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QUALIFICATION GUIDE

Entry Level and Level 1 Awards in Digital Wellbeing





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OCNLR Entry Level Award in Digital Wellbeing (Entry 3) Qualification No: 603/6170/0

OCNLR Level 1 Award in Digital Wellbeing Qualification No: 603/6174/8 OCN London aims to support learning and widening opportunities by recognising achievement through credit-based courses and qualifications, promoting high standards of excellence and inclusiveness.

We are proud of our long-term role and unique history in providing innovative learning solutions for a wide range of learners and particularly those who have not previously benefitted from education.

At the heart of what OCN London offers is:

- a commitment to inclusive credit-based learning;
- the creative use of credit with responsive, demand-led qualification development;
- high quality service and support;
- respect for and encouragement of diversity in learners and learning approaches, partners and settings;
- the development of people, capacity and resources that will ensure effective business partnerships.

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General Information

This qualification guide contains details of everything you need to know about the OCNLR Awards in Digital Wellbeing. It makes reference to the curriculum areas covered, identifies the learners for whom the qualifications have been developed and specifies the rules of combination for achievement of the qualifications. The guide also covers important aspects of assessment and moderation that are particular to the qualifications. The guide should be used by all involved in the delivery and assessment of the qualifications.

The Curriculum and Relationship Development Manager (CRDM) for your centre will provide support and advice on how to seek approval to offer these qualifications. Please contact the main switchboard for the name of your CRDM if you do not already know it. If you are not yet an OCN London Approved centre but wish to use these qualifications, please contact the administrative team at OCN London for details of the Centre Approval application process.

Qualification Overview

The OCNLR Awards in Digital Wellbeing have been developed to offer learners the opportunity to develop knowledge and skills on how to use digital technology in a healthy and mindful way.

This is in response to the recognition of the wide ranging impact of technologies and digital services on people's mental, physical, social and emotional health and the challenge for educators to keep pace with technology whilst providing learners with the support they need to use digital in a healthy and mindful way.1

The Awards are part of a suite of Awards designed to develop an understanding of lifestyle choices and other factors that relate to, and impact on, health and wellbeing. The Award can be taken as stand-alone or packaged alongside other qualifications to support general wellbeing.

The OCNLR Awards in Digital Wellbeing are regulated by Ofqual, the qualifications regulator for England, and are registered on the Regulated Qualifications Framework (RQF).

Qualification details

The OCNLR Awards in Digital Wellbeing are available at Entry Level 3 and Level 1 only.

OCNLR Entry Level Award (Entry 3)

- Qualification Number: 603/6170/0
- Qualification credit value: 1
- Operational start date: 1st August 2020
- Review date: 31st July 2025
- Guided Learning Hours (GLH): 10
- Total Qualification Time (TQT): 10 hours
- Assessment requirements: internally assessed, internally and externally moderated.

OCNLR Level 1 Award

- Qualification Number: 603/6174/8
- Qualification credit value: 1
- Operational start date: 1st August 2020
- Review date: 31st July 2025
- Guided Learning Hours (GLH): 8
- Total Qualification Time (TQT): 10 hours
- Assessment requirements: internally assessed, internally and externally moderated.

¹ https://www.jisc.ac.uk/guides/digital-wellbeing-of-learners

Purpose of the qualifications

The OCNLR Awards in Digital Wellbeing aim to provide learners with an understanding of how to manage their own digital practices, the importance of managing their own digital footprint, how digital technologies can affect health, and the positive and negative effects on wellbeing.

Who the qualifications are for

The OCNLR Awards in Digital Wellbeing are for people who already have basic digital skills but want to improve their knowledge and skills in developing safe practices when using digital technology and services in a personal, professional or voluntary capacity.

Entry guidance

There is no minimum age to access the qualifications. There are no entry requirements but learners are expected to have basic digital skills.

Progression and related qualifications

On successful completion of the Entry Level Award, learners may wish to study further Awards at the same level or Level 1, related to health and wellbeing.

On successful completion of the Level 1 Award, learners may wish to study further Awards in the OCNLR Level 1 qualifications suite relating to health and wellbeing and/or progress to the OCNLR Level 1 Certificate in Health and Wellbeing, or related subjects at Level 2. Learners may wish to consider careers in health and related professions.

Structure of the Qualifications

Rules of combination for achievement

The OCNLR Entry Level Award in Digital Wellbeing (Entry 3) comprises one mandatory unit and optional vocational units. Learners must achieve the mandatory unit (1 credit).

Qualification unit – Entry Level 3 Award

Ofqual Unit Reference Number	OCNLR Unit Code	Unit Title	Level	Credit Value	GLH
Mandatory					
J/618/3091	HJ1/E3/LQ/016	Digital Wellbeing	E3	1	10

The OCNLR Level 1 Award in Digital Wellbeing comprises one mandatory unit. Learners must the mandatory unit (1 credit).

