

CURRICULUM AND ASSESSMENT POLICY STATEMENT GRADE R-5 FOR LEARNERS WITH SEVERE INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY

PLUMBING

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1 SECTION 1: INTRODUCTION TO THE CURRICULUM AND ASSESSMENT POLICY STATEMENT GRADES R TO 5 FOR LEARNERS WITH SEVERE INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY

1.1 Background

The South African Constitution, Act 108 of 1996, enshrines the right of every child to access quality basic education without there being any form of discrimination. The Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, ratified by the Parliament of South Africa in 2007 (Article 24) requires Government to ensure that children with disabilities are able to access an inclusive, quality primary, compulsory education and secondary education on an equal basis with others in the communities in which they live and that persons with disabilities are not excluded from the general education.

There are learners participating in the General Education and Training Band who have an aptitude and interest in applied knowledge and vocational skills for whom the National Curriculum Statement, Grades R to 12 (NCS) needs to be differentiated to make it fully accessible. This would include learners with moderate to severe intellectual disability and learning difficulties. Knowledge and skills should be presented at a more functional level and at reduced depth and breadth, whilst a number of occupational subjects are also made available. They should be given an opportunity to receive an endorsed statement of achievement that is related to learning within their interest and aptitude.

This Learning Programme has been developed to respond more effectively to the needs of these learners who have been identified and assessed through the protocols outlined in the Policy on Screening, Identification, Assessment and Support of 2014. They will benefit from curriculum content that is aligned to the Foundation and Intermediate Phase of the National Curriculum Statement at a more applied and functional level in accordance with their age, interest and aptitude.

It is critical, that through flexibility and differentiated methodologies, learners enrolled for these differentiated subjects will be able to progress with regard to applied competencies, even where they might not be able to attain the minimum requirements set for the different grades. There should always be high expectations for all learners and the necessary scaffolding and learning support to master foundational competencies relevant to the specific subject. They should be in a position to demonstrate the values and practical competencies that they have mastered which will make it possible for them to progress to either the Technical Occupational pathway or the world of work.

The learning programme is structured in such a way that it makes provision for a wide spectrum of learners with moderate to severe intellectual disability and learning difficulties across the age span. It is aimed at the full development of their human potential and sense of dignity and self-worth. It also allows for the development of their personality, talents and creativity, as well as their mental and physical abilities, cultural, social, environmental and economic competencies to their fullest potential with a view to enabling them to participate effectively and independently in a free society as adults (Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, 2006 and the White Paper on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, 2015).

The learning programme for CSPID should be consulted in cases where a learner enters the CAPS Grades R – 5 for learners with Severe Intellectual Disability (SID) programme at a level where they require bridging to join the appropriate grade. The CSPID learning programme will provide a framework for educators to design down to ensure that there is a smooth transition into the SID learning programme.

The introduction of this Learning Programme within the National Curriculum Statement is aimed at strengthening of respect for human rights, fundamental freedoms and human diversity. It will provide learners in ordinary and in special schools across the range of competencies and aptitudes with conditions that ensure dignity, promote self-reliance and facilitate active participation in the school and in the community and offer the opportunity to obtain a recognised and accredited statement of achievement.

1.2 Overview

Through the policy document the Minister of Basic Education will be able to prescribe the minimum norms and standards for differentiated education in the General Education and Training band.

The following legal framework will be adhered to:

- (i) The United Nations Convention on the Rights of People with Disabilities adopted by the United Nation general Assembly on 13 December 2006 and ratified by the South African parliament on 5 June 2007;
- (ii) The White Paper on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (2015);
- (iii) The National Education Policy Act (Act 27 of 1996);
- (iv) The South African Schools Act (Act 84 of 1996);
- (v) The National Curriculum Statement, Grades R to 12 (2011);
- (vi) The South African National Curriculum Framework for Children from Birth to Four (2015);
- (vii) National Early Learning and Development Standards for Children Birth to Four Years (NELDS) (2009);
- (viii) Section 11 of the Children's Act (Act 31 of 2005);
- (ix) Chapter 5, section 76 of the Children's Act as amended (2007);
- (x) Education White Paper 6 on Special Needs Education: Building an Inclusive Education and Training System (2001);
- (xi) Continuing Education and Training Act (2006 as amended by Act No 3 of 2012 and Act No 1 of 2013):
- (xii) Standards and Quality Assurance for General and Further Education and Training (June 2008, Revised April 2013);
- (xiii) Umalusi's Quality Assurance of Assessment: Directives, Guidelines and Requirements:
- (xiv) Guidelines to Ensure Quality Education and Support in Special Schools and Special School Resource Centres (2014);
- (xv) Policy on Screening, Identification, Assessment and Support (SIAS) (2014);
- (xvi) Guidelines for Responding to Diversity in the Classroom (2012);
- (xvii) National Protocol on Assessment (2011), specifically Chapter 9;
- (xviii) National Policy Pertaining to Promotion and Progression Requirements (2011);
- (xix) Learning Programme for Children with Severe to Profound Intellectual Disability.

- 1.3 General aims of the Curriculum and Assessment Policy Statement Grades R to 5 for learners with Severe Intellectual Disability
- (a) The National Curriculum Statement Grades R to 9 gives expression to the knowledge, skills, values and attitudes worth learning in South African schools. This curriculum aims at removing the barriers that make it difficult for learners with moderate to severe intellectual disability and learning difficulties to access the curriculum. It will enable them to acquire and apply knowledge and skills in ways that are meaningful to their own lives. In this regard, the curriculum promotes knowledge in local contexts, while being sensitive to global imperatives.
- (b) The Curriculum and Assessment Policy Statement (CAPS) Grades R to 5 for learners with Severe Intellectual Disability serves the purpose of:
- Equipping learners, irrespective of their socio-economic background, race, gender, physical ability or intellectual ability, with the knowledge, skills and values necessary for self-fulfilment, and meaningful participation in society as citizens of a free country;
- Facilitating the transition of learners from education institutions to either protective or open employment;
- Providing employers with a sufficient profile of a learner's competences;
- Being sensitive to issues of diversity such as poverty, inequality, race, gender, language, age, and other factors;
- Valuing indigenous knowledge systems: acknowledging the rich history and heritage of this country as important contributors to nurturing the values contained in the Constitution; and
- Credibility, quality and efficiency: providing an education that is comparable in quality, breadth and depth to those of other countries.
- (c) The curriculum is based on the following principles:
- Social transformation: ensuring that the educational imbalances of the past are redressed, and that equal educational opportunities are provided for all sections of the population;
- Active learning: encouraging an active approach to multi-sensory learning;

- Attainment of realistic, but high knowledge and skills levels: the minimum standards of knowledge and skills to be achieved at each grade are specified and set high, achievable standards in all subjects;
- Progression: content and context of each grade shows progression from simple to complex;
- Human rights, inclusivity, environmental and social justice: infusing the principles and practices of social and environmental justice and human rights as defined in the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa.
- (d) Inclusivity should become a central part of the organisation's planning and teaching at each school. All teachers should have a sound understanding of how to recognise and address severe intellectual barriers to learning, and how to plan for diversity. The key to managing inclusivity is ensuring that barriers are identified and addressed by all the relevant support structures within the school community, including teachers, District-Based Support Teams, School-based Support Teams, parents and Special Schools as Resource Centres. To address barriers in the classroom, teachers should use various curriculum differentiation strategies such as those included in the Department of Basic Education's Guidelines for Responding to Learner Diversity in the Classroom (2011).
- 1.3.1 The aims of the Curriculum and Assessment Policy Statement Grades R to 5 for learners with severe intellectual disability

The specific aims of the CAPS Grades R to 5 for learners with Severe Intellectual Disability are to:

- Give recognition to learners who would follow the curriculum, irrespective if they meet the requirements and achieve the competencies as specified in the learning programmes;
- Provide a foundation of quality, standardised general education which will suit the needs of these learners and help prepare them to be more independent and better equipped for life after school. It may also enable the learners to enter a Technical Occupational curriculum;
- Promote Lifelong learning to enable learners to continue with further learning and skills development in sheltered or open employment;
- Prepare learners to function better in a fully inclusive society and employment; and
- Provide employers with a profile of the learner's competence.

- 1.3.1.1 Learners successfully completing the curriculum will be able to:
- Identify, select, understand and apply knowledge to the intended purpose and identify solutions to problems in the field of study;
- Demonstrate the necessary applied knowledge and skills identified for competence in a subject, as specified in the curriculum;
- Demonstrate knowledge and skills gained for purpose of formal communication and basic numerical operations;
- Use technology effectively and
- Demonstrate entrepreneurial skills that will enable them to create their own work in the contexts in which they live.

1.4 Subjects and time allocation

Instructional time for the Learning Programmes is 27½ hours in a five day cycle;

Subjects General Ed	ucation	Time
Languages Home Language		5 – 14 years = 10 hours 14 – 18 years = 6 hours
First additio	nal language	14 – 18 year = 2 hours
Mathematics		5 – 14 years = 5 hours 14 – 18 years = 3 hours
	Life Skills – Personal and Social Wellbeing	5 – 14 years = 8 hours 14 – 18 years = 5 hours
	Physical Education	1 hour
Life Skills	Creative Arts	5 – 14 years = 3½ hours 14 – 18 years = 1 hour
	Natural Sciences	1½ hours
Skills subjects		14 – 18 years = 8 hours

Subjects	Time
CAPS Grades R to 5 for learners with severe intellectual disability: Electives	
Agricultural Studies	
Art and Crafts	
Civil Technology: Bricklaying and Plastering	
Civil Technology: Plumbing	
Civil Technology: Woodworking and Timber	
Consumer Studies: Food Production	
Consumer Studies: Needlework	
Hospitality Studies	8 hours
Mechanical Technology: Body Works: Panel Beating and or Spray Painting	o nodis
Mechanical Technology: Motor Mechanics	
Mechanical Technology: Welding	
Office Administration	
Personal Care: Ancillary Health Care	
Personal Care: Beauty and Nail Technology	
Personal Care: Hairdressing and Beauty Care	
Service Technology: Maintenance	
Total: General and Skills subjects	27½

The following table proposes the learner progression across the years in the curriculum.

Grades R – 3	Grades 4 – 5	
General Education	General Education	
Home Language	Home Language	
	First Additional Language	
Mathematics	Mathematics	
Life Skills	Life Skills	
 Personal and Social wellbeing Physical education Creative arts 	 Personal and Social wellbeing Physical education Creative arts Natural Sciences Skills subjects A minimum of 3 skills and maximum of 4 skills	

2 SECTION 2: INTRODUCTION TO PLUMBING.

2.1 What is Plumbing?

Plumbing is a study of installing and repairing water supply and drainage systems as well as fixtures. This subject will equip learners to assist in the installing and repairing of cold and hot water supply to buildings, installing and repairing fixtures, installing and repairing above and below ground drainage systems, work as a team with bricklayers, electricians etc. The learner will be able to assist a qualified artisan, semi skilled artisan or be able to follow a supervisor's instructions.

Plumbing skills and the content embedded in the skills are taught over two years in Grade 4 and 3 years in Grade 5. The teacher is allowed to adapt the difficulty level of the skills to the ability of the learner. During grade 5 in the second and third years the learners should preferably be placed in the learner work experience programme (LWEP) to acclimatise them to the world of work and prepare them for future jobs.

2.2 Specific Aims:

In Plumbing learners study:

- Health, safety and first aid procedures as well as good housekeeping principles
- The sectors in the plumbing industry and career possibilities in each sector
- Client services and customer care in the industry
- Managing resources and job planning
- Basic plumbing principles
- Basic skills in each aspect of the plumbing sector
- An introduction to the world of work

2.3 Topics to be studied in Plumbing

The table below indicates the main topics in the Plumbing programme.

1	Health, safety and good housekeeping practices.
2	Basic construction sketches

3	Tools.
4	Plumbing principles
5	Installation and maintenance of a water supply system
6	Installation and maintenance of a water supply system
7	Basic building work
8	Planning and preparation for performing plumbing works
9	Installation and maintenance of a drainage system
10	Solar hot water systems
11	World of work

2.4 Requirements for Plumbing as a subject

2.4.1 Time Allocation

The compulsory instructional time for the Vocational Learning Programme for learners experiencing severe intellectual disabilities amounts to 8 hours per 5-day cycle. Schools may offer either three (3) or four (4) vocational subjects, depending on the number of learners in the school and the resources available. The compulsory instructional time for **Plumbing** is either:

- 2 hours per 5-day cycle plus three (3) other vocational subjects or
- 2,5 hours per 5-day cycle plus two (2) other vocational subjects.

Twenty percent (20%) of the above mentioned time is utilized to teach subject content which should be embedded in teaching the learners to execute the skills. This implies that theoretical lessons should not be instructed in isolation, but during the teacher's demonstration that takes place before the learners practise the skills. The learners are required to utilize eighty percent (80%) of the time to practise the various skills in the classroom.

2.4.2 Resources

2.4.2.1 Human resources

An appropriately qualified teacher registered with SACE in line with National Education Policy Act 27 of 1998 section 7.4.

2.4.2.2 Uniforms

Learners should wear a two piece overall and safety shoes.

2.4.2.3 Books, magazines and teaching media

- Each learner should have a learner workbook for the current module being studied
- The teacher should have:
 - plumbing books
 - You tube videos on plumbing
 - Models of plumbing components

2.4.2.4 Infrastructure and equipment

The subject may not be offered without the necessary infrastructure, tools and equipment.

2.4.2.4.1 Infrastructure

A double or one and a half size classroom or a fully-fledged workshop.

The workshop should contain the following furniture and equipment

1 x teachers table and chair	2x lockable cupboards
2 x workbenches x 4 bench vices	1 x wash basin
4 x Plug points for welding and other	4 x sets combination spanners(6mm
equipment	-32mm)
4 x shifting spanners(250mm)	4 x shifting spanner(150mm)
2 x stilson wrench(150mm)	2 x stilson wrench(250mm)
4 x pipe cutters	4 x hacksaws
4 x pipe benders	4 x bending spring
4 x level	4 x tap reseating tool
4 x gas blowtorch	4 x water pump pliers
1 x chalk line	4 x builders square
4 x sets screwdrivers	4 x combination pliers
4 x long nose pliers	4 x measuring tape
4 x sink sockets	1 x socket set complete(6mm-32mm)
4 x rubber mallet	4 x ball pein hammers
2 x toilet auger	4 x plungers
4 x smooth files	4 x round files
4 x builders hawk	4 x plastering trowels
4 x vice grip	1 x inside circlip pliers

1 x outside circlip pliers	1 x file brush
4 x claw hammers	4 x chisels
4 x spade	2 x wheelbarrow
1 x vernier	4 x tubing pliers
4 x Stanley knives	2 x industrial drill
2x angle grinder	4 x pipe vices
1 x drill press	1 x bench grinder
4 x Club hammer	4 x Brick bolster chisel
2 x Pickaxe	2 x flaring tool
4 x G clamps	2 x fire extinguishers

• Consumables are not included in the list

The learners should work in groups of 4.

2.4.2.5 Finances

The subject may not be offered without the necessary finances provided by the school.

- An annual budget should be available to purchase consumables for weekly practical tasks.
- Maintenance and purchasing of new tools/equipment should be added to the budget

2.4.2.6 Stock control

- The teacher is responsible for the stock and will keep the workshop and tools and equipment locked at all times when not present.
- Annual stock control is essential, a stock control book must be kept in the workshop and a summary stock sheet must be kept in the office.
- · Tools and equipment must be checked daily.

2.5 Career opportunities

Learners can:

- Be employed as an assistant to an artisan or semi-skilled artisan.
- Be employed and work under supervision.
- Run a small business from home under supervision
- Be employed under the 7 % disability job clause.

•	Be sub-contractors under supervision	

3 SECTION 3: OVERVIEW OF TOPICS PER TERM AND ANNUAL TEACHING PLANS

Each week has compulsory contact time of 2 to 2, 5 hours (depending on the number of vocational subjects offered at school) for the subject Plumbing.

