**Sample Assessment Outline**

Automotive Engineering and Technology

General Year 12

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Unit 3 and Unit 4

| **Assessment  type and weighting** | **Assessment task and  weighting** | **When/**  **Duration** | **Assessment task** |
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| Response  15% | 5% | Semester 1  Weeks 1–2 | **Task 1: Automotive mechanics – safety**  This task is to be completed prior to attempting any practical work  Activities:   * watch workshop safety video * understand general safety aspects of workshop practice * complete automotive safety certificate * choose an automotive workshop machine or skill and describe, through demonstration, the safe operational requirements |
| 3% | Semester 1  Weeks 3–6 | **Task 2: Report on different fuels and lubricants**   * scientific principles – chemical and mechanical energy, energy conversion * fuels and lubricants, their association with different engines and automotive technologies * performance of different types of fuels in various types of engines |
| 2% | Semester 1  Weeks 11–15 | **Task 5 Part A: Report on the rules and regulations and social, economic and environmental implications and consequences**  Worksheet/s or assignment on rules and regulations/social, economic and environmental implications and consequences |
| 2% | Semester 2  Weeks 1–3 | **Task 5 Part B: Report on the automotive industry, regulations and development of vehicle performance**  Worksheet/s or assignment on the automotive industry, regulations and development of vehicle performance |
| 3% | Semester 2  Weeks 6–8 | **Task 7: Investigate the principles of torque, rotational power and pressure/stress**  **Investigations to understand torque, rotational power and pressure/stress in the** power train, steering systems and braking systems |
| Investigation and diagnostics  20% | 5% | Semester 1  Weeks 9–10 | **Task 4 Part A: Design brief** – design a tool or device to be used during automotive workshop activities |
| 5% | Semester 2  Weeks 4–8 | **Task 6: Vehicle maintenance – current processes and latest techniques**   * use flow charts and problem-solving skills to diagnose faults in conjunction with the use of specialised tools and equipment * identify service, repair and maintenance requirements of more advanced engines, and the skills, knowledge, materials, parts and equipment needed to optimise performance * identify occupational safety and health requirements for different processes * use collaborative practices involved in workshop activities   Investigations to understand and demonstrate processes for the following, rotating through a series of activities:   * methods of diagnosis for fault finding * compression test * engine timing * oils and oil filters * air and fuel filters * radiator and coolant * brake pads and brake fluid * tyres, tread, pressures and rotation * different suspension systems * electrical wiring, lights and bulbs |
| 5% | Semester 2  Weeks 9–11 | **Task 8 Part A: Vehicle trouble-shooting techniques**  Complete the following trouble-shooting tasks:   * methods of diagnosis for fault finding * jumpstart * electrical lights test and changing a bulb |
| 5% | **Task 8 Part B: Vehicle trouble-shooting techniques**   * compression test * engine timing tune up |
| Production and assembly  50% | 15% | Semester 1  Weeks 6–8 | **Task 3: Complete under-vehicle activities**  Perform all occupational safety and health (OSH) requirements while in the workshop   * complete an under-vehicle inspection of front and rear chassis and suspension set ups * complete the process to lubricate, where necessary, the components of the steering and drive systems * complete a procedure to remove and replace a rear shock absorber and strut |
| 15% | Semester 1  Weeks 11–15 | **Task 4 Part B: Managing production – Produce the proposed tool or device to be used during automotive workshop activities**   * use workshop equipment safely to produce the tool or device |
| 5% | Semester 2  Weeks 1–3 | **Task 4 Part C: Test and evaluate finished workshop tool or device** |
| 15% | Semester 2  Weeks 12–15 | **Task 9: Design a model and apply different methods of fitting and joining automotive materials together** |
| Externally set task  15% | 15% | Semester 1 Week 13 | A written task or item or set of items of 50 minutes duration developed by the School Curriculum and Standards Authority and administered by the school |
| **Total 100%** | **100%** |  |  |