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BSB30120—Certificate III in Business

**Unit
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INTRODUCTION

Passing Lane Pty Ltd is pleased to introduce your school/institution to our vocational education and training unit resource packages.

This document outlines the licensing terms and conditions of the unit resource packages.

It also provides basic information on how to use the materials.

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The Student/Trainee and the Teacher/Trainer manuals are developed to provide training content that addresses the specific 'Unit of Competency' as outlined on the following pages.

This unit manuals can be packaged with various manuals addressing other 'Units of Competency' in order to meet the 'Packaging Rules' of a particular Australian Training Package Qualification.

This resource has been designed to be delivered in a form that is conducive to the learning environment including:

- ☆ Online delivery
- ☆ Classroom delivery
- ☆ On the job training

The documents are designed in a 'landscape' format in order to make reading on a computer screen easier as well as reduces the need to scroll down pages.

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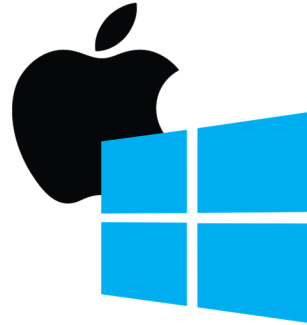
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The Student/Trainee and the Teacher/Trainer manuals can be used on both PC and MAC platforms.



Generally, the materials are easily exported online learning platforms (LMS).

The materials can also be printed and bound and handed out as hardcopies to each student or trainee.

