

Administration and IT Assignment Assessment Task

This is the assessment task for the assignment Component of National 5 Administration and IT Course assessment.

It must be read in conjunction with the general assessment information for this Component of Course assessment.

Valid for session 2014/15 only

School Trip to Paris, France

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Instructions for candidates

This assessment applies to the assignment for National 5 Administration and IT.

This assignment is worth 100 marks. The marks contribute 100% of the overall marks for the Course assessment. The Course will be graded A-D.

It assesses the following skills and theory:

- use of advanced IT functions in word processing, spreadsheets, databases, presentations and desktop publishing to produce and process information in familiar contexts
- skills in using technology for investigation
- skills in using technology for electronic communication, taking account of the context, audience and purpose of communication
- administrative skills related to organising and supporting an event
- skills in problem-solving.

Your assessor will let you know how the assessment will be carried out and any required conditions for doing it.

In this assessment, you will:

- work through a series of tasks which will test skills and theory listed above
- complete the tasks in the order presented
- be allowed four hours to complete the assignment
- make sure your name, school and task number are entered on each printout submitted.

Assignment Task

School Trip to Paris, France

You work as an Admin Assistant at Park View High School. You will be working with Ms Susan MacFarlane, she is the teacher in charge of organising this year's school trip to Paris, France from 16-22 October 2015.

You have been asked to complete the following planning, support and follow-up tasks.

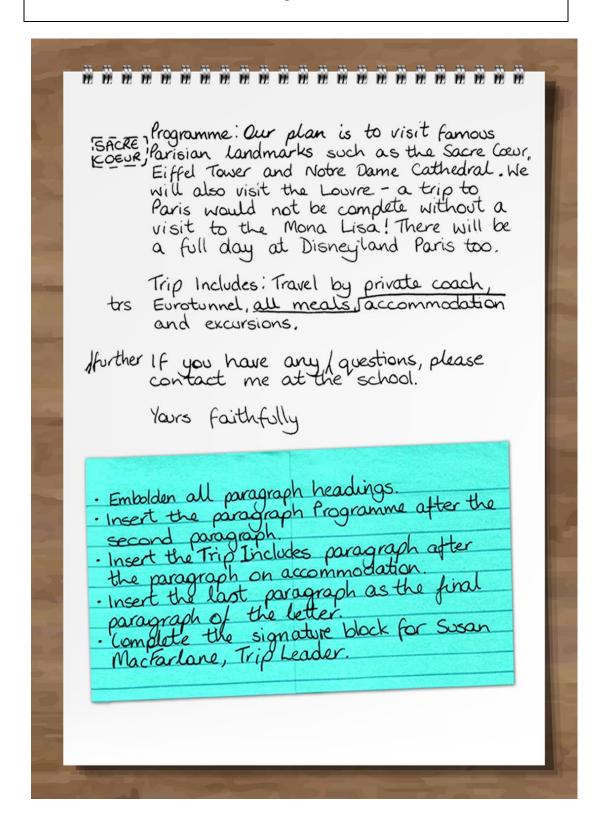
- The Assignment should be completed in task order.
- Ensure your name, school and task number are displayed on each printout.
- Ensure all comments within files are actioned and deleted.
- Your teacher/lecturer will provide you with an e-mail address.
- Printouts of e-mails must show evidence of sending.
- Each spreadsheet or database must be printed on one page.