3.1 Content overview of theoretical topics

The content is embedded in the skills and the learners should execute the skills in a stimulated working environment re created in the skills workshop. The table below indicates the topics and content in the Plumbing learning programme in Grade 4 and 5.

	Topics	Grade 4	Grade 5
		The learner must be able to:	The learner must be able to:
1	Health, safety	Identify and remove potential	Identify and remove
	and good	hazards in the work area.	potential hazards in the
	housekeeping	 Identify, use and care of 	work area.
	practices	protective clothing and	State unsafe conditions
		equipment.	and acts.
		• Demonstrate the ability to	Practice good
		take appropriate steps in an	housekeeping.
		emergency.	Locate fire extinguishers
		 Set up protection and safety 	and fire hoses.
		equipment for the working	 Identify and use fire
		area.	extinguishers.
		 Use, store and maintain 	 Identify and follow
		tools and equipment safely.	procedures for
		 Comply with Health, safety 	emergencies promptly and
		and Welfare in the	correctly.
		workplace.	Report injuries involving
		• Understand unsafe	individuals to the relevant
		conditions and acts.	persons promptly.
		 Practice good housekeeping. 	 Follow procedures that
			apply to illness or injuries
			in the work area.
			 Access a first aid box
			Administer basic first aid
			 Intervene in a first aid

	Topics	Grade 4	Grade 5
		The learner must be able to:	The learner must be able to:
			scenario.
			 Treat bleeding wounds.
			Treat an injured person for
			shock.
2	Basic	Explain the role of drawings	
	construction	when carrying out plumbing.	
	sketches	Draw simple sketches of	
		plumbing layouts	
		 Identify basic drawing and 	
		symbols used in plumbing	
		activities.	
		Describe elements of basic	
		plumbing drawings.	
		Apply information from	
		drawing in plumbing	
		activities.	
3	Tools	Identify, use and care basic	Identify, use and care for
		for hand tools.	power tools.
		Identify, use and care for	Maintain power hand tools.
		specialised tools.	 Identify, use and care for
		Identify, use and care for	specialised tools.
		measuring tools.	 Identify, use and care for
			measuring tools.
			Maintain and repair tools.
4	Plumbing	Describe the role of the	Understand and apply
	principles	plumber.	water flow principles.
		Describe water sources.	 Understand and apply
		Describe basic water flow	basic water pressure
		principles.	principles.
		 Describe basic water 	 Understand and apply
		pressure principles.	water quality principles.
		Describe water quality	 Understand and apply
		principles.	knowledge of corrosion of
		Explain basic corrosion of	plumbing materials.
		plumbing materials.	Apply pollution prevention
		Describe basic pollution	principles.
		prevention principles.	Apply basic pipe design

Topics	Grade 4	Grade 5
	The learner must be able to:	The learner must be able to:
	 Identify and describe plumbing tools and equipment. Identify and describe plumbing pipe work and related fittings and their uses. Identify and describe plumbing sanitary ware 	 and sizing. Select and understand the purpose of valves. Select and understand the purpose of meters. Select and understand the purpose of pumps. Select and understand the purpose of plumbing
	fixtures and fittings and their uses. Identify ancillary plumbing materials and consumables and describe their uses.	materials for pipes and fittings. Select and understand the purpose of hot water systems. Select and understand the purpose of terminal fittings.
5 Installation and maintenance of a water supply system	basic plumbing principles.	 Describe cold water systems and list their components. Describe hot water systems and list their components. Describe the use and application of components. Join pipes and assemble using pipe fittings. Install and maintain above ground drainage components and sanitary fittings under supervision. Install and maintain cold water pipe systems. Test the pressure in pipe systems. Install and maintain hot water pipe systems. Install geysers Install geysers Inspect and test hot water

	Topics	Grade 4	Grade 5	
		The learner must be able to:	The learner must be able to:	
		and working in trenches.	systems.	
		Check work site for hazards	Describe basic faults in hot	
		and take corrective	and cold water systems.	
		measures.	Inspect, repair and	
		Set out work area to line and	maintain cold water pipes.	
		level to receive pipes.	Inspect, repair and	
		Excavate trenches using	maintain hot water pipes.	
		manual or mechanical	Repair taps and mixers.	
		equipment.	Find faults in cold water	
		Ensure that the excavated	systems.	
		trench and work area is free	Find faults in hot water	
		of obstructions, water and	systems.	
		loose materials.	Find faults in geysers.	
		Ensure that excavated	Find faults in fittings.	
		trench or work area is	Apply fault finding	
		shored up according to	techniques according to	
		acceptable procedures.	specifications.	
		Install pressure pipes.	Trace hidden pipe work.	
		Complete installation of	Detect and repair water	
		pressure pipelines.	leaks.	
			Inspect, maintain and	
			repair soil and waste water	
			systems.	
			Inspect, maintain and	
			repair drainage systems.	
6	Erection, using		Level and clear area where	
	and dismantling		scaffolding is erected.	
	access		Place adjustable jacks in	
	equipment		position.	
			Level horizontal	
			components.	
			Position scaffold boards	
			properly on supports.	
			Tighten all couplings.	
			Dismantle and stack	
			components in the correct	
			order.	

	Topics	Grade 4	Grade 5
		The learner must be able to:	The learner must be able to:
			Erect and dismantle a
			trestle scaffold.
			Erect and dismantle an
			extension ladder.
			Make use of a step ladder.
7	Basic building	Chase channels for piping in	Set out brick masonry work
	work	brickwork.	for manholes and
		Drill holes in concrete and	chambers
		brickwork.	Mix mortar and concrete
		Use rawl bolts and other	and apply.
		fasteners.	Construct brickwork for
		Set out and construct	manholes and chambers.
		brickwork for sanitary ware	 Plaster brickwork.
		fixtures.	Box plumbing pipes.
		Plaster channels, holes and	
		brickwork.	
8	Planning and	Identify correct work area	Estimate accurately
	preparation for	according to drawings.	quantities of materials
	performing	Communicate and agree on	needed.
	plumbing works	a work task.	Identify suppliers correctly.
		Set out and measure work	List supplier selection
		area.	criteria.
		Determine levels.	Prepare an order list based
		Procure correct tools and	on specifications.
		equipment.	Purchase and deliver
		Calculate, order and prepare	correct material to site.
		quantities according to site	 Identify, select and
		procedures.	maintain tools and
		Prepare work area for	equipment.
		plumbing.	Check tools for defects
			before using.
9	Installation and	Install and maintain a one	Install, inspect a drainage
	maintenance of a	pipe soil pipe system.	system.
	drainage system	Install and maintain a single	Set out trenches and
		stack soil pipe system.	excavate to line and level.
		Install soil and waste water	Bed, join and lay
		fixtures and fittings, and	drainpipes.

	Topics	Grade 4	Grade 5
		The learner must be able to:	The learner must be able to:
		sanitary fittings.	 Backfill and compact excavations. Inspect drainpipes and clear blockages. Build, inspect and maintain drainage systems structures. Install in-site sanitation systems.
10	Solar hot water system		 Introduction of solar water systems Installation of solar water systems; passive and active systems Repair and maintenance of solar water systems
11	World of work	 Practice good work habits-personal presentation Practice good work habits-social presentation Conduct business ethically and professionally. Identify customer needs accurately. Deal with customers. Address customer complaints. 	 Identify the criteria for placement in the learner work experience programme (LWEP) Work with competence Show good work tolerance Practice appropriate social skills training Orientate learners to the open labour market Perform personal management/ activities for daily living. Participate in the learner work experience programme (LWEP).

The content is embedded in the skills and the learners should execute the skills in a simulated working area recreated in a Plumbing workshop.

3.2 Teaching plans

The theory is embedded in the practical tasks in Plumbing. Omitting one or more of the practical tasks imply that learners are deprived of the full learning programme. The learners are two years in Grade 4 and three years in Grade 5. Each term comprises of ten weeks and a minimum of 9 practical sessions is compulsory. The sequence within the term is not compulsory and the teacher may cover the learning content and skills in any appropriate sequence

3.2.1 Grade 4: 1st and 2nd year: Term One.

	Grade 4: Term 1		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
	Health, safety and good	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
1	housekeeping practices	Identify and remove potential	The teacher:
		hazards in the work area.	Discuss and demonstrate health, safety and good housekeeping
		Describe the role of the plumber	practices
		Practice good housekeeping	Discuss and demonstrate how to identify and remove potential
			hazards in the work area
			Discuss the role of the plumber and employment in the plumbing
			sector
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Discusses health, safety and good housekeeping practices.
			Answers questions on the role of the plumber and types of

		Grade 4: Ter	rm 1
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			employment available
			Identify and removes potential hazards in the work area.
			Practice safety and good housekeeping
		Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
		Use, store and maintain tools and	The teacher:
		equipment safely	Discuss and demonstrate how to use, store and maintain tools and
		Practice good housekeeping	equipment safely
			Discuss and demonstrate good housekeeping practices
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Discuss the use, storage and maintaining of tools and equipment
			Use, store and maintain tools and equipment safely
			Carry out good housekeeping practices in the workshop
2	Plumbing principles	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
		Describe water sources	The teacher:
			Discusses the water cycle
			Discusses water purification process
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Discuss the water cycle and water purification
			Draw a water cycle diagram and a water purification diagram
	Basic construction	Grade 4 2 nd year	

	Grade 4: Term 1		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
	sketches	Explain the role of drawings when	Grade 4 2 nd year
		carrying out plumbing	The teacher:
		Draw simple sketches of plumbing	Discusses the role of drawings when carrying out plumbing
		techniques	Discusses and demonstrates how to carry out simple plumbing
			sketches
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Explain the role of drawing when carrying out plumbing
			Draw simple sketches of plumbing techniques and plumbing
			components
3	Plumbing principles	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
		Describe water quality principles	The teacher:
			Discusses and demonstrates hardness, softness, solubility,
			suspended solids, salinity, bacterial levels water
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Explain and demonstrate hardness and softness of water.
			Carry out simple filtration process of water with suspended solids
			Check salinity levels of water
	Tools	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
		Identify and use of basic hand tools	The teacher:
			Discusses and demonstrates the use and care of basic hand tools.

		Grade 4: Ter	rm 1
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			The learners complete the following activities: • Select, identify, utilise and maintain basic hand tools
4	Plumbing principles	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
		 Describe water flow principles Describe basic water pressure principles 	 Discusses, explains and demonstrates basic principles of pressure, flow and pipelines, pressure flow and gravity, reasons for different sizes of pipe sizes and the effect of pipe size on flow The learners complete the following activities: Demonstrate different pressure flow and water quantity with different diameters of pipes. Demonstrate how gravity and floor inclinations affect water flow Demonstrate how closing off the water meter tap affects pressure and water flow
	Tools	 Grade 4 2nd year Identify and use of specialised tools Identify, use and care for measuring tools 	 Grade 4 2nd year The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates the use and care of the toilet auger, bending spring, pipe benders, tap reseating tool and the gas blowtorch Discusses and demonstrates the use and care of the steel rule and the measuring tape.

	Grade 4: Term 1		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify, care and use of the reseating tool
			Identify, use and care of the blowtorch
			Identify, use and care for a measuring tape
5	Plumbing principles	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
		Explain basic corrosion of plumbing	The teacher:
		materials	Discusses corrosion and the causes and prevention of corrosion
			and material selection
			Discusses how corrosion affects the quality of water.
			Discusses and demonstrates erosion damage to components
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Explain how corrosion affects the quality of water using water
			samples.
			State the pipes that cause little or no corrosion
	Basic building works	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
		Drill holes in concrete	The teacher:
			Discusses and demonstrates the reasons for drilling holes in
			concrete
			Discusses and demonstrates the use of the hand drill in the
			hammer position
			Discusses and demonstrates the use of masonry bits when drilling

	Grade 4: Term 1		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			concrete
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify, use and care of the hand drill
			Identify and use of the masonry bit
			Drill a hole in a concrete wall
6	Plumbing principles	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1st year
		 Describe basic pollution principles 	The teacher:
			Discusses and demonstrates effluent and backflow prevention
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Explain how effluent waste causes pollution and water borne diseases.
			Explain how to prevent backflow in waste lines
	Basic building work	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
		Use rawl bolts and other fasteners	The teacher:
			Discusses and demonstrates the use of rawl bolts, nuts, bolts,
			screws and rivets
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Name the different types of fasteners used by plumbers
			Use a rawl bolt and/or screws to secure a part

	Grade 4: Term 1		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
7	Plumbing principles	Grade 4 1st year	Grade 4 1 st year
		Identify and describe plumbing tools	The teacher:
		and equipment	Discusses and demonstrates the use of the toilet auger, bending
			spring, the pipe bender, the tap reseating tools and the gas
			blowtorch
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify, use and care of the toilet auger
			Use a bending spring
	Basic building work	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
		Set out and construct brickwork for	The teacher:
		sanitary ware fixtures	Discusses and demonstrates brick masonry
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Carry out basic brick masonry
8	Plumbing principles	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
		Identify and describe plumbing pipe	The teacher:
		work and related fittings and their	Discusses and demonstrates the use of copper (capillary and
		uses	compression fittings), galvanised iron fittings, stop cocks and
			pressure reduction valves
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify copper (capillary and compression fittings), galvanised iron

	Grade 4: Term 1			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			fittings, stop cocks and pressure reduction valves	
			Use capillary and compression fittings on pipes	
	Basic building work	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year	
		Set out and construct brickwork for	The teacher:	
		sanitary ware fixtures	Discusses and demonstrates brick masonry and plastering	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Carry out basic brick masonry and plastering	
9	Plumbing principles	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year	
		Identify and describe plumbing	The teacher:	
		sanitary ware fixtures and fittings	Discusses and demonstrates plumbing sanitary ware fixtures and	
		and their uses.	fittings and their uses	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Identify, name and state the uses of plumbing sanitary ware fixtures and fittings	
	Basic building work	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year	
		Set out and construct brickwork for	The teacher:	
		sanitary ware fixtures	Discusses and demonstrates brick masonry and plastering	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Carry out basic brick masonry and plastering	

Practical Assessments Term 1

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The learner must be able to:

Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 2 nd year	
Draw a water cycle diagram	Draw a simple sketch of a tap	
Draw a water purification diagram	Draw a simple sketch of a basin with 2 taps	
Carry out a filtration process	Use a spanner to open a nut	
Check salinity levels of water	Use a water pump pliers to grip a pipe	
Open and shut off a water meter	Use a measuring tape	
Demonstrate water flow on different	Use a reseating tool	
inclination of pipes		
Demonstrate the effects of corrosion on	Use a hammer drill	
water by passing water through a corroded	Drill a hole in the wall	
pipe		
Show the effects of corrosion to tap		
components		
Show how to prevent backflow in waste	Use a rawl bolt	
lines	Use screws to secure a part	
Explain the 'p' trap effect		
Use a toilet auger	Set a profile	
Use a bending spring	Dry mix mortar	
Use a capillary fitting	Make a mortar mix	
Use a compression fitting	Lay a row of bricks	
Identify plumbing sanitary ware fixtures	Make a plaster mix	
and fittings	Plaster a row of bricks	
State the uses of plumbing sanitary ware		
fixtures and fittings		
	Draw a water cycle diagram Draw a water purification diagram Carry out a filtration process Check salinity levels of water Open and shut off a water meter Demonstrate water flow on different inclination of pipes Demonstrate the effects of corrosion on water by passing water through a corroded pipe Show the effects of corrosion to tap components Show how to prevent backflow in waste lines Explain the 'p' trap effect Use a toilet auger Use a bending spring Use a capillary fitting Use a compression fitting Identify plumbing sanitary ware fixtures and fittings State the uses of plumbing sanitary ware	

Theoretical Assessment Term 1

Four theoretical activities are assessed and recorded, however, a minimum of 1 theoretical activity is reported on. The following serves as suggestions of theoretical activities to report on.