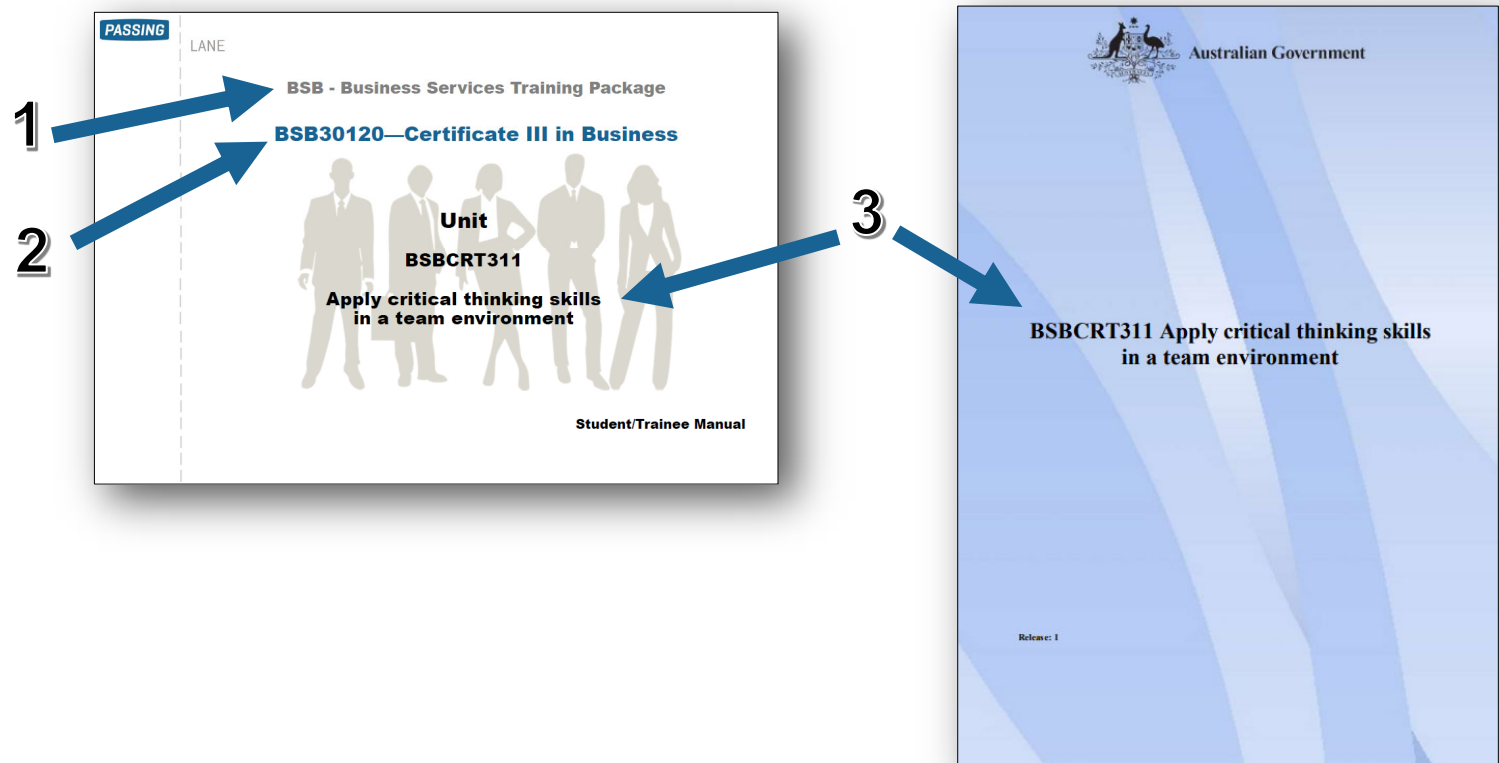


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MANUAL CONTENT

The title page of both the Student/Trainee and the Teacher/Trainer manuals specify:

- 1) The training package
- 2) The qualification
- 3) The specific 'Unit of Competency' the content is addressing



MANUAL CONTENT—CONT'D

The beginning of the Passing Lane manuals is the Unit of Competency Overview page(s), which aligns directly with the endorsed 'Unit of Competency' in the training package.

This page is to let the readers know what the materials in the manuals are addressing.

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UNIT OF COMPETENCY OVERVIEW

The following pages are extracts from Training.gov.au website and outlines this specific 'Unit of Competency' including the 'Elements' and the 'Performance Criteria'. The content within this manual has been developed to address this unit.

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1. Prepare to address workplace problem	1.1 Identify and select workplace problem to address within scope of job role of team members 1.2 Identify organisational and legislative frameworks applicable to selected problem 1.3 Develop questions to identify key issues and challenges of selected problem 1.4 Consult key stakeholders using questions to gather information on selected problem
2. Evaluate solutions for workplace problem	2.1 Identify a range of critical thinking techniques to generate solutions to selected problem 2.2 Develop solutions using knowledge and experience of team members 2.3 Explain development process for individual solutions generated to team members 2.4 Apply agreed criteria for selecting most suitable option in consultation with team members 2.5 Critically evaluate solutions generated and select solution to be implemented
3. Finalise and review solution development process	3.1 Present solution to relevant stakeholders with explanation of critical thinking processes involved 3.2 Respond to challenges and questions from stakeholders 3.3 Evaluate critical thinking processes with team members and using feedback received 3.4 Identify critical thinking learnings to apply to individual and team situations

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Unit Sector
Critical Thinking & Problem Solving – Critical Thinking

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MANUAL CONTENT—CONT'D

The manuals contain detailed information aligned specifically to the **'Unit of Competency'** and the unit's **'Elements'** and **'Performance Criteria'**.

The **Table of Contents** show that each section title is the actually the same as the Unit of Competency's **'Element'**.

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Section One

Prepare to Address Workplace Problem

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In each section the content is broken down into sub-sections and the titles for each sub-section is the same as the Element's '**Performance Criteria**'.

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Section One

Prepare to Address Workplace Problem

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IDENTIFY AND SELECT WORKPLACE PROBLEM TO ADDRESS WITHIN SCOPE OF JOB ROLE OF TEAM MEMBERS

In almost all workplaces where there are a number of employees, employees will work as a team.

A team is a set or group of people working together with a common goal, or purpose.

In a workplace environment, it is likely those goals are focussed on implementing policies, procedures or practices within the workplace.

Workplace teams can be formed to create a specific task, or to have an involvement in a particular project. Examples of some activities that teams could be involved with are:

- ☆ Working towards lower operational costs
- ☆ Design products or technology projects
- ☆ Increasing customer service levels
- ☆ Creating and staging training sessions
- ☆ Workplace safety committees
- ☆ Environmental or recycling projects

...just to name a few.

This team will in many cases be confronted with a workplace problem and would require, as a team, to address and identify a solution.

So what is the definition of a problem?

A problem is defined as 'a matter or situation regarded as unwelcome or harmful and needing to be dealt with and overcome' (Oxford Languages).

We will at times hear related words such as *difficulty, predicament, dilemma, quandary, trouble* and *issue* to describe a problematic situation.

Regardless of the words used to describe a 'situation which has to be dealt with', it is the team's and each team member's problem solving skills and processes which have to be activated to meet the challenge of resolving/solving the problem.

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Enlarged

The manual's information is supported with graphics, charts, tables, photos and drawings.

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As earlier mentioned, the materials are vocational education and training unit resources in the form of **Student/Trainee** and the **Teacher/Trainer** manuals.

