

## **Assessment tools**

## Making the most of the Move On Learner Route

## What is it?

The Learner Route is an online learning opportunity for individuals to assess, brush up and develop their English and maths skills and prepare for national qualifications in the form of the Certificates in Adult Literacy and Numeracy. The Learner Route is designed to support learners in a range of settings and can be used by practitioners to support blended learning, independent learning and enhance learning in the classroom. It can support the assessment process, from skill check and initial assessment through to formative and summative assessment.

Learner Route English covers Level 1 and Level 2. Learner Route maths covers entry level 3, Level 1 and Level 2.

## How to use it

Learner Route activities support the assessment process, from skill check and initial assessment through to formative and summative assessment.

- Mini-test this is a quick, fun way of giving learners an idea of their skills level. The result
  gives an indication of which Learner Route they need to take to develop their skills further.
- Quick links these sections explain aspects of the route to learners.
- Hot topics seven in literacy, five in numeracy in addition to the structured interactive
  teaching and learning activities and testlets for learners to practise their skills. On many of
  them the 'Now do it' section contains related downloadable resources.
- Other resources can be found by clicking on this item in the 'Quick Links' menu. These contain the same types of downloadable resources and links to Skillswise as the 'Now do it' section of Hot Topics, but in curriculum areas not covered by these Hot Topics.
- There are three types of downloadable resources available to support your planning of teaching and learning at Levels 1 and 2: build your skills; apply your skills; and assignment.
- Progress checks (A-J) are laid out like tests but are less challenging. They help learners
  to gain confidence by getting used to the test layout and test-type questions. Teachers
  can use them as part of the formative assessment process to check on learning and
  identify further support required.

- Practice tests (L-N) cover 40 questions like those in the National Test. These questions
  test knowledge and understanding of literacy/numeracy. The tests in the Learner Route
  are on screen and they are marked automatically. Learners will be able to review the
  question and get feedback on wrong answers.
- **Pointers to test success** all learners are encouraged to have a look at this section for hints and tips on approaching the qualification.
- **Guide to next steps in study** provides some ideas for supporting learners' next steps on their learner journey.
- The Learner Route history provides the learner with a record of all the activities they have completed at all levels of the Learner Route.