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Trainer Guide

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1. Introduction

Competence-based training helps to bridge the gap between what is taught in training and what tasks will be performed on the job. Training trainees to perform actual job functions helps to ensure that future front-line workers have the skills, knowledge and abilities required to perform their jobs properly, safely and effectively. In addition to competence-based training, assessment based on the performance of actual work competencies helps to ensure that:

- trainees are performing their work tasks as safely as possible
- performance gaps are recognized prior to serious incidents
- training can be implemented to improve competence.

There are significant benefits to competence-based training:

1.1. Cost effectiveness

Since training activities and assessments in a competence-based approach are goal-oriented, trainers focus on clearly defined areas of skills, knowledge and understanding that their own industry has defined in the competence standards. At the same time, trainees are more motivated to learn when they realize the benefits of improved performance.

1.2. Efficiency

The transfer gap between the training environment and working on the job is reduced substantially in a competence-based approach. This is because training and assessment are relevant to what needs to be done on the job. As a result, it takes less time for trainees to become competent in the required areas. This, in turn, contributes to improved efficiency where training and assessment are concerned.

1.3. Increased productivity

When trainees become competent in the competence standards that their own industry has defined, when they know what the performance expectations are and receive recognition for their abilities through successful assessments, they are likely to be more motivated and experience higher job satisfaction. The result is improved productivity for organizations. The communication and constructive feedback between future employers and employees will improve as a result of a competence-based approach, which can also increase productivity.

1.4. Reduced risk

Using a competence-based approach to training, development, and assessment, employers are able to create project teams of people with complementary skills. A trainee's record of the skills, knowledge and understanding relating to the competence standards they have achieved can be used by a future employer to identify and provide further relevant training and assessment for new skills areas. Competence standards can shape employee development and promotional paths within an organization and give employees the opportunity to learn more competencies beyond their roles. It can also provide organizations with greater ability to scale and flex as needed, thereby reducing the risk they face.

1.5. Increased customer satisfaction

Employees who have been trained and assessed using a competence-based approach are, by the definition of the relevant competence standards, able to perform the required tasks associated with a job. The knock-on effect is that, in service-related industries, they are able to provide high service levels, thereby increasing customer satisfaction. In production or manufacturing industries, they are able to work closely to industry standards in a more effective and efficient way.

2. Lesson plans

This manual provides a series of lesson plans that will guide delivery of each module for the Marble Technician Level 1 qualification. It is important for trainers to be flexible and be ready to adapt lesson plans to suit the context of the subject and the needs of their trainees.

Good teachers acknowledge that CBT means each and every trainee in the class learns at a different speed. The good teacher is prepared to throw aside the day's lesson plan and do something different (and unplanned) for the class even if it means 'writing' a lesson plans for each trainee to match their learning pace for that day or week.

Learning by doing is different from learning theory and then applying it. To learn to do something, trainees need someone looking over their shoulder saying 'it's not quite like that, it's like this', 'you do it like this because ...', or even 'tell me why you chose to do it like this?'.

In this way, trainees learn that theoretical knowledge is meaningless if it is not seen in the context of what they are doing. In other words, if a trainee doesn't know why they do something, they will not do it competently (skills underpinned by knowledge = competent performer).

This is how a *Marble Technician* acquires a practical grasp of the standards expected. It's not by learning it in theory, but because those standards are acquired through correction by people who show what the standards are, and correct the trainee where they do not meet those standards, and where they repeat it correction until they have internalized those standards.

3. Demonstration of skill

Demonstration or modeling a skill is a powerful tool, which is used, in vocational training. The instructions for trainers for demonstration are as under:

- a) Read the procedure mentioned in the Trainer Guide for the relevant Learning Unit before demonstration.
- b) Arrange all tools, equipment and consumable material, which are required for demonstration of a skill.
- c) Practice the skill before demonstration to trainees, if possible.
- d) Introduce the skill to trainees clearly at the commencement of demonstration.
- e) Explain how the skill relates to the skill(s) already acquired and describe the expected results or show the objects to trainees.
- f) Carry out demonstration in a way that can be seen by all trainees.
- g) Use the same tools and materials that the learner will be using.
- h) Go through EACH of the steps involved in performing the skill.
- i) Go SLOWLY describe each step as it is completed.
- j) Encourage the learners to move around and watch what you are doing from a number of different angles.
- k) Identify critical or complex steps, or steps that involve safety precautions to be followed.

- I) Explain theoretical knowledge where applicable and ask questions to trainees to test their understanding.
- m) Try to involve the learners: Ask them questions about why they think the process may work that way.
- n) Repeat critical steps in demonstration, if required.
- o) Summarize the demonstration by asking questions to trainees.

Involvement in the process (actively seeing) is important at this stage. When you work on getting involved, getting people to participate, you make them a part of what is happening. Questions for clarification or explanation are important throughout the demonstration. It is up to the learners to ask questions about things they do not understand, but it is also important for trainers to seek out and elicit questions from learners. A trainer may need to do repeated demonstrations of difficult or complex skills.

