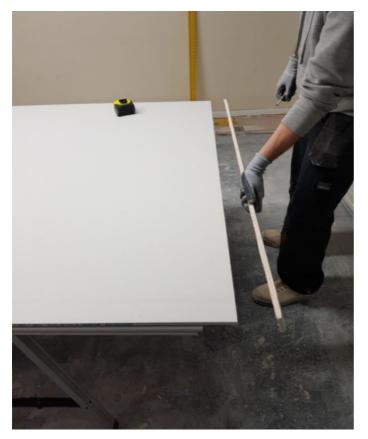
Photographs 3-5 showing transference of measurements to plasterboard (slight error on service box) Photograph 6 and 7: Showing cutting on plasterboard following measurements and transference of dimensions to the plasterboard.

Photograph 6 – Showing vertical cutting of plasterboard



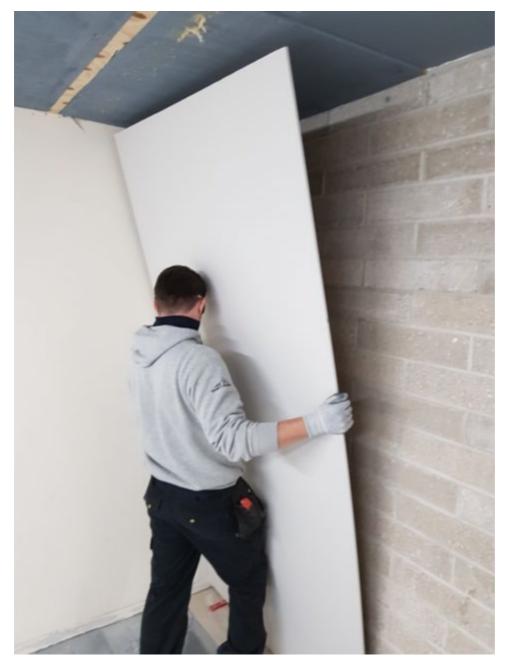
Photographs 6 and 7 showing cutting of plasterboard, with slight inaccuracies in cutting around service box

Photograph 7



Photograph 8 and 9: Dry Fit - showing pre-positioning of plasterboard to the wall surface (post measure, setting out and cutting)

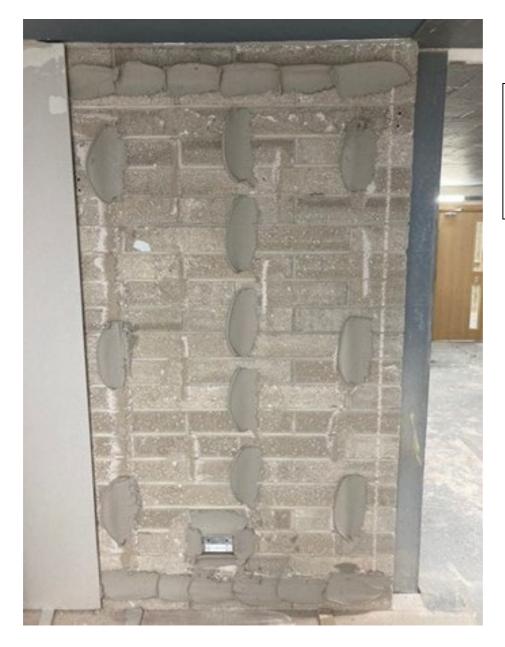
Photograph 8 - Showing accurate pre - positioning to wall surface



Photograph 9 - Showing accurate pre- positioning to wall surface but with slight defect



Photograph 9 showing slight damage to edge of plasterboard when positioning and slight misalignment of service box due to a minor misalignment/cutting error Photograph 10 - Showing positioning of perimeter seals and dry wall adhesive dabs to wall surface.



Photograph 10 showing centre positioning and application of dry wall dabs to the wall surface, sufficient but could have benefitted from more adhesive. Photograph 11 – 14: Photographic evidence of plasterboard installed to wall to show plumb, returns and tolerances.

