

Examiner's Report

Qualifications Framework

Stage 2: Unit 4 Weights and Measures Reflective Statement Examiner Report May 2025

A total of 16 candidates submitted their weights and measures reflective statement in this cohort. Receiving a range of marks between 20-70%, achieving a 94% pass rate. The average mark was 53%. The range of marks are indicative of the candidate's exposure to reflecting on past and current experiences.

Thankfully, the critical nature of authorities etc, has been left in the past and the statements are more attuned to the candidates themselves. It is important that candidates 'reflect' when completing this piece of coursework. Those who narrate a visit will attract fewer marks.

Ask yourself:

- What went well about the visit?
- What didn't?
- If I did this again, I would....?

There is an element of knowledge requirement in the marking scheme, but the bulk of the marks available for candidates, sits in the reflection element expected for this piece of coursework. **With the focus on what the candidate has learnt**.

Coursework attracting lower marks were more fact of the matter; rather than dealing with what went well, didn't go well and dealings with the 'enforced'. No one is expecting perfection so be self-critical if appropriate. Whilst being self-critical, don't criticise the service.

Think about:

- Do your actions align with your services policy?
- Why are you carrying out the visit?
- What was the outcome?

When completing the reflective statement for this subject, candidates are reminded to check the criteria requirements and looking at where the weighting of marks sit and focusing accordingly. We advise candidates to also review the guidance available.

- Weights and measures reflective statement criteria
- Weights and measures reflective statement guidance