The learner must be able to:

Week	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 2 nd year
2	Name 2 sources of water in nature	State the role of drawings when carrying out
		plumbing
3	State what is softness of water	Identify 4 basic hand tools used in plumbing
4	State why we need water pressure in water lines	State the purpose of the reseating tool
5	State which type of pipe is most affected by corrosion	State the function of the hand drill
6	Name one water borne disease caused by effluent waste	State the purpose of fasteners
7	State the purpose of the toilet auger	State the purpose of the profile
8	State the purpose of the stop cock	State the mortar mix proportions
9	Name 3 common sanitary ware fixtures in	State the plaster mix proportions
	a bathroom	

3.2.2 Grade 4: 1st and 2nd year: Term 2

	Grade 4: Term 2		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
1	Health, safety and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	good housekeeping	Identify, use and care of protective	The teacher:
		clothing and equipment	Discusses and demonstrates use and care of protective clothing
		Practice good housekeeping	and equipment
			Discusses and demonstrates good housekeeping practices
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify, use and care of protective clothing and equipment
			Carry out good housekeeping practices
		Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
		Use, store and maintain tools and	The teacher:
		equipment safely	Discusses and demonstrates how to use, store and maintain tools
		Practice good housekeeping	and equipment safely
			Discusses and demonstrates good housekeeping practices
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Use, store and maintain tools and equipment safely
2	Tools	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
		 Identify and use basic hand tools 	The teacher:
			Discusses and demonstrates use of basic hand tools; spanners,

	Grade 4: Term 2		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			screwdrivers, hacksaws, shifting spanners and stilson wrench The learners complete the following activities: • Identify and use basic hand tools; spanners, screwdrivers, hacksaws, shifting spanner and the stilson wrench
			Grade 4 2 nd year
		Grade 4 2 nd year	The teacher:
		Identify, use and care for power tools	Discusses and demonstrates how to use and care for the following
			power tools; the hand drill, the angle grinder and the bench grinder
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify, use and care for the following power tools; the hand drill,
			the angle grinder and the bench grinder
3	Tools	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1st year
		 Identify and use specialised tools 	The teacher:
			Discusses and demonstrates how to use the following specialized
			tools: the pipe cutter, the pipe bender and the bending spring
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify, use and care of the following specialised tools; the pipe
			cutter, the pipe bender and the bending spring
	Basic building work	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year

	Grade 4: Term 2		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
		Plaster channels, holes and brickwork	The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to plaster channels, holes and brickwork
			The learners complete the following activities: • Plasters channels, holes and brickwork
4	Tools	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
		Identify and use for measuring tools	The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to use the steel rule, the measuring tape, the tri-square and the builders square
			The learners complete the following activities: • Identify, use and care of the steel rule, the measuring tape, the trisquare and the builders square.
	Basic building work	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
		Plaster channels, holes and brickwork	The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to plaster channels, holes and brickwork.
			The learners complete the following activities: • Plaster channels , holes and brickwork
5	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	maintenance of a	Understand and describe basic	The teacher:

		Grade 4: Ter	rm 2
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
	water supply system	plumbing principles	Discusses and demonstrates the design and sizing of pipes and plumbing system components and materials
			The learners complete the following activities:
			 Identify and use different plumbing pipes, plumbing components and materials.
	Plumbing and	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
	preparation for	Identify correct work areas according	The teacher:
	performing plumbing	to drawings	Discusses and demonstrates how to identify correct work areas
	works	Communicate and agree on a work	according to drawings
		task	Discusses and demonstrates how to communicate and agree on a work task
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify correct work areas according to drawings
			Communicate and agree on a work task from a job card or
			supervisors instruction
6	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	maintenance of a	Install a water supply system under	The teacher:
	water supply system	supervision	Discusses and demonstrates how to install a water supply system under supervision
			Discusses and demonstrates how to install cold water pipes and fittings

		Grade 4: Ter	rm 2
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			 The learners complete the following activities: Observe and assist in installing a water supply system under supervision Observe and assist in installing cold water pipes and fittings under supervision.
	Plumbing and	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
	preparation for	Set out work area	The teacher:
	performing plumbing		Discusses and demonstrates how to set out a work area.
	works		
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify and set out a work area according to work site plans
7	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	maintenance of a	Install a below ground drainage	The teacher:
	water supply system	system under supervision	Discusses and demonstrates how to install a below ground
			drainage system under supervision
			Discusses and demonstrates how to install waste line and drainage .
			pipes
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Observe and assist in installing a below ground drainage system
			Observe and assist in installing waste lines and drainage pipes

		Grade 4: Ter	m 2
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
	Plumbing and	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
	preparation for	Determine levels of work area	The teacher:
	performing plumbing		Discusses and demonstrates how to determine the levels of work
	works		area.
			Discusses and demonstrates how to determine the levels of pipes,
			the toilet, the bathtub and the basin under supervision
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Observe and assist in determining how to work out the levels of
			work area.
			Observe and assist in determining the levels of pipes, the toilet, the
			bathtub and the basin under supervision
8	Plumbing principles	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
		Identify and describe plumbing pipe	The teacher:
		work and related fittings and their	Discusses and demonstrates plumbing pipe work and related
		uses	fittings
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify and use plumbing pipe work and related fittings
	Plumbing and	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
	preparation for	Procure correct tools and equipment	The teacher:
	performing plumbing	Calculate, order and prepare	Discusses and demonstrates how to procure tools and equipment
	works	quantities according to site	Discusses and demonstrates how to calculate, order and prepare

		Grade 4: Ter	rm 2
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
		procedures	quantities according to site procedures
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify, procure and maintain correct tools and equipment for the job.
			Assist in calculating, ordering and preparing quantities according to
			site procedures
9	Plumbing principles	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
		Install and maintain a below ground	The teacher:
		drainage system under supervision	Discusses and demonstrates how to install and maintain a below
			ground drainage system under supervision
			Discusses and demonstrates how to lay waste lines and drainage
			pipes
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Observe and assist in installing a below ground drainage system
			Observe and assist in installing waste lines and drainage pipes
	Plumbing and	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
	preparation for	Prepare work areas for plumbing	The teacher:
	performing plumbing		Discusses and demonstrates how to prepare a work area for
	works		plumbing
			The learners complete the following activities:

	Grade 4: Term 2			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			Assist in preparing the work area for plumbing	

Practical Assessments Term 2

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The learner must be able to:

Week	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 2 nd year
2	Use a screwdriver	Use an angle grinder
	Use a hacksaw	Use a hand drill
3	Use a pipe cutter	Make a plastering mix
	Use a bending spring	Plaster a channel
4	Use a tri-square	Make a plastering mix
	Use a builders square	Plaster a hole
5	Identify different water pipes	Identify a work area
	Identify 2 different types of taps	Communicate and agree on work tasks
6	Cut supply pipe to size	Mark out work area
	Attach a fitting to pipe	Set out work area
7	Cut a waste line pipe	Work out levels of work area
	Attach a fitting to pipe	Level out a bathtub
8	Connect a compression fitting	Procure tools for a job
	Connect a capillary fitting	Order material for a job
9	Set angle of waste line pipe	Clear out work areas
	Connect up the waste line pipe	Prepare area for plumbing

Theoretical Assessment: Term 2

Four theoretical activities are assessed and recorded, however, a minimum of 1 theoretical activity is reported on. The following serves as suggestions of theoretical activities to report on.

The learner must be able to:

Week	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 2 nd year	
2	State the purpose of a hacksaw	Identify the hand drill, angle grinder and bench	
		grinder	
3	State the purpose of the pipe cutter	State the plastering mix	
4	State the purpose of the pipe cutter	State the drying time of plaster	
5	State the advantage of using copper	State the purpose of a job card	
	pipes		
6	State the purpose of thread tape when	State the reason for marking out a work area	
	installing water supply pipes		
7	State the purpose of a gulley and trap	State the reason for working out levels of worksites	

8	State one reason for using polycop pipe	State the reason for calculating the amount of
		material required
9	Name the different types of pipe used in	State the reason for preparing the work area for
	drainage	plumbing

3.2.3 Grade 4: 1st and 2nd year: Term 3

Grade 4: Term 3			3
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources
1	Health, safety and good	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	housekeeping practices	Demonstrate the ability to take	The teacher:
		appropriate steps in an emergency	Discusses and demonstrates how to take appropriate steps in an
		Practice good housekeeping	emergency
			Discusses and demonstrates good housekeeping practices
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Name and take appropriate steps in an emergency
			Practice good housekeeping
		Grade 4 2 nd year	
		Understand unsafe conditions and	Grade 4 2 nd year
		acts	The teacher:
		Practice good housekeeping	Discusses and demonstrates unsafe conditions and acts
			Discusses and demonstrates good housekeeping practices
			The learners complete the following activities:
			State unsafe and safe conditions and acts
			Practice safe conditions and acts
			Practice good housekeeping
2	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year

	Grade 4: Term 3		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources
	maintenance of a water supply system	 Identify prescribed pipe laying Identify all tools, equipment and personal protective equipment 	 The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates pressure and flow principles Discusses and demonstrates how to lay pipe in ground
			Discusses and demonstrates use of basic tools, equipment and personal protective equipment
			 The learners complete the following activities: Lay pipes on correct substrate in ground Identify, use and care of all tools, equipment and personal protective equipment
	Basic construction sketches	 Grade 4 2nd year Identify basic drawing and symbols used in plumbing activities. Describe elements of basic plumbing drawings Apply information from drawing in plumbing activities 	The teacher: Discusses and identifies basic drawing and symbols use in plumbing activities Discusses how to apply information from drawing in plumbing activities
			 The learners complete the following activities: Identify basic drawing and symbols used in plumbing activities Apply information from drawing in plumbing activities. Copy basic symbols from worksheet
3	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year

		Grade 4: Term	3
Week	Торіс	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources
	maintenance of a water	Ensure that all tools, equipment and	The teacher:
	supply system	personal protective equipment are	Discusses and demonstrates how to get all tools, equipment and
		functional and ready for use at work	personal protective equipment functional and ready for use at
		area.	work area.
			The learners complete the following activities:
			 Check all tools, equipment and personal protective equipment functionality.
			Check if all of the above is ready for use
			Maintain all tools, equipment and personal protective equipment
	Installation and	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
	maintenance of a drainage	Install and maintain a one pipe soil	The teacher:
	system	pipe system	Discusses and demonstrates how to install and maintain a one
			pipe soil pipe system
			Demonstrates how to fit soil, waste and vent pipes according to
			specification
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in installing and maintaining a one pipe soil pipe system.
			Assist in fitting soil, waste and vent pipes according to
			specifications
4	Installation of	Grade 4 1st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	maintenance of a water	Identify safety requirements for pipe	The teacher:

		Grade 4: Term	3
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources
	Installation and maintenance of a drainage system	Grade 4 2 nd year Install and maintain a one pipe soil pipe system	 Discusses and demonstrates safety requirements for pipe laying activities. Discusses and demonstrates shoring of trenches The learners complete the following activities: Identify safety requirements for pipe laying activities Shore up trenches Grade 4 2nd year Discusses and demonstrates how to install and maintain a one pipe soil pipe system Demonstrates how to fit soil, waste and vent pipes according to specification The learners complete the following activities:
			 Assist in installing and maintaining a one pipe soil pipe system. Assist in fitting soil, waste and vent pipes according to specifications
5	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	maintenance of a water supply system	Understand and apply safety requirements for evacuation and working in trenches	Discusses and demonstrates safety requirements for evacuation and working in trenches

		Grade 4: Term	3
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources
			Discusses and demonstrates how to mark a trench using pegs and a line
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Practice safety requirements when working in trenches
			Understand and practice evacuation when working in trenches
			Observe and assist in marking out a trench
	Installation and	Grade 4 2 nd year	
	maintenance of a drainage	Install and maintain a single stack	Grade 4 2 nd year
	system	soil pipe system	The teacher:
			Discusses and demonstrates how to install and maintain a single
			stack soil pipe system
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in installing and maintaining a single stack pipe system
			Identify the components
6	Installation and	Grade 4 1st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	maintenance of a water	Check work site for hazards and	The teacher:
	supply system	take corrective measures	Discusses and demonstrates how to check worksites for hazards
			and take corrective measure
			Discusses unsafe acts and conditions in a worksite
			The learners complete the following activities:

		Grade 4: Term	3
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources
			 Check worksites for hazards and take corrective measures State the unsafe acts and conditions at a worksite
	Installation and	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
	maintenance of a drainage system	Install and maintain a single stack soil pipe system	The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to install and maintain a single stack soil pipe system Discusses the different components of the single stack soil pipe system
			The learners complete the following activities: • Assist to install and maintain the single stack soil pipe system • Name the different components of the single stack soil pipe system
7	Installation and maintenance of a water	Grade 4 1st year	Grade 4 1 st year The teacher:
	supply system	Excavate trenches using manual and mechanical equipment	 Discusses and demonstrates how to excavate trenches using manual and mechanical equipment Discusses and demonstrates safety practices when excavating trenches
			The learners complete the following activities: • Assist in the excavation of trenches using manual and mechanical equipment

	Grade 4: Term 3		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources
			Carry out safety procedures when excavating trenches
	Installation and	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
	maintenance of a drainage	Install soil and waste water fixtures	The teacher:
	system	and fitting.	 Discusses and demonstrates how to install soil and waste water fixtures and fittings Discusses safety factors when installing soil and waste water
			fixtures
			The learners complete the following activities: • Assist in the installation of soil and waste water fixtures and
			fittings
			Observe safety procedures when installing soil and waste water
			fixtures and fittings
8	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	maintenance of a water	Excavate trenches using manual	The teacher:
	supply system	and mechanical equipment	Discusses and demonstrates how to excavate trenches using
			manual and mechanical equipment
			Discusses and demonstrates safety practices when excavating
			trenches
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in the excavation of trenches using manual and
			mechanical equipment

		Grade 4: Term	3
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources
			Carry out safety procedures when excavating trenches
	Installation and	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
	maintenance of a drainage	Install soil and waste water fixtures	The teacher:
	system	and fittings.	 Discusses and demonstrates how to install soil and waste water fixtures and fittings Discusses safety factors when installing soil and waste water fixtures Discusses and demonstrates fitting a rodding point and access point The learners complete the following activities: Assist in the installation of soil and waste water fixtures and
			 fittings Observe safety procedures when installing soil and waste water fixtures and fittings Observe and assist in fitting a rodding point
9	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	maintenance of a water	Excavate trenches using manual or	The teacher:
	supply system	mechanical equipment	 Discusses and demonstrates how to excavate trenches using manual and mechanical equipment Discusses and demonstrates safety practices when excavating trenches

	Grade 4: Term 3		
Week	Торіс	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources
			 The learners complete the following activities: Assist in the excavation of trenches using manual and mechanical equipment Carry out safety procedures when excavating trenches Loosen hard ground
	Installation and	Grade 4	Grade 4 2 nd year
	maintenance of a drainage	Install soil and waste water fixtures	The teacher:
	system	and fittings	 Discusses and demonstrates how to install soil and waste water fixtures and fittings Discusses safety factors when installing soil and waste water fixtures
			 The learners complete the following activities: Assist in the installation of soil and waste water fixtures and fittings Observe safety procedures when installing soil and waste water fixtures and fittings

Practical Assessments Term 3

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The learner must be able to:

Week	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 2 nd year
2	Lay pipes on ground	Copy symbols from worksheet
	Use personal protective equipment	Identifies basic drawing and symbols
3	Maintain hand tools	Install a waste line
	Maintain equipment	Install a vent pipe
4	Excavate up a trench	Install a 1 pipe soil pipe system
	Shore up a trench	Install a vent pipe
5	Mark out and peg a trench	Install a 1 pipe soil pipe system
	Work safely in a trench	Install a vent pipe
6	Practice good housekeeping	Check the gradient level of a 1 pipe soil pipe
		system
	Correct hazardous situations	Backfill a 1 pipe spoil pipe system
7	Excavate a trench using manual labour	Install a soil and waste water fixture
	Excavate a trench using mechanical	
	equipment	Complete installation of a soil and waste water
		fixture
8	Practice safety procedures when	Connect a rodding point
	excavating a trench	
	Drain a trench	Connect an access point
9	Excavate a trench with a gradient	Insert a cleaning eye
	Loosen hard ground	Backfill the trench

Theoretical Assessment Term 3

Four theoretical activities are assessed and recorded, however, a minimum of 1 theoretical activity is reported on. The following serves as suggestions of theoretical activities to report on.

