



Putting the Jigsaw Together

Practical strategies for assisting apprentices
with numeracy issues

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Roles for Manufacturing Skills Australia

Major roles span:

- develop and maintain national, industry endorsed Training Packages - to establish skill standards and provide a framework for skills development
- support the implementation of training - through advice and resources, workforce development support and brokerage of Government funded programs

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Roles for Manufacturing Skills Australia (cont.)

Major roles span:

- provide leadership to support economic and environmental sustainability
- provide government with industry intelligence - to inform the development of policies and programs aimed at workforce development.



DIISRTE project – Develop resources to support the Foundation Skills Training Package

- Industry consultation
- Needs identified (manufacturing)
 - PD for vocational trainers
 - Strategies for vocational trainers to support learners with numeracy issues
- Resources developed
 - Making the Connections
 - Putting the Jigsaw Together
- Resources trialled



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- MSA's approach
 - Action learning
 - Needs based
 - Focus on providing vocational trainers with “tools” for use in the training environment
 - “Tool kit” built around workplace scenarios
 - “Tools” that can be contextualised to individual learner's needs



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Scenario 1
A trainer's resource



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- Evaluation of tool kit



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