4. Overview of the program

Course: Marble Technician Level 1 Total Course Duration: 600 Hours

Course Overview:

In this training program trainee will learn and acquire specialized knowledge and practical skills required to function as a Marble Technician both at domestic and commercial levels. Marble Technician will be responsible to maintain personal safety standards and maintain tools and equipment. Marble Technician will be responsible for ensuring PPE's, Maintaining First aid box and Fire extinguisher, attaining health and safety training, preparing and responding for emergencies, arranging tools and equipment, maintaining toolbox, calibrating measuring tools, and managing inventory of tools and equipment. The specific objectives of developing these qualifications are as under:

- Improve the overall quality of training delivery and setting national benchmarks for training of Marble Technician in the country
- Provide flexible pathways and progressions to learners enabling them to receive relevant, up-to-date and recent skills
- Provide basis for competency-based assessment which is recognized and accepted by employers
- Establish a standardized and sustainable system of training for Marble Technician in the country

Module Title and Aim	Learning Units	Theory ¹ Days/hours	Workplace ² Days/hours	Timeframe of modules
	LU1. Adopt Personal safety			
	LU2. Adopt workplace safety.			
Module A. Maintain workplace	LU3. Adopt safety of tools and equipment			
Safety	LU4. Maintain First Aid Box	37	63	100
	LU5. Adopt Machines Safety			
	LU6. Adopt environmental regulation			

¹ Learning hours in training provider premises,

² Training workshop, laboratory and on-the-job workplace

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	LU1. Arrange Tools and Equipment			
Module B. Maintain Tools &	LU2. Maintain tool Box			
Equipment.	LU3. Calibrate measuring tools	22	78	100
	LU4. Manage Inventory of tools and equipment			
	LU1. Apply basic Literacy skills			
Module C. Develop Basic Literacy &	LU2. Apply basic Numeracy skills			
Numeracy Skills	LU3. Perform Measurement	60	240	300
	LU4. Perform basic mathematical calculations			
	LU1. Identify Machine and its sizes.			
	LU2. Identify components & Attachments			
Module D. Identify Machines & Its Attachments	LU3. Identify capacities & capabilities of Machine	22	78	100
Attachments	LU4. Identify basic tools and supplies associated with Machines			
	LU5. Maintain Inventory of Machines & attachment			
	LU1. Operate MS word			
	LU2. Operate MS Excel			
Module E. Develop Basic Computer	LU3. Operate MS Power Point	38	162	200
Operating Skills	LU4. Perform Browsing			
	LU5. Print Document			
	LU1. Take Measurement			
	LU2. Draw different types of triangles.			
	LU3. Draw all six types of quadrilaterals LU4. Draw Circle and its parts			
Module F. Construct Geometrical	LU5. Draw polygons,	35	165	200
Figures	LU6. Draw Ellipses (major axis = 10 cm, minor axis = 8 cm with	33	103	200
	four methods.			
	LU7. Draw Parabola (major axis = 10 cm and minor axis = 8 cm			
	with Three methods.			
Module G. Develop basic	LU1. Adopt effective Listening	20	80	100
communication Skill	LU2. Develop Nonverbal Communication Skill	20	00	100

	LU3. Develop verbal communication Skill.			
	LU4. Develop Written Communication Skills			
	LU1. Arrange Stones (Color, Size, Grade)			
	LU2. Regulate drainage of polluted water			
	LU3. Identify location for dumping marble waste			
Module H. Prepare	LU4. Prepare log sheet for general maintenance			
Workplace/Housekeeping	LU5. Maintain Inventory	21	79	100
	LU6. Ensure clear travel path			
	LU7. Store slabs (size, color, grade)			
	LU8. Load Marble Slabs			
	LU1. Install / Uninstall Electrical Motors			
Module I. Carryout Basic Electrical	LU2. Lay Cables			
Installation	LU3. Perform Basic Electrical Wiring	33	67	100
	LU4. Conduct Wiring Tests			
	LU1. Replace Belts			
	LU2. Replace cutting Blades			
Module J. Maintain Marble Machines.	LU3. Replace bearings and shaft.	55	245	300
iviacinites.	LU4. Replace Pulleys.			
	LU5. Replace trolley ropes.			
	LU1. Perform loading/unloading by Crane			
	LU2. Prepare Machine for cutting Marble			
	LU3. Perform vertical cutting			
	LU4. Perform cutting with Gang saw			
Module K. Cut Marble	LU5. Perform bridge Cutting.	52	248	300
	LU6. Perform cross cutting			
	LU7. Perform section cutting			
	LU8. Perform cutting with resizing machine.			

	LU9. Perform Table Cutting			
	LU1. Identify polishing tools & equipment			
	LU2. Apply polishing pads			
Module L. Perform Polishing of	LU3. Apply sand paper	20	180	200
Marble	LU4. Apply chemicals			
	LU5. Apply Buff for Shining.			
	LU1. Interpret Drawing & Design using CAD			
	LU2. Draw & Design the job using CAD			
Module M. Perform CAD/CAM	LU3. Load the desired Tools			500
Operations	LU4. Perform Simulation	51	449	
	LU5. Perform Material Loading			
	LU6. Perform CAM Operations			
	LU1. Adopt standard atmosphere at work place			
	LU2. Ensure safe environmental concerns			
	LU3. Check quality of marble on receiving			
	LU4. Adopt accuracy in machining			
Module N. Ensure Quality	LU5. Check quality of cutting	20	130	150
·	LU6. Ensure Quality of Polishing			
	LU7. Implement quality standards			
	LU8. Adopt quality of workmanship			
	LU9. Ensure quality at dispatching			
	LU1. Resolve problems or disagreements with others			
	LU2. Demonstrate work ethic			
Module O. Develop Professionalism	LU3. Work with others	28	72	100
·	LU4. Work independently			
	LU5. Communicate with signals			