To-do-list

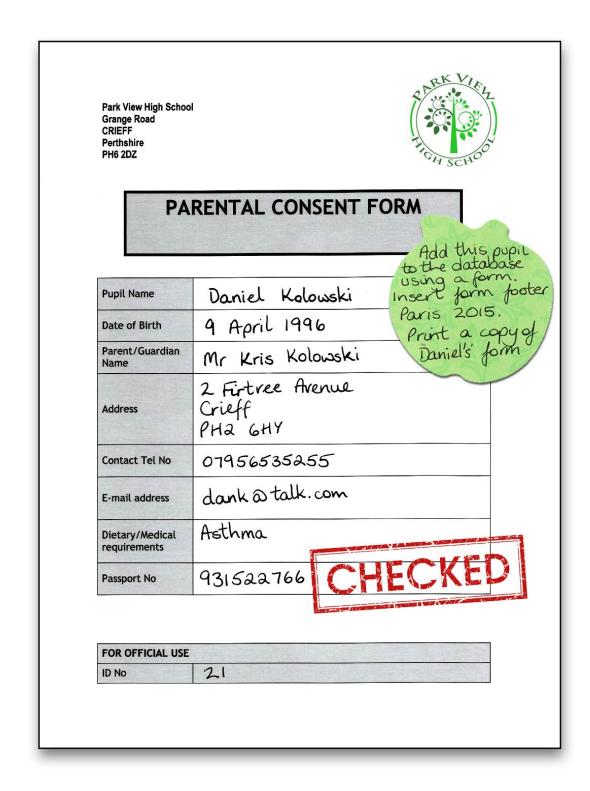
Task	Printouts	Marks Available	Completed
1	Letter	12	
2	Database Form	4	
3	Poster	6	
4	Spreadsheet: • value view • formulae view	2 8	
5a	E-mail with evidence of sending	4	
5b	Completed e-file	7	
6a	Database: • Table	4	
6b	Database • Query	4	
7	Itinerary	7	
8a	Spreadsheet: • value view • formulae view	5	
8b	Graph	4	
9	Presentation in handout view	7	
10	E-diary weekly view	4	
11	Database Report	5	
12	Feedback Form	8	
13	Certificate	5	
14	Completed e-file	4	

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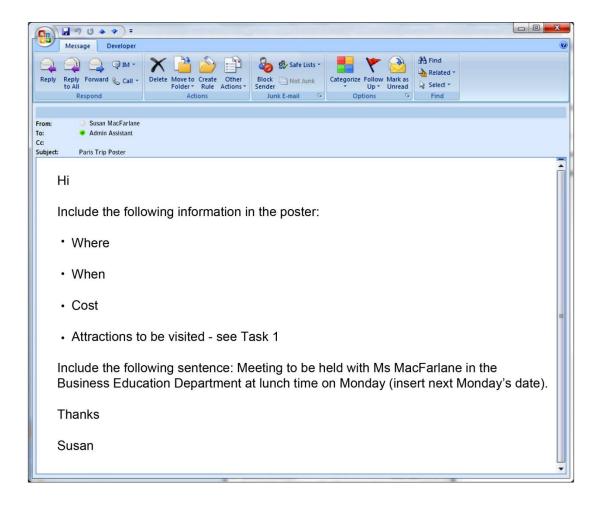
Using the information below, complete and print a copy of the letter. The letter has been started and saved using the filename **Letter**.



The database file **School Trip** contains the names of pupils who have already signed up for the trip. This form was received late without a deposit. Use the information below to update the tables **Pupils** and **Requirements**.

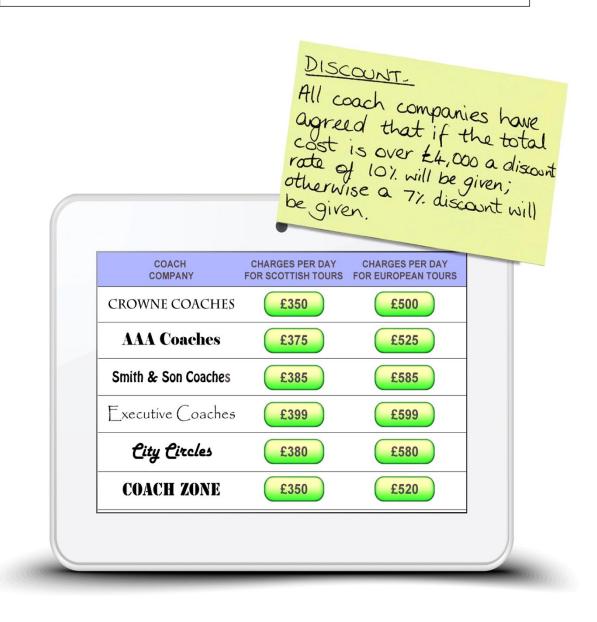


Prepare and print a poster to advertise the Paris Trip. Use various fonts, text formats and graphics.



A decision on which Coach Company to be used has to be made. Open the spreadsheet file **Costs** and complete the worksheet **Travel Costs** using the information from the table below.