The learner must be able to:

Week	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 2 nd year
2	State the reason for using personal	State the purpose of a plumbing drawing
	protective equipment	
3	State the reason for maintaining hand	State the purpose of a waste line
	tools	
4	State 1 reason for shoring up a trench	State the reason for a vent pipe

5	State 1 safety requirement when	State the reason for a vent pipe
	working in a trench	
6	State 3 unsafe acts	State the reason for a gradient
7	State 1 reason for excavating a trench	State the purpose of a soil and waste water fixture
8	State 1 safety procedure when	State the purpose of a rodding point
	excavating trenches	
9	State how you would loosen hard	State the purpose of the cleaning eye
	ground	

	Grade 4: Term 4		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
1	Health, safety and good	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	housekeeping practices	Practice good housekeeping	The teacher:
			Discusses and demonstrates good housekeeping practices
			Keeps the workshop neat and tidy.
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Observe good housekeeping practices
			Carry out workshop cleanup and setup
		Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
		Practice and understand the	The teacher:
		concept of good housekeeping	Discusses and demonstrates good housekeeping practices
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Observe good housekeeping practices
			Carry out workshop cleanup and setup
2	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	maintenance of a water	Ensure that the excavated	The teacher:
	supply system	trench and work area is free of	Discusses and demonstrates how to keep an excavated trench and
		obstructions, water and loose	work area free of obstructions, water and loose materials.

		Grade 4: Te	erm 4
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
		materials	Discusses and demonstrates safety procedures when excavating trenches
			The learners complete the following activities: • Ensure that the excavated trench and work area is free of obstructions, water and loose materials • Observe safety precautions when excavating trenches
		Grade 4 2 nd year • Install sanitary fittings: the bathtub	Grade 4 2 nd year The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to install the bathtub.
			The learners complete the following activities: • Assist in installing the bathtub
3	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	maintenance of a water supply system	Ensure that the excavated trench or work area is shored up according to acceptable procedures	 Discusses and demonstrates how to shore up an excavated trench or work area according to acceptable procedures Discusses and demonstrates safety precautions when shoring up an excavated trench or work area.
			The learners complete the following activities: • Assist in ensuring that the excavated trench or work area is shored up according to acceptable procedures

	Grade 4: Term 4		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			Observe safety precautions when assisting to shore up an excavated trench or work area.
	Installation and	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
	maintenance of a drainage	Install sanitary fittings: the	The teacher:
	system	bathtub	Discusses and demonstrates how to install the bathtub.
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in installing the bathtub
4	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1st year
	maintenance of a water	Ensure that the excavated	The teacher:
	supply system	trench or work area is shored up	Discusses and demonstrates how to shore up an excavated trench
		according to acceptable	or work area according to acceptable procedures
		procedures	Discusses and demonstrates safety precautions when shoring up an
			excavated trench or work area.
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in ensuring that the excavated trench or work area is shored
			up according to acceptable procedures
			Observe safety precautions when assisting to shore up an excavated
			trench or work area.
	Installation and	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
	maintenance of a drainage	Install sanitary fittings: the	The teacher:

	Grade 4: Term 4			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
	system	shower	Discusses and demonstrates how to install the shower	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist to install the shower	
5	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year	
	maintenance of a water	Install pressure pipes	The teacher:	
	supply system		Discusses and demonstrates how to shut off water supply	
			Discusses and demonstrates how to install pressure pipes	
			Discusses and demonstrates safety procedures when installing	
			pressure pipes	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Shut off water supply	
			Install pressure pipes	
			Observe safety precautions when installing pressure pipes	
	Installation and	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year	
	maintenance of a drainage	Install sanitary fittings: the	The teacher:	
	system	shower	Discusses and demonstrates how to install the shower	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist to install the shower	
6	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1st year	

	Grade 4: Term 4		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
	maintenance of a water	Complete installation of pressure	The teacher:
	supply system	pipelines	Discusses and demonstrates how to shut off water supply
			Discusses and demonstrates how to install pressure pipes
			Discusses and demonstrates safety procedures when installing
			pressure pipes
			Discusses and demonstrates how to check and repair water leaks
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Shut off water supply
			Install pressure pipes
			Observe safety precautions when installing pressure pipes
			Check for and repairs water leaks
	Installation and	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
	maintenance of a drainage	Install sanitary fittings: the toilet	The teacher:
	system		Discusses and demonstrates how to install the toilet
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in installing the toilet
7	Installation and	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
	maintenance of a water	Complete installation of pressure	The teacher:
	supply	pipelines	Discusses and demonstrates how to shut off water supply
			Discusses and demonstrates how to install pressure pipes

	Grade 4: Term 4		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			Discusses and demonstrates safety procedures when installing pressure pipes
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Shut off water supply
			Install pressure pipes
			Observe safety precautions when installing pressure pipes
	Installation and maintenance of a drainage	Grade 4 2 nd year	Grade 4 2 nd year
	system	Install sanitary fittings: the toilet	The teacher:
	System		Discusses and demonstrates how to install the toilet
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in installing the toilet
8	Basic building work	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 1 st year
		Chase channels for piping in	The teacher:
		brickwork	Discusses and demonstrates how to cut channels in brickwork for
			installing pipe work.
			Discusses and demonstrates how to use an angle grinder to chase
			channels in brickwork.
			Discusses and demonstrates how to use a chisel and hammer to
			chase channels in brickwork
			Discusses and demonstrates safety precautions when making

		Grade 4: Te	erm 4
Week	Торіс	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			channels in brickwork The learners complete the following activities: Cut channels in brickwork using an angle grinder, a hammer and chisel Observe safety precautions when cutting channels in brickwork
	World of work	 Grade 4 2nd year Practice good work habits-personal and social presentation Conduct business ethically and professionally 	Grade 4 2 nd year The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to practice good social habits; personal and social presentation Discusses how to conduct business ethically and professionally The learners complete the following activities: Practice good social habits; personal and social presentation Conduct business ethically and professionally
9	Basic building work	Chase channels for piping in brickwork	The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to cut channels in brickwork for installing pipe work. Discusses and demonstrates how to use an angle grinder to chase channels in brickwork. Discusses and demonstrates how to use a chisel and hammer to chase channels in brickwork

	Grade 4: Term 4		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			Discusses and demonstrates safety precautions when making channels in brickwork
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Cut channels in brickwork using an angle grinder, a hammer and chisel
			Observe safety precautions when cutting channels in brickwork
			Grade 4 2 nd year
	World of work	Grade 4 2 nd year	The teacher:
		 Accurately identify customer needs 	Discusses and demonstrates how to accurately identify customer needs
		Deal with customers	Discusses and demonstrates how to deal with customers and
		Address customer complaints	address customers complaints
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify customers needs
			Deal with customers
			Address customers complaints

Practical Assessments Term 4

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The learner must be able to:

Week	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 2 nd year
2	Clear work area from obstruction	Prepare area for bathtub installation
	Drain water from trench	Install the bathtub
3	Shore up a trench	Check drainage of bathtub
	Observe safety precautions when shoring	Connect supply pipes to bathtub
	up a trench	
4	Shore up a trench	Prepare area for shower
	Observe safety precautions when shoring	Install the shower
	up a trench	
5	Shuts off the water supply	Check drainage of shower
	Prepare ground for laying of supply pipe	Install supply pipes to shower
6	Install supply pipes	Prepare area for toilet
	Connect supply pipes with compression	Install the toilet
	fittings	
7	Connects up supply pipes above ground	Connect up water supply to toilet
	with capillary fittings	Connect up outlet to toilet
	Secure supply pipes above ground	
8	Mark out channel in brickwork	Practice good social habits
	Chase channel with angle grinder	Conduct business ethically
9	Use a chisel and hammer to clear channel	Identify customer needs
	Use protective gear when chasing a	Address customer complaints
	channel	

Theoretical Assessment Term 4

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The learner must be able to:

Week	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 2 nd year
2	State 1 safety precaution when working in	State 1 reason for levelling out a bathtub
	a trench	
3	State 1 safety precaution when shoring up	State 1 reason for correct drainage of bathtub
	a trench	
4	State 1 safety precaution when shoring up	State 1 advantage of installing a shower in a

	a trench	bathtub
5	State 1 safety precaution when preparing ground for laying of supply pipes	State 1 reason for a p trap in a shower
6	State an advantage of compression fittings	State 2 methods of securing a toilet
7	State an advantage of capillary fittings	State 2 methods of connecting the outlet of a toilet
8	State 1 reason for chasing out a channel	State 1 reason to practice good social habits
	in brickwork	
9	State 1 way of sharpening a chisel	State the main needs of a customer

3.2.5 Grade 5: 1^{st} , 2^{nd} and 3^{rd} year: Term 1

Learners are three years in Grade 5

		Grade 5: Term 1	
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
1	Health , safety and good	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year
	housekeeping practices	 Identify and remove potential hazards in the work place Practice good housekeeping 	 The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to identify and remove potential hazards in the work place Discusses and demonstrates good housekeeping practices The learners complete the following activities: Identify and removes potential hazards in the work place. Practice good housekeeping Clean up and set workshop
		Crade 5 2 nd year Locate fire extinguishers and fire hoses Practice good housekeeping	 Grade 5 2nd year The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to locate fire extinguishers and fire hoses Discusses and demonstrates the different fire extinguishers to put out different fires Discusses and demonstrates good housekeeping practices The learners complete the following activities:

	Grade 5: Term 1		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			Locate fire extinguishers and fire hoses
			Assist in putting out fires using different fire extinguishers
			Practice good housekeeping
			Clean up and sets workshop
		Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
		Administer basic first aid	The teacher:
		Practice good housekeeping	Discusses and demonstrates basic first aid
			Discusses AIDS and HIV around bleeding injuries
			Discusses and demonstrates good housekeeping practices
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in administering basic first aid
			Practice good housekeeping
			Clean up and sets workshop
2	Tools	Grade 5 1st year	Grade 5 1 st year
		Identify, use and care of power tools	The teacher:
			Discusses and demonstrates how to identify, use and care for
			power tools; the angle grinder, the hand drill and the bench
			grinder
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identifies, uses and maintains power tools; the angle grinder,

		Grade 5: Term 1	
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			the hand drill and the bench grinder
	Installation and maintenance of a water supply system	 Grade 5 2nd year Find faults in cold water systems 	The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to find faults in cold water systems Discusses and demonstrates how to repair water supply systems Discusses and demonstrates how to repair valves, taps and
			cocks The learners complete the following activities: Assist in finding faults in cold water systems Assist in repairing water supply systems Assist in repairing valves, taps and cocks
	Plumbing and preparation for performing plumbing works	Grade 5 3 rd year Estimate accurately quantities of material needed Identify suppliers correctly List suppliers selection criteria	The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to accurately estimate quantities of material needed Discusses how to identify suppliers correctly Discusses selection criteria for suppliers

	Grade 5: Term 1		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
3	Tools	Grade 5 1 st year	 The learners complete the following activities: Assist in estimating quantities of materials needed Identify suppliers State selection suppliers criteria Grade 5 1 st year
		Maintain power tools	 The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to maintain power tools; the angle grinder, the hand drill and the bench grinder Discusses and demonstrates safety precautions when maintaining power tools The learners complete the following activities: Assist in maintaining power tools; the angle grinder, the hand drill and the bench grinder Observe safety precautions when maintaining power tools
	Installation and maintenance of a water supply system	Grade 5 2 nd year Find faults in hot water systems	Grade 5 2 nd year The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to find faults in hot water systems Discusses and demonstrates how to inspect, repair and maintain hot water systems Discusses and demonstrates how to repair and maintain

		Grade 5: Term 1	
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			The learners complete the following activities: Assist in finding faults in hot water systems Assist in inspecting, repairing and maintaining hot water systems Assist in repairing and maintaining geysers
	Plumbing and preparation	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
	for performing plumbing	Prepare an order list based on	The teacher:
	works	specification	Discusses and demonstrates how to prepare an order list
			based on specification
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in preparing an order list based on specification
4	Tools	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year
		Identify, use and care for specialised tools	 Discusses and demonstrates how to use the following specialized tools: the pipe cutter, the pipe bender and the bending spring Discusses and demonstrates how to use the blowtorch Discusses and demonstrates safety precautions when using specialised tools

	Grade 5: Term 1				
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.		
	Installation and maintenance of a water	Grade 5 2 nd year • Find faults in geysers	 The learners complete the following activities: Use the pipe cutter, the pipe bender and the bending spring Use the blowtorch Observe safety when using specialised tools Grade 5 2 nd year The teacher:		
	supply system		 Discusses and demonstrates how to find faults in geysers Discusses and demonstrates how to fix a leaking geyser Discusses and demonstrates how to replace an faulty element The learners complete the following activities: Assist in finding faults in geysers Assist in fixing a leaking geyser Assist in replacing a faulty element 		
	Plumbing and preparation for performing plumbing works	 Grade 5 3rd year Identify, select and maintain tools and equipment Check tools for defects before using 	Grade 5 3 rd year The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to identify, select and maintain plumbing tools and equipment Discusses and demonstrates how to check plumbing tools for defects before using		

	Grade 5: Term 1				
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.		
			The learners complete the following activities:		
			Identify, select and maintain plumbing tools		
			Check plumbing tools for defects		
5	Tools	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year		
		Identify, use and care of measuring	The teacher:		
		tools	Discusses and demonstrates use and care of measuring tools; measuring tape, steel ruler and builder square		
			Discusses the different units of measurements; millimetres,		
			centimetres and metres.		
			The learners complete the following activities:		
			Identify, use and maintain measuring tools; measuring tape,		
			steel rule and the builders square		
			Use millimetres, centimetres and metres as units of		
			measurements		
	Installation and	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year		
	maintenance of a water	Find faults in fittings	The teacher:		
	supply system		Discusses and demonstrates how to find and repairs faults in		
			different water supply fittings		
			Discusses and demonstrate how to find and repair faults in		
			compression and capillary fittings		
			The learners complete the following activities:		

	Grade 5: Term 1				
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.		
			Assist in finding and repairing faults in capillary and compression fittings		
	Installation and	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year		
	maintenance of a drainage	Install, inspect a drainage system	The teacher:		
	system		Discusses and demonstrates how to install and inspect a drainage system		
			Discusses and demonstrates the layout of a below ground drainage system		
			Discusses and demonstrates angles, bedding and backfilling of drainpipes		
			The learners complete the following activities:		
			Assists in installing and inspecting drainage system		
			Assists in the layout of a below ground drainage system		
			Assists in angling pipes, bedding and backfilling of drainpipes		
6	Tools	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year		
		Maintain and repair tools	The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to maintain and repair plumbing tools		
			The learners complete the following activities:		
			Assist to maintain and repair plumbing tools		

	Grade 5: Term 1			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
	Installation and	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year	
	maintenance of a water	Apply fault finding techniques	The teacher:	
	supply system	according to specifications	Discusses and demonstrates how to apply fault finding	
			techniques in a water supply system according to specification	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in applying fault finding techniques in a water supply	
			system according to specification	
	Installation and	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year	
	maintenance of a drainage	•		
	system	Set out trenches and excavate to line	The teacher:	
	System	and level	Discusses and demonstrates how to set out trenches and	
			excavate to line and level	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in setting out trenches, excavating to line and levelling	
7	Plumbing principles	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
		Understand and apply water flow	The teacher:	
		principles	Discusses and demonstrates water flow principles	
		Understand and apply basic water	Discusses and demonstrates basic water pressure principles	
		pressure principles	Discusses and demonstrates pipe design and sizing	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Demonstrate different pressure flow and water quantity with	

	Grade 5: Term 1		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			 different diameters of pipes. Demonstrate how gravity and floor inclinations affect water flow Demonstrate how closing off the water meter tap affects pressure and water flow
	Installation and	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year
	maintenance of a water	Trace hidden pipe works and rectify	The teacher:
	supply system	faults	Discusses and demonstrates how to trace hidden pipe work and rectify faults
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in tracing hidden pipe work and rectifying faults
	Installation and	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
	maintenance of a drainage	Set out trenches and excavate to line	The teacher:
	system	and level	Discusses and demonstrates how to set out trenches, excavate to line and level
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in setting out trenches, excavating to line and levelling
8	Plumbing principles	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1st year
		Understand and apply water quality	The teacher:
		principles	Discusses and demonstrates water quality principles;