	LU6. Interpret documentation			
	LU1. Conduct Market survey LU2. Develop basic marketing skills LU3. Identify needs of the market.			150
Module P. Develop Entrepreneurial Skills	LU4. Prepare Business plan LU5. Implement marketing activities	86	64	
	LU6. Evaluate marketing performance. LU7. Develop Business promotion technique			
	LU8. Develop Business competition Skills			
	TOTAL	600	2400	3000

4.1. **Lesson Plan of Module –** (Sample)

Module 05:

Maintain Tools & Equipment

Learning Unit

LU-1: Arrange tools and equipment

LU-2: Maintain Tool Box

LU-3: Calibrate measuring tools

LU-4: Manage Inventory of tools and equipment

Learning Outcomes

Trainee will be able to maintain tools and equipment for Marble Technician. Trainee will be able to understand various tools and equipment and their maintenance. Trainee will be able to Arrange tools and equipment maintain tool box, insulate tools and equipment, calibrate measuring tools and Manage Inventory of tools/Equipment.

Media:

Multimedia

Time:

50 hrs.

Methods: Key Notes:

Through Tools and Equipment

Multimedia Maintaining Tool Box

Presentations and Physical Insulation of Tools and Equipment Calibration of measuring Tools

of machines Managing Inventory of

Tools/Equipment

Introduction

Introduction to Maintaining Tools and Equipment, Identification of Tools and equipment, Maintaining Tool Box, Insulating Tools and Equipment, Calibrating measuring tools, Managing inventory of tools and equipment.

Main Body

- Define various tools and equipment and their functions
- Describe arrangement of tools/equipment as per job
- Differentiate between corrective and preventive maintenance
- Describe arrangements of tools and equipment in tool box
- Explain storage methods of tools and equipment
- Describe types of calibration
- Describe methods of equipment calibration
- Explain methods of tools and equipment inventory
- Elaborate writing of faulty tools and equipment.

Conclusion

Various tools and equipment and their function, Maintenance of toolbox, Insulation of Tools and equipment, Calibration of measuring tools, Managing inventory of tools and equipment.

Assessment

Ask learners

Name various tools and equipment and their function?

What is the importance of insulating tools and equipment?

What is the importance of calibrating measuring tools?

Total time: 35 Hrs.

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5. Trainer's guidelines

Module 1: Maintain Workplace Safety

Learning Unit	Suggested Teaching / Learning Activities	Delivery Context	Media
LU-1: Adopt Personal Safety	Deliver an illustrated presentation on how to Adopt Personal Safety. Ensure you address the importance of the following points: • Arrange personal protective equipment as per requirements • Wear correct personal protective equipment as per nature of job. • Store PPE at appropriate place after use. Display a slide or flip chart with a key question relating to Adopt Personal Safety. Step 1 – Think Working on their own, each learner thinks about the question and makes notes of their responses or key points which they believe to be important. Step 2 – Pair For the next step, each learner pairs up with a partner. The two learners exchange their ideas and make further notes to add clarity to their own ideas. Step 3 – Share The final step is for you to invite different pairs to share the ideas they have discussed in response to the key question relating to Adopt Personal Safety Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to Adopt Personal Safety in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.	Class room with multimedia aid, audio-visual facilities and flip charts Workshop or Workplace	 PPT Presentations. Videos Whiteboard Learning guide eyewear, gloves overalls, Fire extinguishers, Fire blankets, Respirators, masks, Fire hoses,

LU-2: Deliver an illustrated presentation on Adopt Workplace Safety. Ensure Class room you address the following points: with Adopt workplace Perform cleaning of workplace. safety. Avoid hazardous (electric / chemical) by adopting safetv precautions flip charts Identify emergency exit Operate Firefighting equipment Identify emergency shutdown switch of machines. Prepare either: A flip chart / A PowerPoint slide / A handout ...showing the key topics about Adopt Workplace Safety. Go through all the key topics briefly and then allocate **one key topic** to each group. Learners need to work in their small groups discussing the key topic that has been allocated to their group. Each group should use a sheet of flip chart paper to record three main points from their discussions that relate to their key topic. After the discussion, begin the feedback session. Ask one group to come to the front of the class with their flipchart. Put up the flipchart where it can be easily seen by other learners. Ask the group to share the main points they have recorded for their key topic for Adopt Workplace Safety. Discuss these main points briefly with the whole

group. Learners should make additional notes on the flip chart to

Then ask the next group to share their flipchart showing the main points they have recorded for the next key topic. Repeat the discussion

End the group discussion activity with a summary. Photograph or scan

all the flipcharts and use these to create a handout to distribute to all

Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to Adopt Workplace Safety in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have the opportunity to ask questions to

record additional points their group had not identified.

process. Continue until you have covered all the key topics.

multimedia aid, audio-visual facilities and

- PPT **Presentations**
- Videos
- Whiteboard
- Learning guide
- First aid box and items

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support their understanding

learners.