Photograph 11

Photograph 12



Photograph 13



Photograph 14

Photographs 11- 14 showing installation with line, plumb and lining diagonally to the wall and returns formed square level and plumb as specified against tolerances (within +/-3mm in line).





*Placeholder* : Video evidence – showing a sequence of frames of the installation of the plasterboard to wall - to contain close ups frames showing detail of plumb, returns and tolerances (within +/- 3mm in line).

Photograph 15: Showing rectification to plasterboard following error to service box area



Photograph 15 showing candidate rectifies slight error by filling in small gaps in the plasterboard at the service box. Error a result of slight misalignment to transfer when cutting.

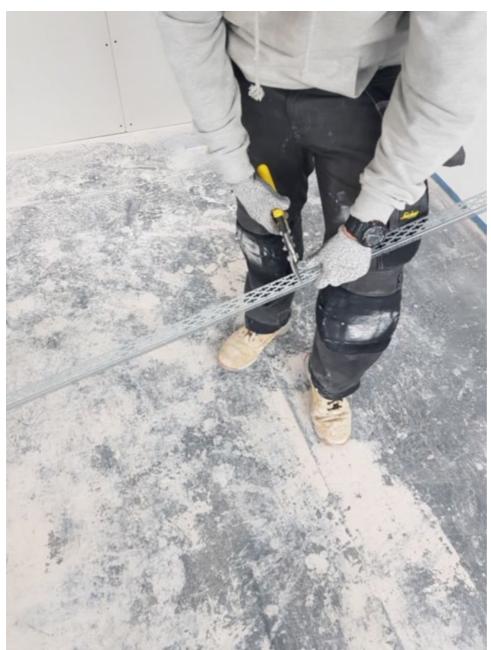
## Photograph 16: Showing rectification/filling in of damaged plasterboard following positioning



Photograph 16 showing rectification to slight damage on the corner of the plasterboard made during dry fit prepositioning. Photographs 17 – 23 Photographic evidence of measurement and positioning of thin coat angle beads fixed to window returns to show positioning and plumb work.

Photograph 17 - Showing measurements taken for the thin coat angle beads to be fitted to window returns





Photograph 18: Showing techniques used to cut (from taken dimensions) thin coat angle beads (prior to positioning)

## Photograph 19: Showing positioning of beads



Photograph 19 showing slight measurement/cutting error and as a result beads cut slightly short on one return. Photograph 20: Showing measurements retaken to rectify cutting/measurement error on one window return





Photograph 21: Showing re positioning of beads to one return following readjustment

Photograph 21 showing correct measurements and cutting readjustment to beads following error – now cut to correct size and positioned correctly in line.

#### Photograph 22: Completed thin coat beads



Photograph 22 showing thin coat beads measured and cut to the correct dimensions, after readjustment and positioned and fixed in line with no steps.

*Placeholder* - Video evidence with sequence of frames to show positioning of beads to all window returns, with the one return out and the adjustments that have been made to rectify and final positioning following readjustment.

## Photograph 23: Showing slight wastage of beads



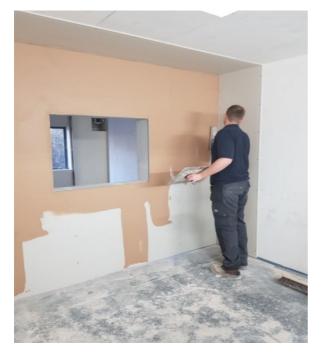
Photograph 23 showing slight wastage of beads due to adjustments following a measurement/cutting error to one return (waste still within waste tolerance) Photo 24 – 28: Showing sequence of photographs of completed installation with plaster surface finish of wall and window trowelled and ready for decoration

