

UNIT 6 - LAND NAVIGATION AND COMPASS PRACTICAL ASSESSMENT
FOR COMPLETION BY THE VQ OFFICER OR APPROPRIATE ASSESSOR

CVQO registration number:	VQ	
Learner name(CAPS):		
Map used (OS 1:50000)	Sheet No:	Title:

Learning Outcome 1: Know how to read a map accurately

Task 1 AC 1.1 Describe the conventional signs on a map correctly
AC 1.2 Explain how grid references operate on maps

Identify six conventional signs and give the grid reference for an example of each on the map.

- i. GR: _____ Sign: _____
- ii. GR: _____ Sign: _____
- iii. GR: _____ Sign: _____
- iv. GR: _____ Sign: _____
- v. GR: _____ Sign: _____
- vi. GR: _____ Sign: _____

Learning Outcome 2: Know how to use a compass

Task 2 AC 2.1 Describe the main features of a compass

Draw a simple diagram of a compass and label the main features.

Learning Outcome 3: Be able to use route planning skills

Task 3 AC 2.2 Describe how to take bearings from a compass

AC 3.1 Produce a route card for a planned route to a given destination

Complete a simple route card with a minimum of three legs, each 1.5 to 3 km in distance.

(Note that this route is to be used in the practical stage. Use the route card provided, It is to include bearings and distances.)

Task 4 AC 3.2 Identify environmental issues associated with a planned route

Explain the environmental issues to be considered when planning and undertaking a planned route.

Learning Outcome 4: Undertake a planned route using map and compass with route card

Activity 1 AC 4.1 Undertake a planned route using map and compass with route card

The learner and assessor are to walk the route planned at Task 3.

Tutor - Comments and feedback:

Learner signature:	<i>"I confirm that I have read and understand the feedback given to me"</i>	Date:
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