



PRINCIPAL MODERATOR'S REPORT

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General Comments

Centres presented the evidence for each unit well, this was the first time centres had uploaded the summative evidence. The process and requirements for external moderation was well understood by centres.

The moderator was able to agree with the teachers.

The moderator was aware that assessors had taken time in collating and referencing evidence. The organisation of evidence takes time to reference and upload, this was much appreciated.

Generally there was evidence of internal moderation.

Witness statements were used appropriately.

Comments on individual sections

Where written work was not appropriate, witness statements including photographic evidence, added clarity, this included using actual coins, weighing scales or measuring tapes and rules.

In measuring, it is important to include evidence of estimation and comparison with actual measures. This is not specifically covered on the WJEC worksheets.

Summary of key points

Some errors in marking were found.

The accuracy of the work of candidates is checked during the moderation process.

Some work was found to be completely unmarked, indicating that the work of the candidate may not have been checked prior to sending for external moderation.

With accurate internal moderation, there were few issues in external moderation.



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