We will go through each in more detail.

STUDENT/TRAINEE MANUAL

The '**Student/Trainee Manual**' could be likened to a textbook.

The manuals contain detailed information aligned specifically the 'Unit of Competency' and the unit's 'Elements' and 'Performance Criteria' and are supported with graphics, charts, tables, photos and drawings.

The manuals contain a series of 'Learning Activities'.

Each learning activity is identified with an icon.

Learning Activity

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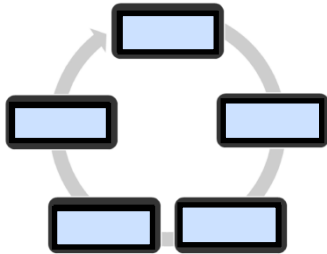
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Learning Activity

Task

LEARNING ACTIVITY ONE

In this Section we looked at the communication model and processes. Below is the illustration depicting this model without the names of the processes. In this activity we want you to insert the name of each process.



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MANUAL CONTENT-CONT'D

Learning activities come in the following forms.

- ☆ Questions
- ☆ Research
- ☆ Tasks
- ☆ Interviews

Questions

Questions would relate to the information presented on previous pages.

Research

This type of learning activity would require the student or trainee to locate information by using research methods. The information they would be required to locate would be in line and/or support the information that the manual had outlined in previous pages.



Learning
Activity

Research

Tasks

This learning activity type would require the student/trainee to actually do or undertake something and would be reinforcing the knowledge they have gained from reading the manual's previous pages.

Interviews

This learning activity type would require the student/trainee to interview person(s) in an actual workplace environment or a person(s) who are experienced in the industry sector which the student/trainee is currently undergoing training.

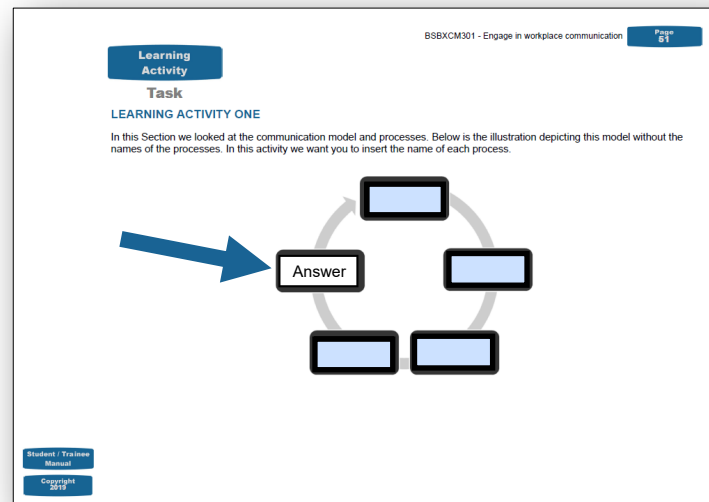
The student/trainee is made aware of the type of learning activity by noting the learning activity type displayed under the learning activity icon.

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The learning activities in the Student/Trainee manuals are 'Form Enabled' so that if the resources delivered are online, the activities can be filled in using the computer keyboard.

The student or trainee would simply place the cursor in the field and click once with the mouse.

Seconds later the blue colour disappears and the student enters his/her answers into the field .



When the student or trainee leaves the filled in field to move on to the next field, the previous field returns to a blue colour.

IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT THE MANUAL IS SAVED REGULARLY.

It is recommended that the student or trainee set up a 'Student/Trainee' folder on their computer and saves their manuals to that folder.

The **'first'** SAVE will have the software will ask if you wish to replace the file and the student/trainee would click YES.

Saving does not prevent the student or trainee from going back to previous fields to make changes.

After the 'first' SAVE, the student or trainee would need to use the **'SAVE AS'** function.

MANUAL CONTENT—CONT'D

Self Assessment

At the end of each manual is a series of questions that the student or trainee should review and answer.

This self assessment is to ensure in the student's or trainee's mind that they have reviewed and understood the information that was presented in the manual.

If they are unsure of their understanding in any of the topics reviewed, they are encouraged to go back and review the information again and/or seek the assistance of their teacher or trainer.

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SELF ASSESSMENT

Self assessment is where you ask yourself certain questions to ensure you have understood what you have learned while reading this manual and completing the learning activities.

This unit requires you the student or trainee at the completion of your training to have a certain level of 'Required Knowledge' in which you would need to have acquired and in which you will be assessed on. This self assessment section reviews this required knowledge by way of questions and if you are able to say YES to all of them you can be confident your assessment will be satisfactory.