- Print one copy in value view, landscape and on one page with gridlines only.
- Print one copy showing formulae, landscape and on one page with gridlines and row and column headings.



Task 5a

Pupils who do not have a valid European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) must apply for one.

Find the NHS website where the form can be found.

Copy this link and include it in an e-mail to the office and copy the Head Teacher into it.

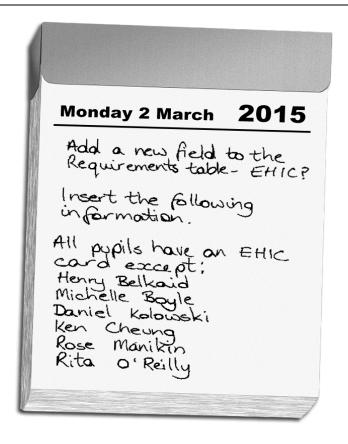
Ask the office to put this link on the school website under the details for the Paris Trip 2015.

Task 5b

Open the file Internet and print a copy of your answers.

Task 6a

Update the database using the information below. Print the table showing pupil name, contact tel no, deposit paid, passport checked and EHIC? in that order. Sort in alphabetical order of surname.



Task 6b

Update the database using the information below. Then search the database for any pupils suffering from asthma or diabetes and who do not have an EHIC.

Print the results of this search showing pupil name, contact no and medical info.



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Susan MacFarlane has asked you to update the itinerary. Open the file **Itinerary** and update as indicated below. Print a copy of the completed itinerary on one page.



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Task 8a

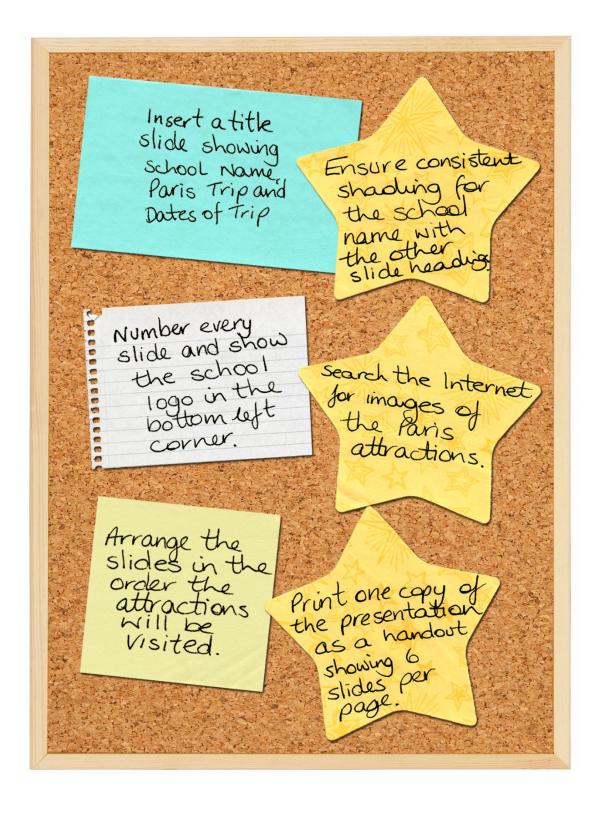
Information has been received about costs for the Paris Trip. Open the spreadsheet file **Costs** and complete the worksheet Trip Costs.

Print one copy of the Trip Costs sheet in value view with gridlines and one in formula view with gridlines and row and column headings.

Task 8b

Create a pie chart showing the breakdown of costs using the information in the worksheet Trip Costs. Insert an appropriate heading and insert a percentage for each cost. Print the chart on a separate sheet.

Susan MacFarlane is planning to give a presentation about the Paris attractions to be visited during the 2015 Trip at the school assemblies next week. Using the file **Presentation** update the presentation from the information below.



Task 10

Transfer the following meetings to next week's electronic diary.