Module 1: Maint	Module 1: Maintain Workplace Safety				
Learning Unit	Suggested Teaching / Learning Activities	Delivery Context	Media		
LU3: Adopt safety of tools and equipment	Lead a brainstorm on Ensure safety of tools and equipment. Use ideas from the brainstorm to explain the following key points: • Identify insulated tools and equipment • Clean tools after use. • Store tools and equipment at appropriate place. Prepare either: • A flip chart / A PowerPoint slide / A handout showing key topics for Adopt safety of tools and equipment. Learners need to work in small groups discussing the key topics. Each group should make notes from their discussions that identify three main points that related to each key topic. After the discussion, begin the feedback session. Ask one group to share the main points they have recorded for the first key topic for Adopt safety of tools and equipment. Discuss these main points briefly with the whole group. Learners should make additional notes to record additional points their group had not identified. Then ask the next group to share the main points they have recorded for the second key topic. Repeat the discussion process. Continue until you have covered all the key topics. End the group discussion activity with a summary. Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to Adopt safety of tools and equipment in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.	Class room with multimedia aid, audio-visual facilities and flip charts Workshop or Workplace	 PPT Presentations. Videos Whiteboard Learning guide Fire Extinguisher 		
LU.4 Maintain First aid Box	Begin this session with an illustrated presentation on Maintain First Aid Box. Ensure that the presentation addresses the following points: • Identify first aid box • Check first aid box for Emergency Medicines.	Class room with multimedia aid, audio-visual	PPT Presentations .Videos		

Learning Unit	Suggested Teaching / Learning Activities	Delivery Context	Media
	 Check Expiry date of the Medicines Demonstrate mock first aid treatment against electric shock. Demonstrate mock exercise against minor injury. Display a flip chart showing the following key question related to Maintain First Aid Box: 'What are the important steps involved in Maintaining First Aid Box?' 	facilities and flip charts	 Whiteboard Learning guide First Aid Box
	Give each learner a sheet of paper and asked them to write their name at the top. Explain to learners that they will be sharing their work with other learners.		
	Ask learners to write silently for 3-5 minutes answering the question displayed on the flip chart. When learners have completed writing, instruct them to pass their paper to the learner on their left. Each learner will read what their partner has passed to them and write a response. This will also be done silently.	Workshop o Workplace	r
	After another 2-3 minutes, instruct the learners to pass the paper to their left a second time. Repeat the same procedure, also done in silence		
	At the end of the activity, ask the learners to return the paper to the original writer. Allow learners a few moments to read over the responses to their writing.		
	Ask learners to work in pairs to reflect on and discuss the responses to the question on the flip chart.		
	When this activity is concluded, collect the papers and make copies for each learner.		
	Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to Maintain First Aid Box in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.		

Learning Unit	Suggested Teaching / Learning Activities	Delivery Context	Media
LU.5 Adopt Machines Safety	Lead a discussion about Adopt Machines Safety. Use real examples to support the discussion and ensure the discussion considers: • Check belts of Machine • Check Blades of machines • Check Machine for short circuit • Perform test operation on Machine Display a flip chart showing the following key question: "How do we Adopt Machine Safety?" Give each learner a sheet of paper and asked them to write their name at the top. Explain to learners that they will be sharing their work with other learners. Ask learners to write silently for 3-5 minutes answering the question displayed on the flip chart. When learners have completed writing, instruct them to pass their paper to the learner on their left. Each learner will read what their partner has passed to them and write a response. This will also be done silently. After another 2-3 minutes, instruct the learners to pass the paper to their left a second time. Repeat the same procedure, also done in silence. At the end of the activity, ask the learners to return the paper to the original writer. Allow learners a few moments to read over the responses to their writing. Ask learners to work in pairs to reflect on and discuss the responses to the question on the flip chart. When this activity is concluded, collect the papers and make copies for each learner. Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to Adopt Machines Safety in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.	Class room with multimedia aid, audio-visual facilities and flip charts Workshop or Workplace	 PPT Presentations. Videos Whiteboard Learning guide Hard copy of company policy

Module 1: Maintain Workplace Safety					
Learning Unit	Suggested Teaching / Learning Activities	Delivery Context	Media		
LU6: Adopt Environmental Regulation	Deliver an illustrated presentation on Interpret Environmental Regulation. Ensure you address the importance of the following points: • Interpret environmental regulation. • Adopt work friendly environment. Display a slide or flip chart with a key question relating to Interpret Environmental Regulation. Step 1 – Think Working on their own, each learner thinks about the question and makes notes of their responses or key points which they believe to be important. Step 2 – Pair For the next step, each learner pairs up with a partner. The two learners exchange their ideas and make further notes to add clarity to their own ideas. Step 3 – Share The final step is for you to invite different pairs to share the ideas they have discussed in response to the key question relating to Interpret Environmental Regulation. Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to Interpret Environmental Regulation in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.	Class room with multimedia aid, audio-visual facilities and flip charts Workshop or Workplace	 PPT Presentations. Videos Whiteboard Learning guide Environmental regulations guide 		

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Module 2: Maintain Tools and Equipment

Learning Unit	Suggested Teaching / Learning Activities	Delivery Context	Media
LU1: Arrange tool & Equipment	Deliver an illustrated presentation on Arrange tool & Equipment. Ensure you address the importance of the following points: • Identify Tools and Equipment • Interpret job card • Prepare list of tools and equipment as per demand. • Collect tools and equipment from store Prepare either: • A flip chart / A PowerPoint slide / A handout	Class room with multimedia aid, audio-visual facilities and flip charts	 PPT Presentatio Videos Whiteboard Learning guide Tools Box
	showing the key topics about Arrange tool & Equipment. Go through all the key topics briefly and then allocate one key topic to each group. Learners need to work in their small groups discussing the key topic that has been allocated to their group. Each group should use a sheet of flip chart paper to record three main points from their discussions that relate to their key topic . After the discussion, begin the feedback session. Ask one group to come to the front of the class with their flipchart. Put up the flipchart where it can be easily seen by other learners. Ask the group to share the main points they have recorded for their key topic for Arrange tool & Equipment. Discuss these main points briefly with the whole group. Learners should make additional notes on the flip chart to record additional points their group had not identified.	Workshop or Workplace	

