

## Our assessment marking process

As an Awarding Body, we're responsible for issuing accurate results and getting them right first time, so we take the quality of marking very seriously.

We have two approaches to marking our assessments, and this is decided at task level. Either, a task is entirely computer marked or it's marked by teams of examiners who are recruited and trained by us. If an assessment includes computer marked tasks only, results will be issued immediately. However, if an assessment includes any human marked tasks, it will take six weeks to issue the result. We often get asked 'why does it take so long to issue the result?', so we thought we'd break the whole process down for you to illustrate what exactly goes on before, during and after the marking window.