Qualification unit - Level 1 Award

Ofqual Unit Reference Number	OCNLR Unit Code	Unit Title	Level	Credit Value	GLH
Mandatory					
R/618/3093	HJ1/1/LQ/008	Digital Wellbeing	1	1	10

For unit content please click the Ofqual Unit Reference Number

Assessment and Moderation

Assessment process

The assessment process for these qualifications is as follows:

- the learners are assessed through activities that are internally set by tutor/assessors:
- the activities must be designed to enable learners to meet the assessment criteria
- learners' portfolios of assessed evidence must be internally moderated at the centre;
- the portfolios of assessed evidence will be externally moderated by an OCN London External Moderator.

There is no additional external assessment for these qualifications.

Devising assessments

Each unit has a supplementary page with suggestions for the types of assessment activities that can be used to assess learners against the unit. Tutor/assessors should refer to this page before devising assessment tasks.

OCN London assessment guidance relevant to the units in the qualifications is in the OCNLR Assessment Guidance and Ofqual Level Descriptors section of this qualification guide. The guidance includes a general description of the activity and the type of evidence that is appropriate. The activity or activities set must enable the learners to meet the standards detailed in the assessment criteria. Please contact OCN London for further guidance on devising appropriate assessments.

Centre-devised assessments should be scrutinised by the Internal Moderator before use to ensure that they are fit for purpose. Centre-devised assessments will be scrutinised by the External Moderator to ensure reliability and validity of assessment.

Marking assessment activities

Each activity must be marked against the identified assessment criteria in the unit and judged to be either achieved or not achieved.

Tutor/assessors need to ensure that the work in a learner's portfolio is:

- authentic it is the result of the learner's own performance or activity;
- sufficient enabling the assessor to make a consistent and reliable judgement;
- adequate appropriate to the level.

Where a series of activities are set, learners must demonstrate the achievement of the required standard identified in the assessment criteria in all activities. All the assessment criteria in a unit must be met before the unit is deemed achieved.

The unit achievement is not graded. Units are either achieved or not achieved.

Standardisation

Standardisation is a process that promotes consistency in the understanding and application of standards in relation to assessment. It:

- compares assessment judgements from different tutor/assessors
- promotes consistent judgements by different tutor/assessors;
- identifies good practice in assessment;
- promotes the sharing of good practice in assessment between centre staff.

Standardisation events should be held periodically within centres to ensure consistent and effective assessment practice. Standardisation events may also be held by OCN London and it is a requirement that each centre offering units from the qualifications must contribute assessment materials and learners' evidence for standardisation, if requested.

OCN London will notify centres of the required sample for standardisation purposes and assessment materials, learners' evidence and tutor/assessor feedback may be collected by External Moderators.

Learners with particular requirements

If learners have particular requirements the centre should refer to the Access to Fair Assessment Policy and Procedure which gives clear guidance on the reasonable adjustments and arrangements that can be made to take account of disability or learning difficulty, without compromising the achievement of the assessment criteria.

Requirements for tutor/assessors

To be sufficiently competent

In addition to being qualified to make assessment decisions, each tutor/assessor must be capable of carrying out the full requirements within the competency of the units they are assessing. This competence should be maintained annually through clearly demonstrable continuing learning and professional development.

Expert witnesses can be used where they have suitable expertise for specialist areas. The use of expert witnesses should be determined and agreed by the tutor/assessor.

To be sufficiently knowledgeable

Each tutor/assessor should possess relevant knowledge and understanding of the subject and so be able to make robust and reliable assessment decisions in relation to the subject.

OCNLR Assessment Guidance and Ofqual Level Descriptors

For OCN London's Assessment Guidance and Ofqual's Level Descriptors relevant to these qualifications, please click on the links below.

Entry Level Assessment Guidance and Ofqual's Level Descriptors

Level 1 Assessment Guidance and Ofqual's Level Descriptors

About OCN London

OCN London is a well-established national awarding organisation with over 25 years' experience in accrediting learning. We are a not-for-profit organisation with charitable status, dedicated to widening participation in learning and training, social inclusion and employability. We are also a market leader in the recognition of achievement through credit-based units and qualifications. Based in London, we work with centres both across the UK and abroad, offering national qualifications and accredited programmes.

Our mission is to provide opportunities for people from across society to benefit from learning, particularly those who have not previously benefitted from education.

Why work with us?

- We are agile and responsive. This means you will get a personal service with direct access to a named contact and a quick turnaround.
- We pride ourselves on our close relationships with centres. The people we work with see us as a trusted partner, not just a supplier.
- We want to help you get the best from your learners and employees.
- We have a reputation for high quality. The OCN London brand carries national recognition and kudos.
- We are flexible and recognise the importance of accommodating the needs of different learners and different learning styles.
- We offer exceptional value for money. Just ask the people we work with.
- We are committed to the belief that learning can change lives.

OCN London is regulated by Ofqual and the Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education.

If you would like to deliver any of these qualifications, please contact our Curriculum Development Team on 020 7689 5867.

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