	Then ask the next group to share their flipchart showing the main points they have recorded		
	for the next key topic. Repeat the discussion process. Continue until you have covered all		
	the key topics.		
	End the group discussion activity with a summary. Photograph or scan all the flipcharts and		
	use these to create a handout to distribute to all learners.		
	Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to Arrange		
	tool & Equipment in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have the		
	opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.		
LU2:	Deliver an illustrated presentation on Maintain Tools Cabinet. Ensure you address the	Class room	PPT Presentations.
Maintain tool	importance of the following points:	with multimedia	Videos
Box	Check Physical Condition of Tools & Equipment before use	aid, audio- visual facilities and flip charts	WhiteboardLearning guideTools Cabinet
	Perform preventive maintenance as per standards		
	Perform corrective maintenance Place tools and equipment at appropriate place		
	Display a slide or flip chart with a key question relating to Maintain Tools Cabinet.		
	Step 1 – Think		
	Working on their own, each learner thinks about the question and makes notes of their		
	responses or key points which they believe to be important.		
	Step 2 – Pair	Mantala an	
	For the next step, each learner pairs up with a partner. The two learners exchange their	Workshop or	
	ideas and make further notes to add clarity to their own ideas.	Workplace	
	Step 3 – Share		
	The final step is for you to invite different pairs to share the ideas they have discussed in		
	response to the key question relating to Maintain Tools Cabinet.		

	Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to Maintain		
	Tools Cabinet in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have the opportunity		
	to ask questions to support their understanding.		
LU3: Calibrate measuring tools	Lead a discussion about importance of calibrating measuring tools. Use real examples to support the discussion and ensure the discussion considers the following points: • Check calibration status of the measuring tools • Perform calibration of measuring tools as per standards. • Record Calibration test results Prepare either:	Class room with multimedia aid, audiovisual facilities and flip charts	 PPT Presentations. Videos Whiteboard Learning guide Calibrating Instrument as per requirement
	 A flip chart / A PowerPoint slides / A handout showing key topics for calibrating measuring tools. Learners need to work in small groups discussing the key topics. Each group should make notes from their discussions that identify three main points that related to each key topic. 		
	After the discussion, begin the feedback session. Ask one group to share the main points they have recorded for the first key topic for calibrating measuring tools. Discuss these main points briefly with the whole group. Learners should make additional notes to record additional points their group had not identified. Then ask the next group to share the main points they have recorded for the second key topic. Repeat the discussion process. Continue until you have covered all the key topics. End the group discussion activity with a summary.	Workshop or Workplace	
	Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to calibrating measuring tools in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.	Class room	
LU4:	Discuss and demonstrate the importance of Manage Inventory of tools and equipment.to and prompt learners to consider learn and apply the following:	with multimedia	PPT Presentations.Videos

Manage Inventory of	Check number of tools and equipment as per record	aid, audio-	Whiteboard
	Report for faulty tools and equipment	visual facilities and	Learning guideInventory
tools and	Generate demand for defective tools and equipment	flip charts	Book/ Registe
equipment	Maintain record of all tools and equipment.		
	Prepare either:		
	. A flip chart / A PowerPoint slide / A handout	Workshop or	
	showing the key topics about Manage Inventory of tools and equipment. Go through all	Workplace	
	the key topics briefly and then allocate one key topic to each group.		
	Learners need to work in their small groups discussing the key topic that has been allocated		
	to their group. Each group should use a sheet of flip chart paper to record three main points		
	from their discussions that relate to their key topic .		
	After the discussion, begin the feedback session. Ask one group to come to the front of the		
	class with their flipchart. Put up the flipchart where it can be easily seen by other learners.		
	Ask the group to share the main points they have recorded for their key topic for Manage		
	Inventory of tools and equipment. Discuss these main points briefly with the whole group.		
	Learners should make additional notes on the flip chart to record additional points their		
	group had not identified.		
	Then ask the next group to share their flipchart showing the main points they have recorded		
	for the next key topic. Repeat the discussion process. Continue until you have covered all		
	the key topics.		

End the group discussion activity with a summary. Photograph or scan all the flipcharts and

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use these to create a handout to distribute to all learners.

Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to Manage	
Inventory of tools and equipment in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners	
have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.	

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Module 3 : Bas	ic Literacy and Numeracy		
Module 3: Basic	Literacy and Numeracy		
Learning Unit	Suggested Teaching / Learning Activities	Delivery Context	Media
LU1: Apply Basic Literacy Skills	Discuss and demonstrate the importance of Apply basic literacy skills and prompt learners to consider learn and apply the following: • Apply basic reading skills • Apply basic speaking skills • Apply basic speaking skills Prepare either: . A flip chart / A PowerPoint slide / A handout showing the key topics about Apply basic literacy skills. Go through all the key topics briefly and then allocate one key topic to each group. Learners need to work in their small groups discussing the key topic that has been allocated to their group. Each group should use a sheet of flip chart paper to record three main points from their discussions that relate to their key topic. After the discussion, begin the feedback session. Ask one group to come to the front of the class with their flipchart. Put up the flipchart where it can be easily seen by other learners. Ask the group to share the main points they have recorded for their key topic for Apply basic literacy skills. Discuss these main points briefly with the whole group. Learners should make additional notes on the flip chart to record additional points their group had not identified. Then ask the next group to share their flipchart showing the main points they have recorded for the next key topic. Repeat the discussion process. Continue until you have covered all the key topics.	Class room with multimedia aid, audio-visual facilities and flip charts	Multi media White Board Stationary Basic Literacy Module