	Grade 5: Term 1		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
		Understand and apply knowledge of corrosion of plumbing materials	hardness, softness, salinity, bacterial; levels and suspended solids Discusses and demonstrates corrosion of plumbing materials and the prevention thereof The learners complete the following activities: Explain and demonstrate hardness and softness of water. Demonstrate how to carry out simple filtration process of water with suspended solids Demonstrate how to check salinity levels of water
	Installation and maintenance of a water supply system	Detect and repair water leaks	 Grade 5 2nd year The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to shut off water supply when carrying out repairs Discusses and demonstrates how to detect and repair water leaks The learners complete the following activities: Shut off water supply Detect and repair water leaks
	Installation and maintenance of a drainage	Grade 5 3 rd year • Bed, join and lay drainpipes	Grade 5 3 rd year The teacher:

	Grade 5: Term 1			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
	system		Discusses and demonstrates how to bed, join and lay drainpipes.	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in bedding, joining and laying drainpipes	
9	Plumbing principles	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
		Apply pollution principles	The teacher:	
		Apply basic pipe design and sizing	Discusses pollution principles	
			Discusses effluent and backflow prevention	
			Discusses and demonstrates basic pipe design and sizing	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			 Understand the effects of effluent and backflow in a water supply system 	
			Undertake pollution prevention projects	
			Assist in applying basic pipe design and sizing in plumbing projects	
	World of work	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year	
		Identify the criteria for the learner work	The teacher:	
		experience programme (LWEP)	Discusses the criteria for the learner work experience	
			programme (LWEP)	
			The learners complete the following activities:	

	Grade 5: Term 1		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			 State and understand the criteria for the learner work experience programme. Participate in the learner work experience programme
	Installation and	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
	maintenance of a drainage	Bed, join and lay drainpipes	The teacher:
	system		Discusses and demonstrates how to bed, join and lay drainpipes.
			The learners complete the following activities: • Assist in bedding, joining and laying drainpipes

Practical assessment Term 1

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Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
Use an angle grinder	Reseat a tap	Estimate quantity of material
Use a hand drill	Replace a tap washer	needed
		Identify suppliers
Maintain an angle grinder	Find fault in geyser	Prepare an order list
Maintain a hand drill	Repair fault in geyser	Price an order list
Use a pipe cutter	Remove an element	Select plumbing tools
Use a pipe bender	Replace an element	Maintain plumbing tools
Use a measuring tape	Repair a leaking compression	Install a drainage system
Use a builder square	fitting	Inspect a drainage system
	Repair a leaking capillary fitting	
Maintain plumbing tools	Remove a faulty stopcock	Mark out trench
Repair plumbing tools	Replace a faulty stopcock	Excavate trench
Close a water meter	Find a hidden leaking pipe	Excavate trench
Show pressure of different	Repair the hidden leaking pipe	Level out trench
pipe diameters		
Demonstrate hardness of	Shut off water supply	Bed drainpipes
water	Repair leaking pipe	Lay drainpipes
Demonstrate softness of		
water		
Show how pollution affects	State criteria for the work	Lay drainpipes
the water cycle	experience programme	Join drainpipes
Show how to prevent pollution	Participate in the work	
in the water cycle	experience programme	
	Use an angle grinder Use a hand drill Maintain an angle grinder Maintain a hand drill Use a pipe cutter Use a pipe bender Use a measuring tape Use a builder square Maintain plumbing tools Repair plumbing tools Close a water meter Show pressure of different pipe diameters Demonstrate hardness of water Demonstrate softness of water Show how pollution affects the water cycle Show how to prevent pollution	Use an angle grinder Use a hand drill Maintain an angle grinder Maintain a hand drill Use a pipe cutter Use a pipe bender Use a measuring tape Use a builder square Maintain plumbing tools Repair leaking pipe Show pressure of different pipe diameters Demonstrate hardness of water Show how pollution affects the water cycle Show how to prevent pollution Participate in the work

Theoretical assessment Term 1

Four theoretical activities are assessed and recorded, however, a minimum of 1 theoretical activity is reported on. The following serves as suggestions of theoretical activities to report on.

Week	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
2	State the use of an angle	State reason for repairing water	State reason for estimating
	grinder	supply systems	quantity of material needed
3	State why we maintain power	State the purpose of a geyser	State reason for pricing an
	tools		order list
4	Identify the pipe cutter and	State the purpose of an element	Identify basic plumbing tools
	pipe bender		
5	State why we use measuring	State reasons for leaking	State reason for bedding
	tools	capillary fittings	drainage pipe
6	State why we maintain	State reasons for maintaining a	State reason for excavating
	plumbing tools	water supply system	trenches
7	State why we use different	State reason for keeping pipes	State reason for gradient in
	diameter pipes in plumbing	hidden	trench
8	State what causes hardness	State reason for repairing leaks	State reason for inclination in
	and softness of water		drainage pipes
9	State 1 effect of effluent in	State the objective of the work	State the purpose of
	the water supply system	experience programme	drainage pipes

		Grade 5: Term 2	
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
1	Health, safety and good	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year
	housekeeping practices	State safe and unsafe conditions and	The teacher:
		acts	Discusses and demonstrates safe and unsafe conditions and
		Practice good housekeeping	acts
			Discusses and demonstrates good housekeeping practices
			The learners complete the following activities:
			State safe and unsafe conditions and acts.
			State how to prevent unsafe conditions and acts
			Practice good housekeeping
			Clean up and set workshop
		Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year
		Identify and follow procedures for	The teacher:
		emergencies promptly and correctly	Discusses and demonstrates the procedures for emergencies
		Practice good housekeeping	Discusses and demonstrates good housekeeping practices
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify and follow procedures for emergencies promptly and
			correctly

		Grade 5: Term 2	
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			Practice good housekeeping
			Clean up and set workshop
		Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
		Intervene in a first aid scenario	The teacher:
		Practice good housekeeping	Discusses AIDs and HIV in a bleeding first aid scenario
			Discusses and demonstrates intervention in a first aid scenario
			Discusses and demonstrates good housekeeping
			The learners complete the following activities:
			State the precaution to be taken in a bleeding first aid situation
			Assist in basic first aid scenario
			Practice good housekeeping
			Clean up and set up workshop
2	Plumbing principles	Grade 5 1st year	Grade 5 1st year
		Select and understand the purpose of	The teacher:
		valves	Discusses and demonstrates the purpose of valves.
			Demonstrate how to connect up valves
			The learners complete the following activities:
			State the purpose of valves
			Connect up valves

	Grade 5: Term 2		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
	Installation and	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year
	maintenance of a water	Detect and repair water leaks	The teacher:
	supply system	·	Discusses and demonstrates how to shut off the water supply
			Discusses and demonstrates how to detect and repair water
			leaks
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Shut off the water supply
			Assist to detect and repair water leaks
	Installation and	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
	maintenance of a drainage	Backfill and compact excavation	The teacher:
	system		Discusses and demonstrates how to backfill and compact an
			evacuation
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in backfilling and compacting an evacuation
3	Plumbing principles	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year
		Select and understand the purpose of	The teacher:
		meters	Discusses and demonstrates the purpose of water meters
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Identify the water meter
			Assist in connecting a water meter
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	Grade 5: Term 2		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
		The learner must be able to.	
	Installation and	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year
	maintenance of a water	Inspect, maintain and repair soil and	The teacher:
	supply system	waste water systems	 Discusses and demonstrates how to inspect, maintain and repair soil and waste water systems Discusses and demonstrates how to remove an inspection waste line cover and clean out waste line The learners complete the following activities: Assist in inspecting, maintaining and repairing soil and waste water system
			Remove an inspection waste line cover and cleans out waste line
	Installation and	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
	maintenance of a drainage	Inspect drainpipes and clear	The teacher:
	system	blockages	Discusses and demonstrates how to inspect drainpipes and clear blockages
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in inspecting drainpipes and clearing blockages
4	Plumbing principles	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year
		Select and understand the purpose of	The teacher:
		pumps	Discusses and demonstrates the purpose of pumps

	Grade 5: Term 2		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
Week	Installation and maintenance of a water supply system		The learners complete the following activities: • Assists in selecting and understanding the purpose of pumps Grade 5 2 nd year The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to inspect, maintain and repair drainage systems • Discusses and demonstrates how to clean out a blocked p trap and drainage gulley The learners complete the following activities: • Assist in inspecting, maintaining and repairing drainage systems • Clean out p trap blockage
	Installation and maintenance of a drainage system	 Grade 5 3rd year Build, inspect and maintain drainage system structures 	 Clean out drainage gulley Grade 5 3rd year The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to build, inspect and maintain drainage system structures Builds a manhole for a drainage system The learners complete the following activities:

	Grade 5: Term 2			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			 Assist in building, inspecting and maintaining drainage system structures Assist in building a manhole for a drainage system 	
5	Plumbing principles	Select and understand the purpose of plumbing materials for pipes and fittings Select and understand the purpose of hot water systems	 Grade 5 1st year The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates the purpose of plumbing materials for pipes and fittings Discusses and demonstrates the purpose of hot water systems Discusses and demonstrates how to select hot water systems The learners complete the following activities: Assist in selecting plumbing materials for pipes and fittings State the purpose of plumbing materials for pipes and fittings Select hot water systems State the purpose of hot water systems 	
	Erection, using and dismantling access equipment	Grade 5 2 nd year Clear and level area where scaffolding is erected	Grade 5 2 nd year The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to clear and level area where scaffolding is erected The learners complete the following activities:	

	Grade 5: Term 2			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			Assist in clearing and levelling area where scaffolding is erected	
	Installation and	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year	
	maintenance of a drainage	Build, inspect and maintain drainage	The teacher:	
	system	system structures	Discusses and demonstrates how to build, inspect and maintain drainage system structures	
			Discusses and demonstrates how to lay out basic drainpipes	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in building, inspecting and maintaining drainage system	
			structures	
			Assist in laying out basic drainpipes	
6	Plumbing principles	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
		Select and understand the purpose of	The teacher:	
		terminal fittings	Discusses and demonstrates the purpose of terminal fittings	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Select and uses terminal fittings	
			State the purpose of terminal fittings	
	Erection, using and	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year	
	dismantling access	Place adjustable jacks in position	The teacher:	
	equipment		Discusses and demonstrates how to place and use adjustable	

	Grade 5: Term 2			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			jacks The learners complete the following activities: • Assist in placing adjustable jacks in position	
	Installation and	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year	
	maintenance of a drainage	Install in-site sanitation systems; the	The teacher:	
	system	bathtub	 Discusses and demonstrates how to select site and build support structure for bathtub Discusses and demonstrates how to install the bath 	
			The learners complete the following activities: Assist in selecting site and building structure for bathtub Assist in installing the bathtub	
7	Installation and	Grade 5 1st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
	maintenance of a water supply system	Describe cold water systems and list their components	Discusses cold water systems and their components Demonstrates how to connect and use cold water system components	
			The learners complete the following activities: Name the cold water system components Assist in connecting and using cold water system components 	

	Grade 5: Term 2			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			Grade 5 2 nd year	
	Erection, using and	Grade 5 2 nd year	The teacher:	
	dismantling access	Level horizontal components	Discusses and demonstrates how to level horizontal	
	equipment		components	
			Discusses drainage of the bathtub and shower floor	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in the levelling of horizontal components	
			Assist in positioning the bathtub and shower floor for proper	
			drainage	
			Grade 5 3 rd year	
	Installation and	Grade 5 3 rd year	The teacher:	
	maintenance of a drainage	Install in-site sanitation systems; the bath	Discusses and demonstrates how to install the bath	
	system		Discusses and demonstrates drainage of bathtub	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in installing the bathtub	
			Assist in positioning bathtub for proper drainage	
8	Installation and	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
	maintenance of a water	Describe hot water systems and list	The teacher:	
	supply system	their components	Discusses and list hot water systems and their components	
			Discusses and demonstrates some use of hot water	

	Grade 5: Term 2			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			Discusses and demonstrates how to connect a pressure and overflow valve	
	Erection, using and	Grade 5 2 nd year	 The learners complete the following activities: Assist in fitting some hot water components Name the hot water system components Assist in connecting pressure valve Assist in connecting an overflow valve 	
	dismantling access	Position scaffold boards properly on	Grade 5 2 nd year	
	equipment	supports	The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to position scaffold boards properly on supports	
			The learners complete the following activities: • Assist in positioning scaffold boards properly on supports	
	Installation and maintenance of a drainage system	Grade 5 3 rd year • Install in-site sanitation systems: the basin	Grade 5 3 rd year The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to install the hand wash basin	
			The learners complete the following activities:	

	Grade 5: Term 2			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			Assist in installing the hand wash basin	
9	Installation and	Grade 5 1st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
	maintenance of a water	Describe the use and application of	The teacher:	
	supply system	hot water system components	 Discusses and demonstrates the use and application of hot water system components 	
			Discusses and demonstrates how to remove and replace an element in a geyser	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in removing and replacing an element in a geyser	
	World of work	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year	
		Able to work with competence	The teacher:	
		Able to have good work tolerance	Discusses how to work with competence	
		Practice appropriate social skills	Discusses how to have good work tolerances	
		training	Discusses and demonstrates appropriate social skills training	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Work with competence	
			Work with tolerance	
			Practice appropriate social skills training	
			Role play working with competence, tolerance and appropriate social skills	

	Grade 5: Term 2			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
	Installation and	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year	
	maintenance of a drainage	Install in-site sanitation systems: the	The teacher:	
	system	basin	 Discusses and demonstrates how to install the hand wash basin Discusses and demonstrates how to connect up supply lines and waste line for basin 	
			The learners complete the following activities: Assist in installing the hand wash basin Assist in connecting supply line and waste line for basin	

Practical assessment Term 2

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The learner must be able to:

Week	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
2	Select a valve	Shut off water supply	Backfill excavation
	Connect a valve	Repair water leaks	Compact excavation
3	Select a water meter	Remove inspection cover on	Inspect blockages
	Connect a water meter	waste line	Clear blockages
		Clean out waste line	
4	Select a pump	Clean out p trap blockage	Excavate area for manhole
	Connect a pump	Clean out drainage gulley	Build a manhole structure
5	Select plumbing materials	Clear out area for scaffolding	Select basic drainpipes
	Connect a fitting to a pipe	Level out area for scaffolding	Lay out basic drainpipes
6	Select a terminal fitting	Select adjustable jack	Select site for bathtub
	Connect a terminal fitting	Place adjustable jack in position	Build support structure for
			bathtub
7	Connect a tap	Level out horizontal components	Install bathtub
	Connect a stop cock	Position bathtub in place	Position bathtub for drainage
8	Connect a pressure valve	Select scaffold boards	Select position for basin
	Connect an overflow valve	Position scaffold boards	Install basin
9	Remove an element from a	Work with competence	Connect water supply
	geyser	Work with tolerance	Connect waste line
	Replace an element in a		
	geyser		

Theoretical assessment Term 2

Four theoretical activities are assessed and recorded, however, a minimum of 1 theoretical activity is reported on. The following serves as suggestions of theoretical activities to report on.