- ✧ This training unit had three sections each with information on critical thinking in the workplace. After reviewing the information in Section One, are you confident that you understand and could:
 - 1) Identify and select workplace problem to address within scope of job role of team members?
 - 2) Identify organisational and legislative frameworks applicable to selected problem?
 - 3) Develop questions to identify key issues and challenges of selected problem?
 - 4) Consult key stakeholders using questions to gather information on selected problem?
- ✧ After reviewing the information in Section Two, are you confident that you understand and could:
 - 1) Identify a range of critical thinking techniques to generate solutions to selected problem?
 - 2) Develop solutions using knowledge and experience of team members?
 - 3) Explain development process for individual solutions generated to team members?
 - 4) Apply agreed criteria for selecting most suitable option in consultation with team members?
 - 5) Critically evaluate solutions generated and select solution to be implemented?
- ✧ After reviewing the information in Section Three, are you confident that you understand and could:
 - 1) Present solution to relevant stakeholders with explanation of critical thinking processes involved?
 - 2) Respond to challenges and questions from stakeholders?
 - 3) Evaluate critical thinking processes with team members and using feedback received?
 - 4) Identify critical thinking learnings to apply to individual and team situations?

If there were any questions that you were unable to confidently say YES to, we encourage you to review the information again in this manual and if needed seek the assistance of your teacher or trainer.

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TEACHER/TRAINER MANUAL

The '**Teacher/Trainer**' manuals have exactly the same content as the Student/Trainee manuals.

The only differences are the explanatory introduction pages and after each learning activity there are '**Teacher/Trainer Guidance Notes**'.

These provide the answers to the 'Learning Activities' as well as some notes on how to assess the student/trainee's submission to each learning activity.

Learning Activity

Task

LEARNING ACTIVITY FIVE

Tell us each step in the 'Hierarchy of Control' pyramid.

A

B

C

D

E

Hierarchy of Control

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TEACHER / TRAINER GUIDANCE NOTES

Elimination A

Substitution B

Engineering controls C

Administrative controls D

Personal protective equipment E

Hierarchy of Control



POWERPOINT SLIDE PRESENTATIONS

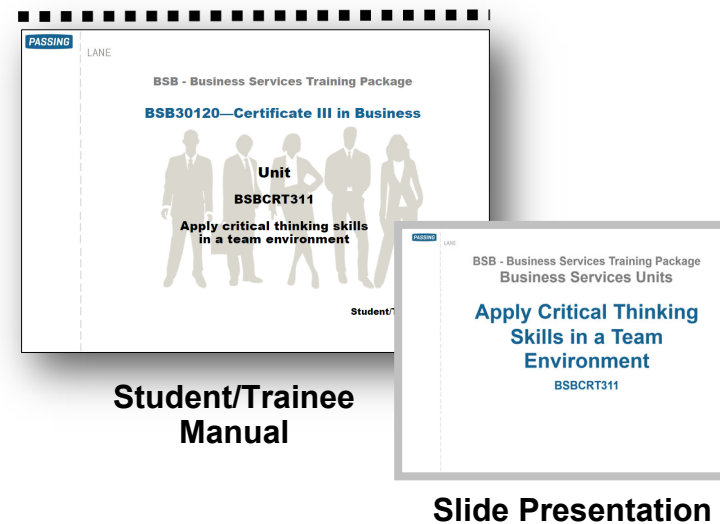
Each Passing Lane unit resource comes with a PowerPoint slide presentation.

Each slide is mapped to a specific page in the Student/Trainee manual.

The slide is only a summary of the manual page content and is used by teachers or trainers as a support training aid in classroom training delivery or online training.

The PowerPoint slide presentation is supplied as a 'Show'.

This means the PowerPoint file has the PowerPoint launch software embedded in the file so the student, trainee, teacher or trainer does not require the PowerPoint application software to view.



POWERPOINT SLIDE PRESENTATIONS—CONT'D

The slides are initially listed in a **'Table of Contents'** and the slide names in the Table of Contents are **hyperlinked** to the relevant slide.

This allows the teacher or trainer to easily jump ahead to a specific subject or go back where they may have left off earlier.