	End the group discussion activity with a summary. Photograph or scan all the		
	flipcharts and use these to create a handout to distribute to all learners.		
	Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating		
	to Apply basic literacy skills in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners		
	have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.		
LU2: Apply Basic Numeracy Skills	Discuss and demonstrate the importance of Basic Numeracy skills and prompt learners to learn and apply the following: Basic principles of addition Basic principles of subtraction Basic principles of multiplication Basic principles of division Prepare either: A flip chart / A PowerPoint slide / A handout Showing the key topics about basic Numeracy skills. Go through all the key topics briefly and then allocate one key topic to each group. Learners need to work in their small groups discussing the key topic that has been allocated to their group. Each group should use a sheet of flip chart paper to record three main points from their discussions that relate to their key topic. After the discussion, begin the feedback session. Ask one group to come to the front of the class with their flipchart. Put up the flipchart where it can be easily seen by other learners. Ask the group to share the main points they have recorded for their key topic for Basic Numeracy Skills. Discuss these main points briefly with the whole group. Learners should make additional notes on the flip chart to record additional points their group had not identified.	Class room with multimedia aid, audio-visual facilities and flip charts	Multi media White Board Stationary Basic Mathematics Literacy Module

	Then ask the next group to share their flipchart showing the main points they have recorded for the next key topic. Repeat the discussion process. Continue until you have covered all the key topics. End the group discussion activity with a summary. Photograph or scan all the flipcharts and use these to create a handout to distribute to all learners. Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to Basic Numeracy Skills in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.		
LU3: Perform Measurement	Discuss and demonstrate the importance of Perform Measurement and prompt learners to consider learn and apply the following: Collect appropriate measuring tools. Estimate the required length of stone/slab. Measure slab/Tile vertically. Measure slab/Tile horizontally Prepare either: A flip chart / A PowerPoint slide / A handoutshowing the key topics about basic Urdu literacy skills. Go through all the key topics briefly and then allocate one key topic to each group. Learners need to work in their small groups discussing the key topic that has been allocated to their group. Each group should use a sheet of flip chart paper to record three main points from their discussions that relate to their key topic. After the discussion, begin the feedback session. Ask one group to come to the front of the class with their flipchart. Put up the flipchart where it can be easily seen by other learners. Ask the group to share the main points they have recorded for	Class room with multimedia aid, audio-visual facilities and flip charts	Multi media White Board Stationary Measuring tools /Taps

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	their key topic to Perform Measurement. Discuss these main points briefly with the		
	whole group. Learners should make additional notes on the flip chart to record		
	additional points their group had not identified.		
	Then ask the next group to share their flipchart showing the main points they have		
	recorded for the next key topic. Repeat the discussion process. Continue until you		
	have covered all the key topics.		
	End the group discussion activity with a summary. Photograph or scan all the		
	flipcharts and use these to create a handout to distribute to all learners.		
	Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating		
	to Perform Measurement in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners		
	have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.		
		Class room with	Multi media
LU4:	Discuss and demonstrate the importance of Perform basic mathematical	multimedia aid,	White Board
Perform basic	calculations.to and prompt learners to consider learn and apply the following:	audio-visual	Stationary
mathematical	Perform addition	facilities and flip	
calculations	Perform subtraction	charts	
	Perform multiplication		
	Perform division		
	perform inter conversion of Measuring units		
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	Record the results.		
	Prepare either:		
	. A flip chart / A PowerPoint slide / A handout		
	showing the key topics about Perform basic mathematical calculations. Go		
	through all the key topics briefly and then allocate one key topic to each group.		

Learners need to work in their small groups discussing the key topic that has been allocated to their group. Each group should use a sheet of flip chart paper to record **three main points** from their discussions that relate to **their key topic**.

After the discussion, begin the feedback session. Ask one group to come to the front of the class with their flipchart. Put up the flipchart where it can be easily seen by other learners. Ask the group to share the main points they have recorded for their key topic for Perform basic mathematical calculations. Discuss these main points briefly with the whole group. Learners should make additional notes **on the flip chart** to record additional points their group had not identified.

Then ask the next group to share their flipchart showing the main points they have recorded for the next key topic. Repeat the discussion process. Continue until you have covered all the key topics.

End the group discussion activity with a summary. Photograph or scan all the flipcharts and use these to create a handout to distribute to all learners.

Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to Perform basic mathematical calculations in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.