Week	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
2	State the purpose of a valve	State how to detect a water leak	State the purpose of
			compacting a filled
			excavation
3	State the purpose of a	State the purpose of an	State the cause of blockage

	water meter	inspection waste line cover	
4	State the purpose of a	State the purpose of a p trap	State the purpose of a
	pump		manhole
5	State the purpose of a	State purpose of levelling area for	State the purpose of drain
	fitting	scaffolding	pipes
6	State the purpose of a	State the purpose of adjustable	State the purpose of building
	terminal fitting	jacks	a support structure for a
			bathtub
7	State the purpose of thread	State the reason for levelling out	State the reason for correct
	tape	horizontal components	drainage position of a bathtub
8	State the purpose of an	State the purpose of scaffold	State the purpose of the
	overflow valve	boards	basin
9	State the purpose of an	State the purpose of appropriate	State the standard height of a
	element in a geyser	skills training	basin

		Grade 5: Term 3	
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
1	Health, safety and good	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year
	housekeeping practices	Practice good housekeeping	The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to practice good housekeeping Discusses and demonstrates how to clean up and set up the workshop
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Practice good housekeeping
			Clean up and sets up the workshop
		Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year
		Report injuries involving individuals to	The teacher:
		the relevant persons promptly Practice good housekeeping	 Discusses how to report injuries involving individuals to relevant persons promptly Discusses and demonstrates how to practice good housekeeping
			Discusses and demonstrates how to clean up and set up the workshop

	Grade 5: Term 3			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			 The learners complete the following activities: Report injuries involving individuals to the relevant persons promptly Practice good housekeeping Clean up and sets up the workshop 	
		Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year	
		 Treat bleeding wounds Practice good housekeeping 	 Discusses and demonstrates how to treat bleeding wounds Discusses the effects of AIDS and HIV on exposure to bleeding wounds Discusses and demonstrates how to practice good housekeeping Discusses and demonstrates how to clean up and set up the workshop 	
			 The learners complete the following activities: Assist in the treatment of bleeding wounds Take safety precautions in terms of AIDS and HIV when treating bleeding wounds Practice good housekeeping Clean up and sets up the workshop 	
2	Installation and	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year	

	Grade 5: Term 3			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
	maintenance of a water supply system	Join pipes and assemble using pipe fittings	 The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to join pipes and assemble using pipe fittings Discusses and demonstrates how to join capillary fittings using a blow torch and soldering wire The learners complete the following activities: Assist in joining pipes and assemble using pipe fittings Join pipes using capillary fittings Join pipes using a blow torch and soldering wire 	
	Erection, using and dismantling access equipment	Grade 5 2 nd year • Tighten all couplings	Grade 5 2 nd year The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to tighten all couplings The learners complete the following activities:	
	Solar hot water system	Grade 5 3 rd year • Introduction of solar hot water systems	 Tighten all couplings Grade 5 3rd year The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates what are solar hot water systems and how they work Discusses the advantages and disadvantages of solar hot water systems 	

	Grade 5: Term 3		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
3	Installation and maintenance of a water	Grade 5 1st year • Join pipes and assemble using pipe	Discusses the components of the solar hot water system The learners complete the following activities: Give a brief explanation of how the solar hot water system works State the advantage sand disadvantages of a solar hot water system Name the components of the solar hot water system Grade 5 1st year The teacher:
	supply system	fittings	 Discusses and demonstrates how to join pipes and assemble using pipe fittings Discusses and demonstrates how to join pipe using compression fittings The learners complete the following activities: Assist in joining pipes and assemble using pipe fittings Join pipes using capillary fittings
	Erection, using and dismantling access equipment	Dismantle and stack access equipment in the correct order	Grade 5 2 nd year The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to dismantle access equipment in the correct order

	Grade 5: Term 3		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in dismantling of access equipment
	Solar hot water system	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
		Installation of a solar hot water system	The teacher:
			Discusses and demonstrates the different components of
			the solar hot water system
			Discusses and demonstrates how to install a solar hot water
			system
			Discusses and demonstrates the passive solar water
			system
			Discusses and demonstrates how to connect up the solar
			collector
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Name the different components of the solar hot water
			system; the passive solar water system
			Assist in the installation of the solar hot water system
			Assist in connecting the solar collector
4	Installation and	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1st year
	maintenance of a water	Install and maintain cold water pipe	The teacher:
	supply system	systems.	Discusses and demonstrates how to install and maintain
			cold water pipe systems

	Grade 5: Term 3			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
	Erection, using and dismantling access equipment	Grade 5 2 nd year • Erect and dismantle a trestle scaffold	 Discusses and demonstrates how to mark off level lines on walls using a plumb line or level Discusses and demonstrates how fit pipe holding clamps on wall The learners complete the following activities: Assist in installing and maintaining a cold water pipe system Mark off lines on wall Fit pipe holders on wall Grade 5 2nd year The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to erect and dismantle a 	
	Solar hot water system	Grade 5 3 rd year • Installation of a solar system	trestle scaffold The learners complete the following activities: • Assist in erecting and dismantling a trestle scaffold Grade 5 3 rd year The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates the different components of the solar hot water system • Discusses and demonstrates how to install a solar hot water system	

	Grade 5: Term 3			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			Discusses and demonstrates how to connect up the hot water storage tank and other parts	
			 The learners complete the following activities: Name the different components of the solar hot water system Assist in the installation of the solar hot water system Assist to connect up the storage tank and other parts 	
5	Installation and	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1st year	
	maintenance of a water supply system	Install and maintain cold water systems	The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to install and maintain cold water pipe systems • Discusses and demonstrates how to fit water pipe on brackets The learners complete the following activities:	
			 Assist in installing and maintaining a cold water pipe system Fit water pipes on brackets 	
	Erection, using and dismantling access equipment	Grade 5 2 nd year Erect and dismantle a trestle scaffold	Grade 5 2 nd year The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to erect and dismantle a trestle scaffold	

	Grade 5: Term 3		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			The learners complete the following activities: • Assist in erecting and dismantling a trestle scaffold
	Solar hot water system	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
		Installation of a solar system	The teacher:
			 Discusses and demonstrates the different components of the solar hot water system Discusses and demonstrates how to install a solar hot water system Discusses and demonstrates the active solar hot water system Discusses and demonstrates how to connect up the collector and controller
			The learners complete the following activities:
			 Name the different components of the solar hot water system; the active system Assist in the installation of the solar hot water system Assist in connecting up the collector and controller
6	Installation and	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1st year
	maintenance of a water	Pressure test pipe system	The teacher:
	supply system		Discusses and demonstrates how to pressure test a pipe system

	Grade 5: Term 3		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			The learners complete the following activities: • Assist in pressure testing a pipe system
	Erection, using and	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year
	dismantling access	Erect and dismantle an extension ladder	The teacher:
	equipment		Discusses and demonstrates how to erect and dismantle an extension ladder
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Erect and dismantle an extension ladder
	Solar hot water system	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
		Installation of a solar system	 Discusses and demonstrates the different components of the solar hot water system Discusses and demonstrates how to install a solar hot water system Discusses and demonstrates how to connect up the storage tank and the solar pump
			The learners complete the following activities: • Name the different components of the solar hot water system

	Grade 5: Term 3			
Week	Teek Topic Content The learner must be able to:		Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			 Assist in the installation of the solar hot water system Assist in connecting up the storage tank and the solar pump 	
7	Installation and maintenance of a water supply system	Install and maintain hot water systems	Grade 5 1st year The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to install and maintain a hot water system The learners complete the following activities: Assist in installing and maintaining a hot water system	
	Erection, using and dismantling access equipment	Grade 5 2 nd year • Make use of a step ladder	Grade 5 2 nd year The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to make use of a step ladder	
			The learners complete the following activities: • Use a step ladder effectively	
	Solar hot water system	Grade 5 3 rd year • Repair and maintenance of solar systems	Grade 5 3 rd year The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to repair and maintain solar systems Discusses and demonstrates how to remove the collector	

	Grade 5: Term 3		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in repairing and maintaining a solar system
			Assist in removing the collector
8	Installation and	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year
	maintenance of a water	Install a geyser	The teacher:
	supply system		Discusses and demonstrates how to install a pressure geyser
			Discusses and demonstrates how to connect up the electrical wires on the element
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in installing a geyser
			Assist in connecting up the electrical wires in the element
	Basic building work	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year
		Set out brick masonry for manholes and	The teacher:
		chambers	Discusses and demonstrates how to set out brick masonry
			for manholes and chambers
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in setting out brick masonry for man holes and
			chambers
	Solar hot water system	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year

	Grade 5: Term 3		
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
		Repair and maintenance of solar hot water systems	The teacher: • Discusses and demonstrates how to repair and maintain solar hot water systems
			Discusses and demonstrates how to replace the collector
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in repairing and maintaining a solar hot water system
			Assist in replacing the collector
9	Installation and	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year
	maintenance of a water	Install a geyser	The teacher:
	supply system		Discusses and demonstrates how to install a pressure geyser
			Discusses and demonstrates how to connect up the pressure and overflow valve
			The learners complete the following activities:
			Assist in installing a geyser
			Assist in connecting up the pressure and overflow valve
	World of work	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year
		Orientate learners to the open labour	The teacher:
		market	Discusses the open labour market
		Perform personal management activities for daily living	Discusses personal management activities for daily living

	Grade 5: Term 3			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
Week	Solar hot water system		Discusses the learner work experience programme The learners complete the following activities: Talk about the open labour market Practice personal management activities for daily living Participate in the learner work experience programme Grade 5 3 rd year	
			 solar hot water systems Discusses and demonstrates how to remove and replace the storage tank The learners complete the following activities Assist in repairing and maintaining a solar hot water system Assist in removing and replacing the storage tanks 	

Practical assessment Term 3

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The learner must be able to:

Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
Light up a blowtorch	Fit thread tape on couplings	Identify the storage tank
Join capillary fittings using a	Tighten all couplings	Identify the collector
blowtorch		
Join pipes using compression	Dismantle access equipment	Identify the components of the
fittings	Stack access equipment	passive solar system
Check pipes for leaks		Connect up the solar collector
Mark off lines on the wall	Erect a trestle scaffold	Connect up the hot water
Drill holes in wall	Dismantle a trestle scaffold	storage tank
		Connect up the hot water
		piping system
Drill holes in wall	Erect a trestle scaffold	Connect up the active solar
Fit water pipe bracket in wall	Dismantle a trestle scaffold	collector
		Connect up the controller
Connect up pressure test	Erect an extension ladder	Connect up the active solar
equipment	Dismantle an extension ladder	storage tank
Pressure test pipe system		Connect up the solar pump
Install hot water pipes	Set up a step ladder	Strip the collector pipes
Connect up hot water pipes	Climb up a step ladder	Remove the collector
Install geyser	Set up a profile for brickwork	Replace the collector
Connect electrical wires	Set up brick masonry	Refit the collector pipes
Connect pressure valve	Practice personal management	Remove the storage tank
Connect overflow valve	activities for daily living	Replace the storage tank
	Participate in the work	
	experience programme	
	Light up a blowtorch Join capillary fittings using a blowtorch Join pipes using compression fittings Check pipes for leaks Mark off lines on the wall Drill holes in wall Drill holes in wall Fit water pipe bracket in wall Connect up pressure test equipment Pressure test pipe system Install hot water pipes Connect up hot water pipes Install geyser Connect electrical wires Connect pressure valve	Light up a blowtorch Join capillary fittings using a blowtorch Join pipes using compression fittings Check pipes for leaks Mark off lines on the wall Drill holes in wall Drill holes in wall Erect a trestle scaffold Dismantle a trestle scaffold Dismantle a trestle scaffold Dismantle a trestle scaffold Erect a trestle scaffold Dismantle a trestle scaffold Erect a trestle scaffold Dismantle a trestle scaffold Connect up pressure test equipment Pressure test pipe system Install hot water pipes Connect up hot water pipes Connect electrical wires Connect pressure valve Connect overflow valve Erect a trestle scaffold Dismantle a trestle scaffold Erect an extension ladder Dismantle an extension ladder Climb up a step ladder Climb up a step ladder Set up a profile for brickwork Set up brick masonry Practice personal management activities for daily living Participate in the work

Theoretical assessment Term 3

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Week	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
2	State the purpose of soldering	State the purpose of thread	State the purpose of the
	wire	tape	collector
3	State the purpose of	State the purpose of access	State the advantage of the
	compression fittings	equipment	passive solar system
4	State the purpose of the	State the purpose of a trestle	State the purpose of the
	masonry bit	scaffold	storage tank
5	State the purpose of the water	State the purpose of a trestle	State the purpose of the
	pipe bracket	scaffold	controller
6	State the purpose of the	State the purpose of an	State the purpose of the solar
	pressure test equipment	extension ladder	pump
7	State the purpose of the hot	State the purpose of a step	State what causes the
	water system	ladder	collector from working
8	State the purpose of the	State the purpose of a manhole	State precautions that must
	geyser		be taken when working on
			the solar water system
9	State the purpose of the	State the learners place in the	State what causes the
	overflow valve	open labour market	storage tank from working

	Grade 5: Term 4			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
1	Health, safety and good	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
	housekeeping practices	 Identify and use fire extinguishers and hoses Practice good housekeeping 	The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to identify and use fire extinguishers and hoses Discusses and demonstrates how to practice good housekeeping	
			The learners complete the following activities: Identify and uses fire extinguishers Practice good housekeeping Clean up and set workshop 	
		Follow procedures that apply to illness or injuries in the work area Practice good housekeeping	 Grade 5 2nd year The teacher: Discusses how to follow procedures that apply to illness or injuries in the work area Discusses and demonstrates how to practice good housekeeping The learners complete the following activities: 	

		Grade 5: Term 4	
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.
week 2	Installation and maintenance of a water supply system	Grade 5 3 rd year Treat an injured person for shock Practice good housekeeping Grade 5 1 st year Inspect and test hot water systems	Assist in following procedures that apply to illness or injuries in the work area Practice good housekeeping Clean up and set workshop Grade 5 3 rd year The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates how to treat an injured person for shock Discusses and demonstrates how to practice good housekeeping The learners complete the following activities: Assist in treating a injured person for shock Practice good housekeeping Clean up and set workshop Grade 5 1 st year The teacher:
			 Discusses and demonstrates how to inspect and test hot water systems The learners complete the following activities: Assist to inspect and test hot water systems

	Grade 5: Term 4			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
	Basic building work	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year	
		Mix concrete and apply	The teacher:	
			Discusses and demonstrate how to mix concrete and apply	
			Discusses safety precautions when working with concrete	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist to mix concrete	
			Observe safety precautions when working with concrete	
	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year	
	of a water supply system	Repair taps and mixers	The teacher:	
			Discusses and demonstrates why and how to repair taps and	
			mixers	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Identify the different washers and o rings in taps and mixers	
			Repair taps and mixers	
3	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 1st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
	of a water supply system	Describe 4 basic faults in hot and	The teacher:	
		cold water systems	Discusses 4 basic faults in hot and cold water systems	
			Demonstrates how to repair the 4 basic faults in hot and cold	
			water systems	

	Grade 5: Term 4			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Name the 4 basic faults in hot and cold water systems	
			Assist to repair the basic faults in hot and cold water systems	
			Grade 5 2 nd year	
	Basic building work	Grade 5 2 nd year	The teacher:	
		Set out brickwork profile	Discusses and demonstrates how to set profile for brickwork	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assists in setting up brickwork profile	
			Grade 5 3 rd year	
	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 3 rd year	The teacher:	
	of a water supply system	 Repair taps and mixers 	Discusses and demonstrates why and how to repair taps and	
			mixers	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Identify the different washers and o rings in taps and mixers	
			Repair taps and mixers	
4	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 1st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
	of a water supply system	Inspect, repair and maintain cold	The teacher:	
		water pipes	Discusses and demonstrates how to inspect, repair and	
			maintain cold water pipes	

	Grade 5: Term 4			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist to inspect, repair and maintain cold water pipes	
	Basic building work	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year	
		Mix mortar and apply	The teacher:	
			Discusses and demonstrates how to mix mortar and apply	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Mix mortar and apply	
	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year	
	of a water supply system	Repair taps and mixers	The teacher:	
			Discusses and demonstrates why and how to repair taps and	
			mixers	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Identify the different washers and o rings in taps and mixers	
			Repair taps and mixers	
5	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 1st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
	of a water supply system	Inspect, repair and maintain hot	The teacher:	
		water pipes	Discusses and demonstrates how to inspect, repair and	
			maintain hot water pipes	
			Discusses safety precautions when working on hot water	
			pipes	

	Grade 5: Term 4			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
	Assist to inspect, repare		Observe safety precautions when working with hot water pipes Grade 5 2 nd year The teacher:	
		and chambers	 Discusses and demonstrate how to set out brick masonry work for manholes and chambers Discusses and demonstrate how to mix mortar and apply The learners complete the following activities: Assist in setting out brick masonry work for manholes and chambers Mix mortar and apply 	
	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year	
	of a water supply system	Repair taps and mixers	The teacher: Discusses and demonstrates why and how to repair taps and mixers Discusses and demonstrates how to packing in a tap	
			The learners complete the following activities:	