#### Photograph 24

Photograph 25



Photograph 26



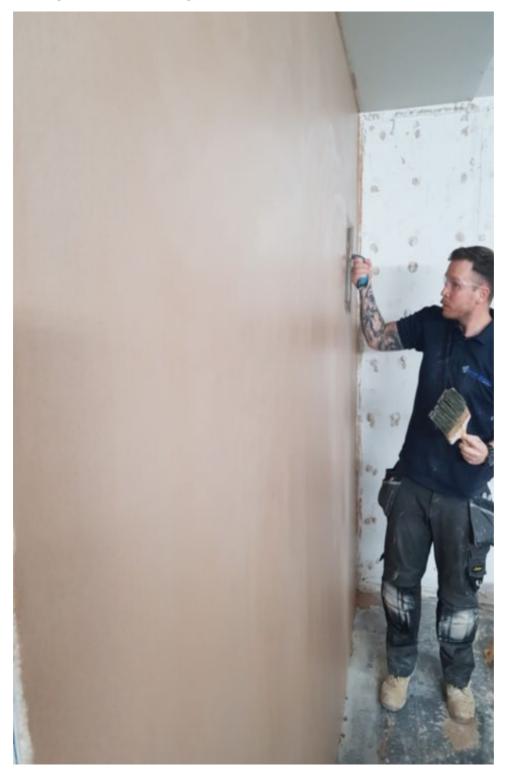
Photographs 24 – 26 showing first plaster pass applied correctly showing good techniques and tool use



Photograph 27 – Showing plaster application in production

Photograph 27 showing slight scaring marks evident on window surface and beading not cleaned at end of plaster finish

#### Photograph 28 – Showing completion of plaster finish



Photograph 28 showing completed plaster surfaces after first and second pass with clean edges but with slight scaring marks. Overall a sound quality finish.

## Commentary

The candidate demonstrates a good understanding of the preparation required to complete the task, correctly selecting and setting up the tools, equipment and resources required to carry out and complete the installation and finish. The candidate demonstrated good knowledge of techniques and methods when installing the plasterboard with direct bond with only minor errors made including slight damage to the corners. Thin coat beads were measured and cut to the correct dimensions on the second attempt, showing a good use of knowledge by making appropriate amendments to ensure the beads were plumb, level and at most corners, with no steps and within tolerances. The plaster was mixed correctly although with some wastage (within tolerance) and applied evenly, bar some minor scaring which can be rectified on decoration. The candidate worked cleanly and safely throughout the task and the completed appearance and finish was of a sound quality with only minor defects.

## Task 2b

The guided exemplification materials (GEM) for task 2b contain examples of candidate evidence for the following assessment requirements

• Assessor observations of Completed cornice moulding fixed in the correct and stopped-in in line with drawing dimensions

#### Photographic/video evidence required:

- Video evidence of pre -prepared reverse mould being prepared for casting. May show slight omissions in preparation Illustrated in Task 2b photographic/video evidence section below (video XXTBC)
- Video evidence of cornice cast from reverse mould at beginning, middle and end stages – may show some minor inaccuracy in stages of casting - Illustrated in Task 2b photographic/video evidence section below (video XXTBC)
- Photographic evidence of cornice moulding cut to dimensions and tolerances -may show minor inaccuracies in cut, tolerances within requirements in most cases -Illustrated in Task 2b photographic/video evidence section below (photograph XXTBC)
- Photographic evidence of cornice moulding fit in position and stopped-in and made good (close up and distance) – may show minor inaccuracies/omissions in fit and finish - Illustrated in Task 2b photographic/video evidence section below (photograph XXTBC)

## Candidate evidence

#### Task 2b - Cast and fix a cornice moulding to the chimney wall

#### **Practical Observation Form**

Assessment ID	Qualification number
8711-308	8711-38
Candidate name	Candidate number
Candidate A	CG12345
Centre name	Assessment theme
City & Guilds	Produce and fix mouldings

Complete the table below referring to the relevant marking grid, found in the assessment pack. Do not allocate marks at this stage.