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Module 4: Identify Machines & Its Attachments

Learning Unit	Suggested Teaching / Learning Activities	Delivery Context	Media
LU1:	Deliver an illustrated presentation on how to Identify Machine and its sizes. Ensure you	Class room with	• PPT
Identify	address the importance of the following points:		Presentations
Machine and	Identify marble cutting machines	multimedia aid, audio-	•
its sizes.	Check specifications of Vertical cutting machine.	visual	• Videos
	Check specifications of Gang Saw machine.	facilities	 Whiteboard
	Check specifications of Bridge Cutting machine.	and flip charts	Multi media
	Check specifications of Cross cutting machine.		Different
	Check specifications of Section cutting machine.		Machines
	Check specifications of Resizing machine.		
	Check specifications of Table Cutting machine	Classroom / Work place/Lab	
	Prepare either:		
	A flip chart / A PowerPoint slide / A handout		
	showing key topic how to Identify Machine and its sizes. Learners need to work in small		
	groups discussing the key topics. Each group should make notes from their discussions		
	that identify three main points that related to each key topic.		
	After the discussion, begin the feedback session. Ask one group to share the main points		
	they have recorded for the first key topic for Identify Machine and its attachments. Discuss		
	these main points briefly with the whole group. Learners should make additional notes to		
	record additional points their group had not identified.		

	Then ask the next group to share the main points they have recorded for the second key		
	topic. Repeat the discussion process. Continue until you have covered all the key topics.		
	End the group discussion activity with a summary.		
	Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to		
	Identify Machine and its sizes in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have		
	the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.		
LU2:	Deliver an illustrated presentation on how to Identify components & attachments. Ensure	Class room	• PPT
Identify components &	you address the importance of the following points:	with multimedia	Presentation
Attachments	Identify components of Vertical cutting machine.	aid,	Videos
	Identify components of Gang Saw machine.	audio-visual	 Whiteboard
	Identify Components of Bridge Cutting machine.	facilities	Learning
	Identify components of Cross cutting machine.	and	guide
	Identify components of Section cutting machine.	flip charts	Different
	Identify components of resizing machine.		Machine
	Identify components of Table Cutting machineDisplay a slide or flip chart with a key		attachments
	question relating to Identify components & attachments.		
	Step 1 – Think		
	Working on their own, each learner thinks about the question and makes notes of their		
	responses or key points which they believe to be important.		
	Step 2 – Pair		
	For the next step, each learner pairs up with a partner. The two learners exchange their		
	ideas and make further notes to add clarity to their own ideas.	Workshop	
	Step 3 – Share	or Workplace	

	The final step is for you to invite different pairs to share the ideas they have discussed in		
	response to the key question relating to Identify components & attachments.		
	Observe the students and give feedback to Improve the Knowledge and skill.		
	Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to		
	Identify components & attachments in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners		
	have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.		
LU3: Identify capacities & capabilities of Machine	Lead a discussion about importance of how to Identify capacities & capabilities of Machine. Use real examples to support the discussion and ensure the discussion considers: Check capacity as per manufacturers specifications. Check capability as per manufacturers specifications. Interpret proper capacity of machine. Interpret proper capability of machine. Learners need to devise 10 quiz questions with answers based on Identify capacities & capabilities of Machine. They must make sure their questions cover key topics for how to Identify capacities & capabilities of Machine. Issue each learner with 10 blank cards. Each learner should number the cards and write their name on one side with a question about how to Identify capacities & capabilities of Machine. On the reverse of the card, they should write an appropriate answer to their question. For the quiz, arrange learners in two equal teams. Ask one learner to keep score using a suitable score-card. Player 1 for Team A asks one of their questions to Player 1 of Team B, who needs to answer the question. Discuss the answer with the group and ask the group	Class room with multimedia aid, audio- visual facilities and flip charts Workshop or Workplace	 PPT Presentations Videos Whiteboard Learning guide Machines
	to determine if the answer is correct. Player 1 of Team A then confirms the answer they had devised. (You need to correct answers if the learner's answer was not wholly correct.)		

LU4:	 The scorekeeper records 1 mark for a correct answer under the appropriate team's score column. Play then passes to Player 1 of Team B, who asks their question to Player 1 of Team A, and so on. Total the scores at the end of the quiz to see which team won. After the quiz, collect learners' question/answer cards and check that answers provided were correct. Return any incorrect answers to learners and ask them to change their answer to the correct one. Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to Identify capacities & capabilities of Machine in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding. Lead a discussion about how to Identify basic tools and supplies associated with 	Class room	• PPT
LU4: Identify basic tools and supplies associated with Machines	Lead a discussion about how to Identify basic tools and supplies associated with Machines. Use real examples to support the discussion and ensure the discussion considers: • Check standard tools supplied with machines • Check spares/consumable materials • Follow manufacturers specifications for tools and supplies Divide the Trainees into Group and perform the following about how to Identify basic tools and supplies associated with Machines > Role play > Group Discussion > Brain storming Observe the students and give feedback to Improve the Knowledge and skill. Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to Identify basic tools and supplies associated with Machines in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure that learners have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.	Class room with multimedia aid, audio- visual facilities and flip charts Workshop or Workplace	 PPT Presentation s. Videos Whiteboard Learning guide Associated tools

LU5:	Deliver an illustrated presentation on how to Maintain Inventory of Machines & attachment.	Class room	• PPT
Maintain	Ensure you address the importance of the following points:	with	Presentation
Inventory of	Check Inventory	multimedia aid, audio-	S.
Machines &	Update Inventory	visual	Videos
attachment	Prepare either:	facilities	Whiteboard
		and flip	- Inventory
	A flip chart / A PowerPoint slides / A handout	charts	Inventory Book
	showing the key topics about Maintain Inventory of Machines & attachment. Go through		
	all the key topics briefly and then allocate one key topic to each group.		
	Learners need to work in their small groups discussing the key topic that has been		
	allocated to their group. Each group should use a sheet of flip chart paper to record three	Workshop	
	main points from their discussions that relate to their key topic.	or Workplace	
	After the discussion, begin the feedback session. Ask one group to come to the front of the		
	class with their flipchart. Put up the flipchart where it can be easily seen by other learners.		
	Ask the group to share the main points they have recorded for their key topic for Maintain		
	Inventory of Machines & attachment. Discuss these main points briefly with the whole		
	group. Learners should make additional notes on the flip chart to record additional points		
	their group had not identified.		
	Then ask the next group to share their flipchart showing the main points they have		
	recorded for the next key topic. Repeat the discussion process. Continue until you have		
	covered all the key topics.		
	End the group discussion activity with a summary. Photograph or scan all the flipcharts and		
	use these to create a handout to distribute to all learners.		