	Grade 5: Term 4			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			Identify the different washers and o rings in taps and mixers	
			Repair taps and mixers	
			Assist in repairing/replacing packing in a tap	
6	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 1st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
	of a water supply system	Install and maintain above ground	The teacher:	
		drainage components under supervision: the toilet	Discusses and demonstrates how to install and maintain above ground drainage components under supervision; the toilet	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in the installation and maintenance of above ground drainage components; the toilet	
	Basic building work	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year	
		Construct brickwork for manholes	The teacher:	
		and chambers	Discusses and demonstrates how to construct brickwork for manholes and chambers	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in setting out brick masonry work for manholes and chambers	
	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year	
	of a water supply system	Find faults in cold water systems	The teacher:	

	Grade 5: Term 4			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			Discusses and demonstrates how to find and fix faults in cold	
			water systems	
			Discusses and demonstrates how to reseat a tap	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist to find and fix faults in cold water systems	
			Assist in reseat a tap	
7	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
	of a water supply system	Install and maintain above ground	The teacher:	
		drainage component under	Discusses and demonstrates how to install and maintain	
		supervision: the toilet	above ground drainage components under supervision; the toilet	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in the installation and maintenance of above ground	
			drainage components; the toilet	
			Grade 5 2 nd year	
	Basic building work	Grade 5 2 nd year	The teacher:	
		Makes a plaster mix	Discusses and demonstrates how to mix plaster	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in mixing plaster	
			Grade 5 3 rd year	

	Grade 5: Term 4			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 3 rd year	The teacher:	
	of a water supply system	Find faults in cold water systems	Discusses and demonstrates how to find and fix faults in color water systems	
			Discusses and demonstrates how to replace a tap	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist to find and fix faults in cold water systems	
			Assist in replacing a tap	
8	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 1st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
	of a water supply system	Install and maintain above ground	The teacher:	
		drainage components and sanitary	Discusses and demonstrates how to install and maintain	
		fittings under supervision: the	above ground drainage components and sanitary fittings under	
		shower	supervision; the shower	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in installing and maintaining above ground drainage	
			components and sanitary fittings under supervision; the	
			shower	
	Basic building work	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year	
		Plaster brickwork	The teacher:	
			Discusses and demonstrates how to mix plaster and plaster	
			brickwork	

	Grade 5: Term 4			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Mix plaster and plasters brickwork	
	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year	
	of a water supply system	Find faults in hot water systems	The teacher:	
			Discusses and demonstrates how to find and fix faults in a hot	
			water system	
			Discusses how to observes safety precautions when working	
			with hot water	
			Removes the geyser element	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			 Assist in finding and fixing faults in a hot water system 	
			Observe safety precautions when working with hot water	
			Assist in removing the geyser element	
9	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 1 st year	
	of a water supply system	Install and maintain above ground	The teacher:	
		drainage components and sanitary	Discusses and demonstrates how to install and maintain	
		fittings under supervision: the	above ground drainage components and sanitary fittings under	
		shower	supervision; the shower	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in installing and maintaining above ground drainage	
			components and sanitary fittings under supervision; the	

	Grade 5: Term 4			
Week	Topic	Content The learner must be able to:	Teaching tips, techniques, activities and resources.	
			shower	
	Basic building work	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 2 nd year	
		Box plumbing pipes	The teacher:	
			Discusses and demonstrates how to box plumbing pipes	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in boxing plumbing pipe	
	Installation and maintenance	Grade 5 3 rd year	Grade 5 3 rd year	
	of a water supply system	Find faults in hot water systems	The teacher:	
			Discusses and demonstrates how to find and fix faults in a hot water system	
			Discusses how to observe safety precautions when working	
			with hot water	
			Replace the geyser element	
			The learners complete the following activities:	
			Assist in finding and fixing faults in a hot water system	
			Observe safety precautions when working with hot water	
			Assist in replacing the geyser element	

Practical assessment Term 4

Assessment is formally recorded during four (4) practical sessions with a minimum of four (4) skills reported. Learners, regardless of abilities, shall be assessed on the same skill. The following serves as suggestion of skills to record and report on.

The learner must be able to:

Week	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
2	Inspect the hot water system	Dry mix concrete	Repair 1 basic fault in a cold
	Test the hot water system	Wet mix concrete	water system
			Repair 1 basic fault in a hot
			water system
3	Repair 1 fault in the hot water	Square brickwork profile	Remove a tap washer
	system	Set out brickwork profile	Replace a tap washer
	Repair 1 fault in the cold		
	water system		
4	Inspect cold water pipes	Dry mix mortar	Remove o rings in a tap
	Repair cold water pipes	Wet mix mortar	Replace o rings in a tap
5	Inspect hot water pipes	Construct brickwork for manhole	Remove packing in a tap
	Repair hot water pipes	Complete brickwork for	Replace packing in a tap
		manholes	
6	Install the toilet	Construct brickwork for manhole	Strip a tap
	Level the toilet	Complete brickwork for	Reseat a tap
		manholes	
7	Install supply water pipes	Dry mix plaster	Remove a tap
	Install outlet pipes	Wet mix plaster	Replace a tap
8	Install the shower	Apply plaster	Drain the geyser water
	Level the shower floor	Plaster brickwork	Remove geyser element
9	Install the water supply	Identify pipes to be blocked	Replace the geyser element
	Install the outlet pipes	Boxes plumbing pipes	Connect up element wiring

Theoretical assessment Term 4

Four theoretical activities are assessed and recorded, however, a minimum of 1 theoretical activity is reported on. The following serves as suggestions of theoretical activities to report on.

The learner must be able to:

Week	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
2	State safety precautions when	State the proportions of	State the most basic fault in
	working on hot water systems	concrete mix	a cold water system
3	State 1 basic fault in a cold	State the purpose of a	State the purpose of a tap
	water system	brickwork profile	washer
4	State how to inspect cold water	State the proportions of mortar	State the purpose of an o
	pipes	mix	ring
5	State how to inspect hot water	State the purpose of manholes	State the purpose of the
	pipes		packing gland in a tap
6	State the purpose of the toilet	State the purpose of manholes	State the reason for
			reseating a tap
7	State how to adjust water	State the proportions of plaster	State the reason for
	levels in the cistern	mix	replacing a tap
8	State the purpose of levelling	State the purpose of plastering	State the reason for
	the shower floor	brickwork	replacing a geyser element
9	State the purpose of the outlet	State the reasons for boxing	State the reason for bleeding
	pipes	brickwork	the hot water system

4 SECTION 4: ASSESSMENT

4.1 Introduction

This section on assessment *standardises* the recording and reporting processes for the CAPS Grades R to 5 for learners with Severe Intellectual Disability. It also provides a policy framework for the management of School Based Assessment (SBA) and School Assessment Records.

It is required of teachers to offer a differentiated form of assessment, as learners with moderate to severe intellectual disability and learning difficulties also have diverse learning styles and support needs. Since a learner or learners may be functioning on different levels, the assessment / recording / reporting system must make provision for reflecting the level(s) of each individual learner. These different levels should be outlined in the Individual Support Plan which should be developed at the beginning of the year in accordance with the procedures contained in the *Policy on Screening, Identification, Assessment and Support* (SIAS). Each learner, regardless of his/her number of years in the school, must have access to various forms of assessment best suited to his/her competences, learning styles, strengths and needs. The targets set for each learner in terms of attainment of knowledge and skills outlined in each Subject Statement will always strive to take a learner to the next level and should never set a ceiling on learning potential. Individualised adaptation is required in terms of content, methods of presentation, classroom pedagogy, pacing of instruction and accommodations in assessment. The principle is to have high expectations for each learner, to identify and address barriers to learning so as to ensure fairness in assessment (See Chapter 9 of the National Protocol for Assessment, 2011).

Assessment does not imply that after every lesson the learners must complete a worksheet/assignment or project, but will be based on observation and recording of progress steps attained during the lesson or a series of lessons. Formal assessment can be done in a format which would be suitable for each learner, e.g. through written or oral assessments, or by making use of a range of accommodations measures, e.g. a reader and a scribe. The main aim is to be able to develop a report which is based on definable attainment (even through the smallest of steps) as prescribed in each subject and can be shared with parents and care-givers on at least a quarterly basis so as to elicit their participation and co-operation in the support programme of the learner. At the end of the year a Statement of Achievement/Report card must be made available on which the Individual Support Plan for the following year will be based. There will be no learner

retention, as the Individual Support Plan and the Curriculum Schedule (see SIAS Form 124) will indicate at which grade level learners are working in each subject.

4.2 Assessment principles

4.2.1 Definition

Assessment is a continuous planned process of identifying, gathering and interpreting information about the performance of learners, using various forms of assessment. It involves four steps: generating and collecting evidence of achievement; evaluating this evidence; recording the findings and using this information to understand and thereby assist the learner's development in order to improve the process of learning and teaching. Assessment should be both informal (Assessment for Learning) and formal (Assessment of Learning). In both cases regular feedback should be provided to learners to enhance the learning experience.

Assessment is a process that measures individual learners' attainment of knowledge (content and concepts) and skills by collecting, analysing and interpreting the data and information obtained from this process to:

- enable the teacher to assess a learner's progress in a reliable way.
- inform learners of their strengths, areas to be developed and progress.
- assist teachers, parents and other stakeholders in making decisions about the learning process, the progress of learners and the planning for their individualised support.

Assessment should be mapped against the content, skills, intended goals and topics specified in the learning programme. In both informal and formal assessments it is important to ensure that in the course of a school year:

- all of the topics and content are covered.
- the full range of skills is included.
- a variety of different forms of assessment are used.

4.2.2 Informal Assessment or Daily Assessment

Assessment **for** learning has the purpose of continuously collecting information on a learner's achievement that can be used to improve their learning. Informal assessment is a daily monitoring of learners' progress. This is done through observations, discussions, practical demonstrations, learner-teacher conferences, informal classroom interactions, etc. Informal assessment may be as simple as stopping during the lesson to observe learners or to discuss with learners how learning is progressing. Informal assessment should be used to provide feedback to the learners and to inform planning for teaching but need not be recorded. It should not be seen as separate from learning activities taking place in the classroom.

Learners or teachers can assess their performance in the tasks. Self-assessment and peer assessment actively involves learners in assessment. This is important as it allows learners to learn from and reflect on their own performance. The results of all the informal daily assessment tasks may be recorded based on assessment instruments used such as rubrics and checklists. This may serve to give feedback to the learners, their parents and the school management team.

Informal, on-going assessments should be used to scaffold the acquisition of knowledge and skills and should be the stepping stones leading up to formal assessment.

4.2.3 Formal Assessment

All assessment tasks that make up a formal programme of assessment for the year are regarded as formal assessment. Formal assessment tasks are marked and results are formally recorded by the teacher. All formal assessment tasks are subject to internal moderation for the purpose of quality assurance and to ensure that appropriate standards are maintained in the school. Assessment tasks should always set high expectations for learners.

To implement formal assessment the teacher should:

• Ensure that the formal assessment task coincides with the practical skills and theoretical work embedded in the practical skill corresponding with the tasks performed on that day or within the previous week;

- Explain the task to guide the learner, show an example of the completed task in order for the learner to know exactly what to do and what is expected;
- Divide the class, according to abilities, in more than one group and give a task with similar content, but differentiated in terms of level of difficulty, abstractness or method of questioning, to all the learners. The way in which the assessment task is set should be in reach of the learners' level of development whilst also setting targets for the next step of development;
- Written tests could be set to assess theoretical knowledge within a set time, allowing for assessment accommodations in line with learners' individual needs;
- Write the date of expected completion of the task in the learner's book;
- Compile a suitable assessment tool; and
- Formal assessment should reflect 20 % theoretical knowledge embedded in practical work. Eighty percent (80%) should be practical work.

The formal assessment requirements are indicated in the formal School-Based Assessments table. In the three core subjects, the ratio may be adapted to the needs of the learners. The focus however must be on practical skills and not on the written tasks.

Formal School-Based Assessments				
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	
Minimum of 1 worksheet/test/activity per term in order for 20 % of rating codes to reflect on theoretical knowledge	Minimum of 1 worksheet/test/activity per term in order for 20 % of rating codes to reflect on theoretical knowledge	Minimum of 1 worksheet/test/activity per term in order for 20 % of rating codes to reflect on theoretical knowledge	Minimum of 1 worksheet/test/activity per term in order for 20 % of rating codes to reflect on theoretical knowledge	
Minimum of 4 practical assessment tasks or activities in order for 80% of rating codes to reflect on different practical skills	Minimum of 4 practical assessment tasks or activities in order for 80% of rating codes to reflect on different practical skills	Minimum of 4 practical assessment tasks or activities in order for 80% of rating codes to reflect on different practical skills	Minimum of 4 practical assessment tasks or activities in order for 80% of rating codes to reflect on different practical skills	

In Creative Arts and Art and Crafts, the above table is not applicable. In these two subjects, a minimum of 4 practical assessment tasks should be completed. Theoretical content will not be assessed. Refer to the learning programme for assessment requirements.

In Physical Education assessment, the above tables does not apply. Refer to the learning programme for assessment.

Assessment in the CAPS Grades R to 5 for learners with Severe Intellectual Disability is underpinned by the objectives of the National Qualifications Framework (NQF). These objectives are to:

- Create an integrated national framework for learning achievements;
- Facilitate access to and progression within education, training and career paths;
- Enhance the quality of education and training;
- Redress unfair discrimination and past imbalances and thereby accelerate employment opportunities;
- Contribute to the holistic development of the learner and preparation for the world of work by addressing:
- social adjustment and responsibility;
- moral accountability and ethical work orientation;
- resilience and adaptability;
- economic participation and entrepreneurial skills; and
- nation-building.

The principles that drive these objectives are:

Integration

To adopt a unified approach to education and training that will strengthen the capacity of learners to adapt to the requirements of the workplace.

Relevance

To be dynamic and responsive to workplace needs and a range of employment fields.

Credibility

To demonstrate national and international values and recognition of qualification and acquired competencies and skills.

Coherence

To work within a consistent framework of principles.

Flexibility

To allow for creativity and resourcefulness when achieving skills to cater for different learning styles and use a range of assessment methods, instruments and techniques.

Participation

To enable stakeholders to participate in setting standards and co-ordinating the achievement of the qualification.

Access

To address barriers to learning at each level to facilitate learners' progress.

Progression

To ensure that the qualification framework permits individuals to move through the levels of the national qualification via different, appropriate combinations of the components of the delivery system.

Articulation

To allow for vertical and horizontal mobility in the education system when accredited pre-requisites have been successfully completed.

• Validity of assessments

To ensure assessment covers a broad range of knowledge, skills, values and attitudes to demonstrate applied competency. This is achieved through:

- clearly stating the skill to be assessed;
- selecting the appropriate or suitable evidence;

- matching the evidence with a compatible or appropriate method of assessment; and
- selecting and constructing an instrument(s) of assessment.

Reliability

To assure assessment practices are consistent so that the same result or judgment is arrived at if the assessment is replicated in the same context. This demands consistency in the interpretation of evidence; therefore, careful monitoring of assessment is vital.

• Fairness and transparency

To verify that no assessment process or method(s) hinders or unfairly advantages any learner. The following could constitute unfairness in assessment:

- Inequality of opportunities, resources or teaching and learning approaches
- Bias based on ethnicity, race, gender, age, disability or social class
- Lack of clarity regarding topic, content or skill being assessed
- Comparison of learners' work with that of other learners, without taking into account differences in learning styles, language and culture.

Practicability and cost-effectiveness

To integrate assessment practices within the teaching and learning process and strive for cost and time-effective assessment.

4.3 Managing assessment

4.3.1 Types of Assessment

Assessment benefits the learner and the teacher. It informs learners about their progress and helps teachers make informed decisions at different stages of the learning process. Depending on the intended purpose, different types of assessment can be used.