Task	<b>Notes</b> – detailed, accurate and differentiating notes which identify areas of strength and weakness are necessary to distinguish between different qualities of performance and to facilitate accurate allocation of marks once all evidence has been submitted.
Cast and fix a cornice moulding to the chimney wall	<ul> <li>Reverse moulding prepared, sealed and greased adequately for casting.</li> <li>All tools and materials including reinforcements correctly selected to produce the cast cornice.</li> <li>Casting plaster firsting's and seconding's mixed to required consistency and simultaneously, reinforcements placed in the correct position and strike offs built up and formed.</li> <li>Good techniques and tool use displayed during the casting process, using and applying sealers and release agents correctly. Cast produced to the required standard however some minor repairs required to fill air voids and heavy grease brush marks. Slight lapse in sequencing during the casting process.</li> <li>Molding dimensions transferred and set out accurately to ceiling and wall line from the drawing, background adequately keyed and primed to receive installation.</li> <li>Cast cornice moulding cut to correct length, mitres including stop end, some cutting adjustments/alterations required after dry fitting.</li> <li>Fixing adhesive mixed to correct consistency, with only minimal waste and applied liberally to strike offs, cast positioned and fixed in place, supporting fixings used as required.</li> </ul>

Task	<b>Notes</b> – detailed, accurate and differentiating notes which identify areas of strength and weakness are necessary to distinguish between different qualities of performance and to facilitate accurate allocation of marks once all evidence has been submitted.
	All moulding joint members fixed in line, stopped in and made good and overall quality of finish is of a good standard with some minor imperfections and return slightly short of setting out. Work carried out safely and clean throughout.

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## Photographic/video evidence for Task 2b

> Video evidence of pre -prepared reverse mould being prepared for casting

**Placement Holder** – Video evidence will show sequenced frames of the preparation of the pre-prepared mould (greasing and sealing application) ready for casting. May show slight omissions in preparation.

Video evidence of cornice cast from reverse mould at beginning, middle and end stages.

**Placement Holder** – Video evidence will show sequenced frames of cornice cast from pre-prepared moulds, including consistency of plaster cast mixed (firstings and secondings), reinforcements positioning, application of sealant and releasing agents, use of tools and techniques used and completion of cast with close up of completed cast. May show minor imperfections in casting and any subsequent minor repairs made to cast and will detail tolerances including waste, where required.

Photographic evidence of cornice moulding cut to dimensions. Photos may show inaccuracies in cutting and readjustments

**Placement Holder** – Photographic evidence will show the transfer of moulding dimensions, set out to ceiling and wall line and background keyed. Additional photographs showing the techniques and tools used to cut the cast cornice moulding to length, mitres including stop end. Additional photographs to show any minor readjustments/alterations required following dry fit before positioning takes place and detail any tolerances including waste, where required.

Photographic evidence of cornice moulding fit in position and stopped-in and made good. Photographic evidence may show positioning errors and readjustment.

**Placement Holder** – Photographic evidence will show mixing and consistency of adhesive, application of adhesive, cast positioning, including use of supporting fixings and detail of molding joint members, to tolerance, fixing and stopped in tolerances. Photographs of the completed cast cornice moulding in position and any minor imperfections or readjustments made and detail of any tolerances including waste, where required.

## Commentary

The candidate demonstrated good knowledge of the task requirements, setting out and planning the work well with only minor lapses in sequencing. The tools and equipment were identified and set up in advance to avoid disruption. The candidates demonstrated good understanding of the casting process using good techniques and skills when preparing the reverse moulding, selecting and applying the correct sealers and the release agents. The candidate sequenced the work correctly and the cast was completed to a good standard. The candidate removed and positioned the casts correctly without damage. Cornice dimensions were accurately transferred and set out on the background surfaces and the majority of the cast cut to the correct length. More attention to accurate measuring and cutting would have meant less adjustments required. Backgrounds and cast prepared sufficiently and fixed in the correct sequence, some inconsistencies in gaps in the meeting of mitred cuts, however all members are lining in and all joints are made good and stopped in, with the finish of a good standard.