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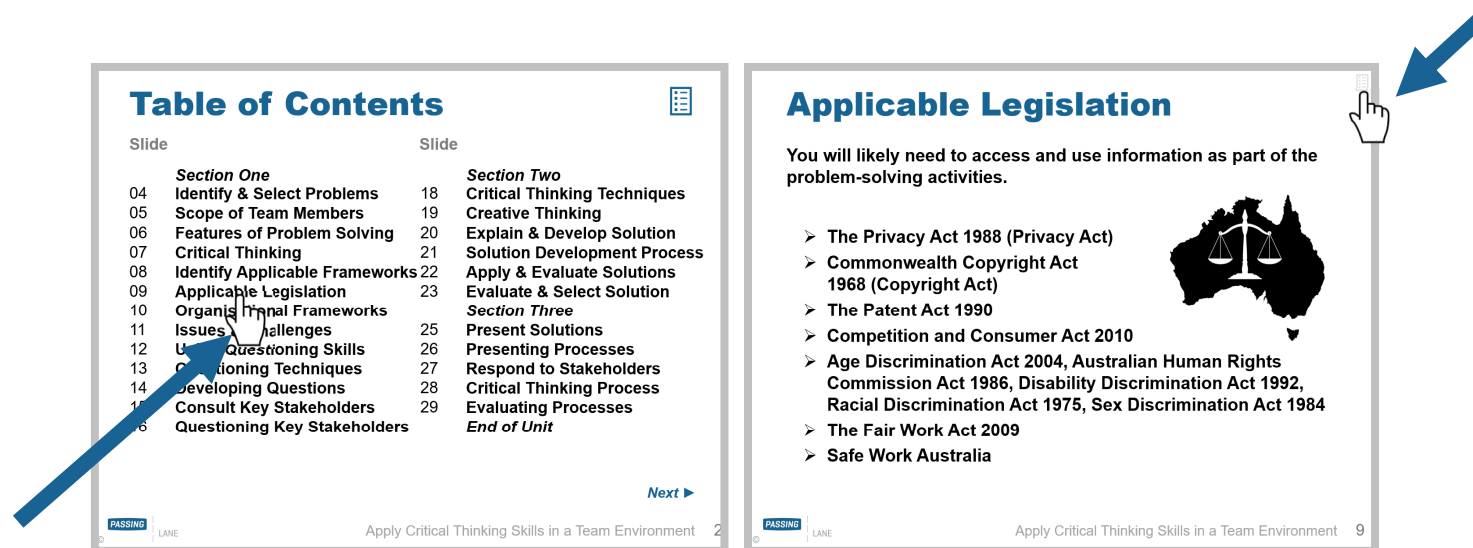


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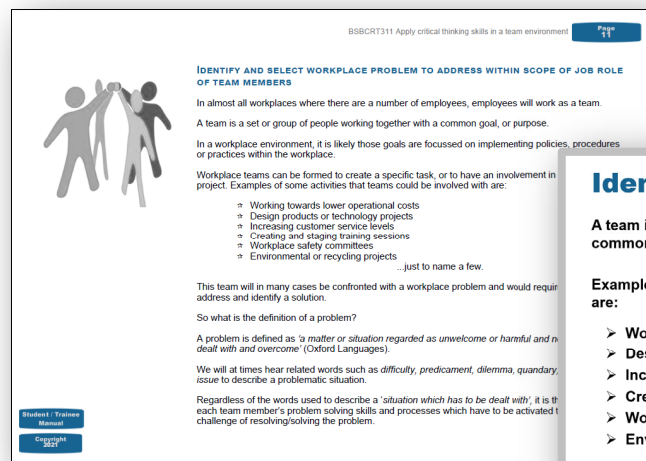
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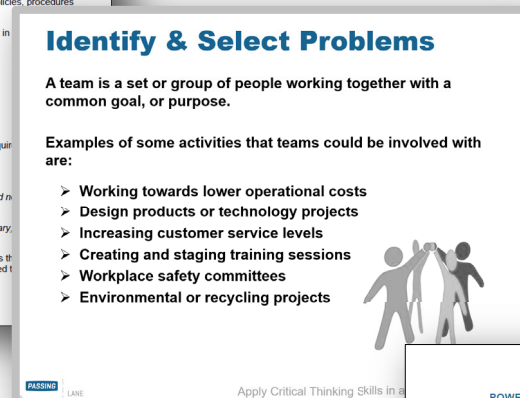
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POWERPOINT SLIDE PRESENTATION MAPPING

This training manual is accompanied with a PowerPoint slide presentation, titled the same as this training manual. The following listing is a 'mapping cross-reference' between the Slide Number and the corresponding page number in the 'Student Manual'.

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