• Baseline assessment: At the beginning of a year or learning experience, baseline assessment establishes the knowledge, skills, values and attitudes that learners bring to the classroom. This knowledge assists teachers to plan learning programmes and learning activities flexibly enough to accommodate a wide range of learning styles and learning needs. This assessment should be done at three levels, namely to determine:

Progress with the curriculum

Are learner learning what they were taught?

- Are they at the right entry point to 'grasp' the content worked on in the classroom?
- Are they practicing and performing as expected?
- Are they applying the facts, concepts and/or skills being learned?

Interests

- Are learners engaged in the lessons and activities?
- Are they showing interest in a new topic or area of study?
- Are they sharing their interests with others?

Characteristics

- What are their preferred learning styles (e.g., whole class teaching or pair work)?
- What are their responses to the content?
- What are their responses to the difficulty level of instruction?
- What are their responses to the pacing of instruction?
- What are their responses to the environment?
- **Diagnostic assessment:** This assessment diagnoses the nature and causes of learning barriers experienced by specific learners. It is followed by guidance, appropriate support and intervention strategies. This type of assessment is useful to make referrals for learners requiring specialist assistance.
- Formative assessment (Informal Assessment): This assessment monitors and supports teaching and learning. It determines learners' strengths and areas to be addressed and provides feedback on progress. It determines if a learner is ready for summative assessment.
- Summative assessment (Formal Assessment): This type of assessment gives an overall picture of the learner's progress at a given time.

4.3.2 Planning Assessment

An assessment plan should cover three main processes:

• **Collecting evidence:** The assessment plan indicates which learning programme topics, content and skills will be assessed, what assessment method or activity will be used and when this assessment will be conducted.

The assessment tasks may be broken down (designed down) into smaller, achievable steps and support may gradually be withdrawn as the learner master the content/skills. Thus, designing down

means to look at the assessment goal and dividing this into smaller components which are spread over a longer period.

Two or more grades may be straddled, in other words the evidence may be collected over more than one grade within a subject. But straddling should be carefully recorded and monitored through Form 125 of the SIAS Protocol.

- **Recording:** The process of recording refers to the assessment instruments or tools with which the assessment will be captured or recorded. Therefore, appropriate assessment instruments must be developed or adapted.
- **Reporting:** All the evidence is put together in a report to deliver a decision for the subject. Reporting must reflect the straddling that has been applied and should provide guidance to parents through meaningful descriptive paragraphs on what has been achieved and what the next expected outcomes are.

4.3.3 Methods of Assessment

Methods of assessment refer to who carries out the assessment and includes teacher assessment, self-assessment, peer assessment and group assessment.

TEACHER ASSESSMENT	The teacher assesses learners' performance against given criteria in different contexts, such as individual work, group work, etc.
SELF-ASSESSMENT	Learners assess their own performance against given criteria in different contexts, such as individual work, group work, etc.
PEER ASSESSMENT	Learners assess another learner or group of learners' performance against given criteria in different contexts, such as individual work, group work, etc.
GROUP ASSESSMENT	Learners assess the individual performance of other learners within a group or the overall performance of a group of students against given criteria.

4.3.4 Assessment tools/instruments to execute assessment

An assessment tool is the instrument the teacher utilizes to execute the assessment. When choosing and assessment tool ensure that the tool:

- is appropriate for the selected assessment method;
- provides the most valid and reliable information on the learners' performances;
- measures the objectives of the lesson.

Examples of assessment tools are checklist, rubrics, questionnaires, worksheets and video recordings.

A **rubric** serves as an objective assessment tool that provides, at varying levels, clear descriptions of the characteristics of the tasks. The descriptions or criteria in the rubric enables learners to understand what the teacher expects from them and complete the task accordingly. Rubrics are either holistic or analytic.

Rubrics should explain the competence level descriptors for the skills, knowledge, values and attitudes (SKVAs) a learners must demonstrate to achieve each level of the rating scale. The relevant content must be used to create the rubric to assess the task or question. The descriptions must clearly indicate the minimum level of attainment for each category on the rating scale.

Analytical descriptive rubrics focus on elements of the product or performances. Descriptive sentences are formulated for each of the seven rating codes, with the best performance reflected with a score of 7 and the poorest with a score of 1. This is the most reliable and trustworthy assessment tool.

Task lists and **checklists** are examples of a holistic rubric and show the learners what needs to be done. They consist of short statements describing the expected performance in a particular task. The statements on the checklist can be ticked off when the learner has adequately achieved the criterion. Checklists and task lists are useful in peer or group assessment activities.

Learners must do a minimum of 5 activities/projects/worksheets/tests per term 1 to 4. The teacher compiles the activities/worksheets/tests and these should consist of activities that require the learner to:

- Identify the correct answer/picture/object the question as well as the answer may consist of images/objects, e.g. Boardmaker or clip art images;
- Match column A to B and both columns may consist of pictures/objects;
- Fill in the missing words. The missing words may be available to the learners (on a separate sheet or printed on the worksheet) and they can copy the words, or write the words on the dotted lines provided by the teacher;
- Perform a skill other than writing, e.g. to colour, to cut and paste in specified groups, to find pictures in a magazine and cut and paste in book; or
- Provide answers.

The following should at least be included in the Teacher's Assessment or Planning and Assessment File:

- Programme of Assessment for the grade
- The tools (rubric, checklist, etc.) used for each assessment task
- A mark sheet/record sheet for each assessment task

The learners Evidence must at least include:

- Classwork book
- Worksheet file

Evidence of learner performance must be available for quality assurance. This may be in the form of a Portfolio of Evidence (POE) which will include the learners' classwork books and the Support

Needs Analysis (SNA).

4.4 School Assessment Programme

The **Programme of Assessment** takes place continuously and should commence in the second week of each term. The programme of assessment should include a minimum of five (5) assessment goals per subject. The programme of assessment should be recorded in the Teacher's assessment file or planning file (which may serve a dual purpose).

The following should at least be included in the Teacher's Assessment or Planning and Assessment File:

- A contents page
- The assessment goals for each subject
- The tools used for each assessment task
- A mark sheet/record sheet and report for each assessment task
- Recording instrument(s) for each assessment task
- A mark sheet and report for each assessment task

The learners Portfolio of Evidence must at least include:

- A contents page
- The assessment tasks according to the assessment programme as indicated below
- The assessment tools or instruments for the task
- A record of the rating code (and comments) achieved for each task.

Eighty to hundred percent (80% - 100%) of formal assessment should consist of **practical tasks/activities/skills**. Each learner should do a variety of practical tasks and activities during each term as indicated in the learning programmes.

4.5 Assessment programme across the five years

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Grade 4 – Practical assessment tasks

Task Week		ek	Grade 4 1 st year	Grade 4 2 nd year	
Ter	m 1		·		
1	Week 2	2 or 3	Draw a water cycle diagram. Draw a water purification diagram	Draw a simple sketch of a tap. Draw a simple sketch of a basin with 2 taps	
2	Week 4	4 or 5	Open and shut off a water meter. Demonstrate water flow on different inclination of pipes	Open and shut off a water meter. Demonstrate water flow on different inclination of pipes	
3	Week 6	6 or 7	Show how to prevent backflow in waste lines. Explain the 'p' trap effect	Use a rawl bolt. Use screws to secure a part	
4	Week 8 or 9 Use a rawl bolt. Use screws to secure a part			Make a mortar mix. Lay a row of bricks	
Ter	m 2				
1	Week 2	2 or 3	Use a screwdriver. Use a hacksaw	Use an angle grinder. Use a hand drill	
2	Week 4	4 or 5	Use a tri-square. Use a builders square	Make a plastering mix. Plaster a hole	
3	Week 6	6 or 7	Cut supply pipe to size. Attach a fitting to pipe	Mark out work area. Set out work area	
4	Week 8	3 or 9	Connect a compression fitting. Connect a capillary fitting	Procure tools for a job. Order material for a job	
Ter	m 3				
1	Week 2	2 or 3	Lay pipes on ground. Use personal protective equipment	Copy symbols from worksheet. Identifies basic drawing and symbols	
2	Week 4	1 or 5	Excavate up a trench. Shore up a trench	Install a 1 pipe soil pipe system. Install a vent pipe	
3	Week 6	6 or 7	Practice good housekeeping. Correct hazardous situations	Check the gradient level of a 1 pipe soil pipe system. Backfill a 1 pipe spoil pipe system	

4	Week 8 or 9	Practice safety procedures when excavating a trench. Drain a trench	Connect a rodding point. Connect an access point
Teri	m 4		
1	Week 2 or 3	Clear work area from obstruction. Drain water from trench	Prepare area for bathtub installation. Install the bathtub
2	Week 4 or 5	Shore up a trench. Observe safety precautions when shoring up a trench	Prepare area for shower. Install the shower
3	Week 6 or 7	Install supply pipes. Connect supply pipes with compression fittings	Prepare area for toilet. Install the toilet
4	Week 8 or 9	Mark out channel in brickwork. Chase channel with angle grinder	Practice good social habits. Conduct business ethically

Grade 4 terms 1 – 4: Theoretical assessment tasks

Evidence of one theoretical task of formal assessment between weeks 2-09 as in the annual teaching plan must be available for quality assurance.

Grade 5 - Practical assessment tasks

Task	Week	Grade 5 1 st year	Grade 5 2 nd year	Grade 5 3 rd year
Term	1			
		Use an angle grinder.	Reseat a tap. Replace a tap	Estimate quantity of
1	Week 2 or 3	Use a hand drill	washer	material needed. Identify
				suppliers
		Use a pipe cutter. Use a	Remove an element.	Select plumbing tools.
2	Week 4 or 5	pipe bender	Replace an element	Maintain plumbing tools

		Maintain plumbing tools.	Remove a faulty stopcock	Mark out trench. Excavate
3	Week 6 or 7	Repair plumbing tools	Replace a faulty stopcock	trench
4	Week 8 or 9	Demonstrate hardness of water. Demonstrate softness of water	Shut off water supply. Repair leaking pipe	Bed drainpipes. Lay drainpipes
Tern	n 2	1		
1	Week 2 or 3	Select a valve. Connect a valve	Shut off water supply. Repair water leaks	Backfill excavation. Compact excavation
2	Week 4 or 5	Select a pump. Connect a pump	Clean out p trap blockage. Clean out drainage gulley	Excavate area for manhole. Build a manhole structure
3	Week 6 or 7	Select a terminal fitting. Connect a terminal fitting	Select adjustable jack. Place adjustable jack in position	Select site for bathtub. Build support structure for bathtub
4	Week 8 or 9	Connect a pressure valve. Connect an overflow valve	Select scaffold boards. Position scaffold boards	Select position for basin. Install basin
Tern	1 3			
1	Week 2 or 3	Light up a blowtorch. Join capillary fittings using a blowtorch	Fit thread tape on couplings. Tighten all couplings	Identify the storage tank. Identify the collector
2	Week 4 or 5	Mark off lines on the wall. Drill holes in wall	Erect a trestle scaffold. Dismantle a trestle scaffold	Connect up the hot water storage tank. Connect up the hot water piping system
3	Week 6 or 7	Connect up pressure test equipment. Pressure test pipe system	Erect an extension ladder. Dismantle an extension ladder	Connect up the active solar storage tank. Connect up the solar pump
4	Week 8 or 9	Install geyser. Connect electrical wires	Practice personal management activities for daily living. Participate in the work experience programme	Remove the storage tank. Replace the storage tank
Tern	n 4	,		

		Inspect the hot water	Dry mix concrete. Wet mix	Repair 1 basic fault in a
1	Week 2 or 3	system. Test the hot	concrete	cold water system. Repair
		water system		1 basic fault in a hot water
				system
		Inspect cold water pipes.	Dry mix mortar. Wet mix	Remove o rings in a tap.
2	Week 4 or 5	Repair cold water pipes	mortar	Replace o rings in a tap
		Install the toilet. Level the	Construct brickwork for	Strip a tan Bassat a tan
3	Week 6 or 7	Install the tollet. Level the	Construct brickwork for	Strip a tap. Reseat a tap
3	vveek 6 Of 7	toilet	manhole. Complete	
		brickwork for manholes		
		Install the shower. Level	Apply plaster. Plaster	Drain the geyser water.
4	Week 8 or 9	the shower floor	brickwork	Remove geyser element

Grade 5 terms 1 - 4: Theoretical assessment tasks

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4.6 Recording and Reporting

Recording is a process in which the teacher documents the level of a learner's performance in a specific assessment task. It indicates learner progress towards the achievement of the knowledge and skill. Records of learner performance should provide evidence of the learner's progression. Records of learner performance should also be used to verify the progress made by teachers and learners in the teaching and learning process.

Reporting is a process of communicating learner performance to learners, parents, schools, and other stakeholders. Learner performance can be reported in a number of ways. These include report cards, parents' meetings, school visitation days, parent-teacher conferences, phone calls, letters, class or school newsletters, etc.

Good record keeping is essential in all assessment, particularly in continuous assessment. A record book or file must be kept up to date by each teacher. It should contain:

- learners' names;
- dates of assessment;

- name and description of the assessment activity;
- the results of assessment activities, according to Subject;
- · comments for support purposes.

Teachers in all grades issue formal report cards quarterly indicating the competence level of the learner and as stated above also provide explanatory notes on what the learner has achieved per subject and what could be done by the parents at home to provide further stimulation.

The report cards may either be in narrative form that states the theory embedded in the skills and skill performed, or in a rating code as follows:

Rating code	Description of competence
7	Outstanding achievement
6	Meritorious achievement
5	Substantial achievement
4	Adequate achievement
3	Moderate achievement
2	Elementary achievement
1	Not achieved

The reports should always be a combination of both the narrative form and rating codes. All records must be accessible, easy to interpret, securely kept, confidential and helpful in the

teaching and reporting process. The school assessment policy determines the details of how record books must be completed. Schools are required to provide quarterly feedback to parents, using a formal reporting tool, such as a report card. The schedule and the report card should indicate the overall level of performance of a learner.

NOTE:

Criterion referencing is best used to describe learner's performance in a skill. Teachers must make use of suitable analytical descriptive rubrics when assessing a learner's competence for a specific skill using practical demonstrations.

4.7 Moderation of Assessment

Moderation refers to the process that ensures that the assessment tasks are fair, valid and reliable. Moderation must be implemented at school as required. Comprehensive and appropriate moderation practices must be in place for the quality assurance of all subject assessments. The formal School-Based Assessment and the practical assessment tasks should be moderated internally and if necessary by the relevant subject specialists at the district.

4.7.1 Moderation serves five purposes:

- It must ascertain whether subject content and skills have been sufficiently covered.
- The moderator must ensure that the correct balance of cognitive demands are reflected in the assessments.
- The assessments and marking are of an acceptable standard and consistency.
- The moderator must make judgements about the comparability of learner performance across schools; whilst recognising that teachers teach in different ways.
- The subject specialist/moderator must identify areas in which a teacher may need development and support and must ensure that this support is provided.

4.7.2 Internal moderation

Assessment must be moderated according to the internal moderation policy of the School, Provincial and National Departments. Moderation is a continuous process. The moderator's

involvement starts with the planning of assessment methods and instruments and follows with continuous collaboration with and support to the assessor. Internal moderation creates common understanding of topics and skills and maintains these across the learning programmes.

Moderation is therefore an on-going process and not a once-off end-of-year event.

4.8 General

This document should be read in conjunction with:

- White Paper 6 on Special Needs Education: Building an Inclusive Education and Training System (2001);
- National policy pertaining to the programme and promotion requirements of the National Curriculum Statement Grades R 12; and (NPPPPR) (2011);
- National Protocol for Assessment Grades R 12. (NPA) (2011);
- Guidelines for Responding to Diversity in the Classroom through the Curriculum and Assessment Policy Statements (2011);
- Guidelines to Ensure Quality Education and Support in Special Schools and Special School Resource Centres (2013);
- Policy on Screening, Identification, Assessment and Support (2014);
- Guidelines for Full-service/Inclusive Schools (2010);
- Standard Operating Procedures for Assessment of Learners who Experience Barriers to Assessment (2016).