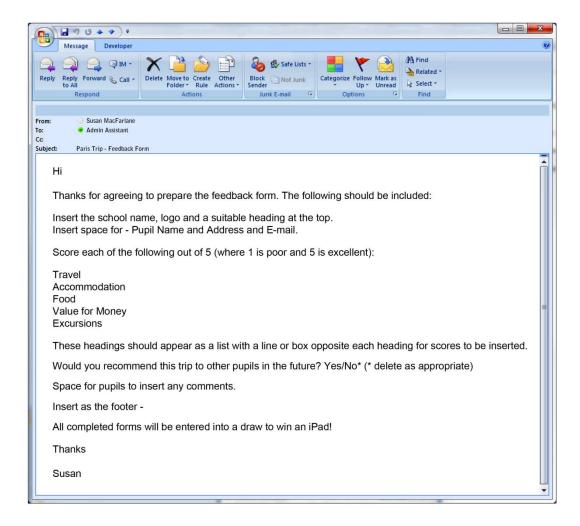


Susan MacFarlane is concerned that some pupils have not paid their deposit, provided their passport and submitted their EHIC.

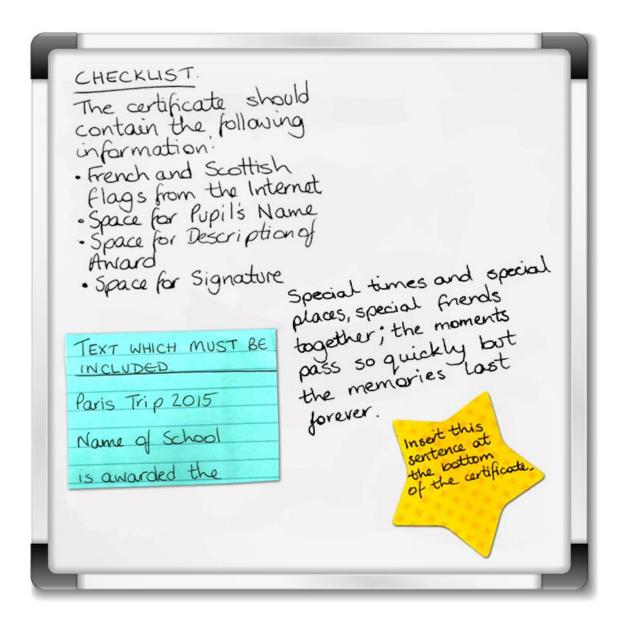
Search the database for pupils who have not met these 3 requirements. Susan can then phone parents to remind them that they must bring in all 3 items as soon as possible.

Print the results as a report inserting a suitable heading and show our logo at the top right hand side.

Prepare and print a Feedback Form for the Paris Trip, using shading where appropriate.



A certificate of participation will be presented to pupils on the final day of the trip. Use a variety of fonts and text formats to design this certificate. Print a copy.



Task 14

We will be visiting the Louvre in Paris. There will be many security measures in operation. Open the file **Security**, answer the questions and print a copy.

Appendix 1: Copyright

- Task 1 Ringbinder notebook cammep/Shutterstock.com
- Task 2 School logo Ann Precious/Shutterstock.com
- Task 2 Checked stamp Aquir/Shutterstock.com
- Task 6a Block calendar Wolfgang Zwanzger/Shutterstock.com
- Task 7 As Task 1
- Task 9 Corkboard piotr_pabijan/Shutterstock.com
- Task 10 Ring notebook Ohishiapply/Shutterstock.com
- Task 13 Whiteboard Aleksandr Bryliaev/Shutterstock.com

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Version	Description of change	Authorised by	Date

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Prior to candidates starting the Assignment, teachers and lecturers should ensure that the following e-files have been downloaded and are available for candidates to use. The files **must** be kept secure and must not be accessed by candidates prior to the Assignment being undertaken.

2015 To-do-list - this is a word processing files which may be useful for candidates to complete as they do the tasks. It is not compulsory and does not need to be handed in.

Costs - this is a spreadsheet file

Logo - this is a jpeg file

Headed Paper - this is a word processing file

Internet - this is provided as a publisher file and a word processing file

Itinerary - this is a word processing file

Letter - this is a word processing file

Presentation - this is a powerpoint file

School Trip - this is a database file containing 2 tables (also provided as files exported to Excel format to be used if required - Pupils, Requirements)

Security - this is provided as a publisher file and a word processing file

Task 5a - email

Candidates should be supplied with 2 functioning email addresses so that they are able to send an email to 2 addresses for this task. It is acceptable for this to be the teacher/lecturer's emails. Candidates will need to provide proof of the sent email only.