## Task 3 - Repair to plaster surfaces

(Assessment themes: Health and Safety, Repair to plaster surfaces)

For task 3 candidates need to produce the following pieces of evidence:

• A completed repaired chase ready for decoration

For illustration, the guided exemplification materials (GEM) for Task 3 contain examples of candidate evidence for the following assessment requirements only:

• Assessor observation of a completed chase ready for repair

#### Photographic/video evidence required:

- Video evidence of backing coat being applied, ruled, keyed, and cut back Illustrated in Task 3 photographic/video evidence section below (video XX TBC)
- Photographic evidence of the repaired chase completed ready for decoration (close up) Illustrated in Task 3 photographic/video evidence section below (photograph XX TBC)

#### **Candidate evidence**

#### Task 3 - Repair to plaster surfaces

#### **Practical Observation Form**

Assessment ID	Qualification number
8711-308	8711-38
Candidate name	Candidate number
Candidate A	CG12345
Centre name	Assessment theme
City & Guilds	Repair to damaged surfaces

Complete the table below referring to the relevant marking grid, found in the assessment pack. Do not allocate marks at this stage.

Task	<b>Notes</b> – detailed, accurate and differentiating notes which identify areas of strength and weakness are necessary to distinguish between different qualities of performance and to facilitate accurate allocation of marks once all evidence has been submitted.	
Repair to plaster surface	The candidate identifies the work required and selects all the necessary tools and PPE required to remove the defected plaster surface.	
	Chase is prepared adequately by removing dust and controlling background surface.	
	Correct selection of backing plaster, backing plaster mixed to correct consistency and applied in the chase. Backing plaster cut back and keyed with a devil float to receive finish.	
	Undercoat surface scraped back to remove uneven keyed surface prior to applying finishing plaster.	
	Finishing plaster mixed to correct consistency, first pass applied evenly to the repaired surface and build up removed from edges, slight grinning as it was applied too soon and some wastage due to overmixing but still within tolerance.	
	Second pass mixed and applied and troweled to meet and make good with existing wall surface, minor trowel marks apparent. But this can be rectified in decoration.	
	All work areas kept clean, working safely throughout and waste removed and disposed of in line with legislation.	

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Assessor A	15/12/2020

## Photographic/video evidence for Task 3

> Video evidence of backing coat being applied, ruled, keyed, and cut back.

**Placement Holder** – Video evidence will show sequenced frames of the preparation of the chase (removing dust and controlling background surface). Mixing and application of backing plaster. Backing plaster cut back and keyed. In addition, sequences to show undercoat surface prepared prior to applying finishing plaster and any minor errors or omissions including detail of any tolerances including waste, where required.

> Photographic evidence of the repaired chase completed ready for decoration.

**Placement Holder** – Photographic evidence will show mix of finishing plaster and consistency, first pass and second pass application, use of tools and techniques

including trowel work. Photographs to include finished repaired chase, any minor imperfections or adjustments and detail of any tolerances including waste, where required.

## Commentary

The candidate was able to identify and select appropriate rectification techniques/methods for the damaged/defected surface. The candidate demonstrated their knowledge in preparation of the repairs by correctly preparing the surfaces for rectification, selecting the correct tools and equipment to carry out and complete the task. Backing plaster applied, ruled, keyed and cut back adequately. However, the finishing plaster was applied slightly too soon which resulted in surface grinning, but the chase surface was completed to a satisfactory standard. All materials mixed thoroughly to the required consistency but there was some additional mixing required to meet the correct quantities for the surfaces however these were still within waste tolerance. Working area regularly cleaned and waste disposed of correctly with safe working maintained throughout the task.



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