Learners must be able to practice and develop their knowledge and skills relating to	
Maintain Inventory of Machines & attachment in an appropriate practical setting. Ensure	
that learners have the opportunity to ask questions to support their understanding.	

Frequently Asked Questions

1.	What is Competency Based Training (CBT) and how is it different from currently offered trainings in institutes?	Competency-based training (CBT) is an approach to vocational education and training that places emphasis on what a person can do in the workplace as a result of completing a program of training. Compared to conventional programs, the competency-based training is not primarily content based; it rather focuses on the competence requirement of the envisaged job role. The whole qualification refers to certain industry standard criterion and is modularized in nature rather than being course oriented.
2.	What is the passing criterion for CBT certificate?	You shall be required to be declared "Competent" in the summative assessment to attain the certificate.
3.	What are the entry requirements for this course?	The entry requirement for this course is 8th Grade or equivalent.
4.	How can I progress in my educational career after attaining this certificate?	You shall be eligible to take admission in the National Vocational Certificate Level-2 in Marble Technician. You shall be able to progress further to National Vocational Certificate Level- 2-4 in Marble Technician Course; and take admission in a level-5, DAE or equivalent course (if applicable). In certain case, you may be required to attain an equivalence certificate from The Inter Board Committee of Chairmen (IBCC).
5.	If I have the experience and skills mentioned in the competency standards, do I still need to attend the course to attain this certificate?	You can opt to take part in the Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) program by contacting the relevant training institute and getting assessed by providing the required evidences.

6.	What is the entry requirement for Recognition of Prior Learning program (RPL)?	There is no general entry requirement. The institute shall assess you, identify your competence gaps and offer you courses to cover the gaps; after which you can take up the final assessment.
7.	Is there any age restriction for entry in this course or Recognition of Prior Learning program (RPL)?	There are no age restrictions to enter this course or take up the Recognition of Prior Learning program
8.	What is the duration of this course?	The duration of the course work is 600 hrs.
9.	What are the class timings?	The classes are normally offered 25 days a month from 08:00 am to 01:30 pm. These may vary according to the practices of certain institutes.
10.	What is equivalence of this certificate with other qualifications?	As per the national vocational qualification's framework, the level-4 certificate is equivalent to Matriculation. The equivalence certificate can be obtained from The Inter Board Committee of Chairmen (IBCC).
11.	What is the importance of this certificate in National and International job market?	This certificate is based on the nationally standardized and notified competency standards by National Vocational and Technical Training Commission (NAVTTC). These standards are also recognized worldwide as all the standards are coded using international methodology and are accessible to the employers worldwide through NAVTTC website.
12.	Which jobs can I get after attaining this certificate? Are there job for this certificate in public sector as well?	You shall be able to take up jobs in the local or overseas construction companies in Marble Technician job profile.

13.	What are possible career progressions in industry after attaining this certificate?	You shall be able to progress up to the level of supervisor after attaining sufficient experience, knowledge and skills during the job. Attaining additional relevant qualifications may aid your career advancement to even higher levels.
14.	Is this certificate recognized by any competent authority in Pakistan?	This certificate is based on the nationally standardized and notified competency standards by National Vocational and Technical Training Commission (NAVTTC). The official certificates shall be awarded by the relevant certificate awarding body.
15.	Is on-the-job training mandatory for this certificate? If yes, what is the duration of on-the-job training?	On-the-job training is not a requirement for final / summative assessment of this certificate. However, taking up on-the-job training after or during the course work may add your chances to get a job afterwards.
16.	How much salary can I get on job after attaining this certificate?	The minimum wages announced by the Government of Pakistan in 2019 are PKR 17,500. This may vary in subsequent years and different regions of the country. Progressive employers may pay more than the mentioned amount. The Marble Technician normally earns 20,000 to 25,000 in the start.
17.	Are there any alternative certificates which I can take up?	There are some short courses offered by some training institutes on this subject. Some institutes may still be offering conventional certificate courses in the field.
18.	What is the teaching language of this course?	The leaching language of this course is Urdu and English.
19.	Is it possible to switch to other certificate programs during the course?	There are some short courses offered by some training institutes on this subject. Some institutes may still be offering conventional certificate courses in the field.

20. What is the examination / assessment system in this program?	Competency based assessments are organized by training institutes during the course which serve the purpose of assessing the progress and preparedness of each student. Final / summative assessments are organized by the relevant qualification awarding bodies at the end of the certificate program. You shall be required to be declared "Competent" in the summative assessment to attain the certificate.
21. Does this certificate enable me to work as freelancer?	You can start your small business by purchasing your own required machine and can start earning 50,000 per month. You may need additional skills on entrepreneurship to support your initiative.

Test Yourself (Multiple Choice Questions)

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