

# Process for Awarding Teacher Assessed Grades in 2021

Level 1 Diploma in Plumbing Foundation (601/2514/7)

Teacher Assessed Grades (TAGs) will be quality assured by BPEC to issue a result for each learner.

Learners who receive a result will be issued with the same qualification/unit certificate that they would have expected to receive if they completed their qualification/unit outside of the COVID-19 disruption. The TAG result will hold as much merit as other results issued to learners who have not been affected by the COVID-19 disruption.

This process for TAGs for BPEC qualifications follows the framework set by Ofqual for vocational and technical qualifications to mitigate the impact of the pandemic, it is designed to give learners the fairest results possible this summer where disruption has occurred.

Evidence that could be used for Centre Assessment Grades includes, but is not limited to:

- Units/Assessments that have already been externally quality assured by BPEC (during EQA process)
- Successful completion of externally set, externally marked online exams
- Assessments completed and internally quality assured, but not externally quality assured by BPEC
- Assessments completed, but not internally quality assured
- Quality assurance records and tracking
- Assessments partially completed (primary practical assessment successfully completed but supplementary not complete)
- Previous examination results or assessment outcomes, for example any re-sitting learners or those who have completed similar qualifications
- Outcomes of centre assignment tasks
- Any classwork/homework/remote learning
- Any formative or practice exam/assessment results
- Participation and performance in skills-based activities
- Overall learner performance and progress, including level of attendance
- Tutor or Assessor assessment tracking records and individual learning plans/progress reviews
- Any other records of learner performance over the course of study

Step 1

• Centre submits Teacher Assessed Grades (TAGs)

Step 2

• External Quality Assurance TAGs and supporting evidence

- Centres submission of supporting evidence.
- Statistical data/historical performance/comparison of centre judgements
- Overall check on outcomes

Step 3

• BPEC issue qualification or unit

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