

# Study Pack

# Computing

Entry 3

## Future Careers

IT Support Technician  
Earning potential: £16K-£35K

App Developer  
Earning potential: £21K-£55K

Software Developer  
Earning potential: £20K-£70K

Source:  
National Careers  
Service



# Computing Pre-Induction Activity





### John K

Hi, I'm John and I'm the Course Co-ordinator for Entry Level 3 Vocational Studies. I currently teach on E3 Vocational Studies, Level 1 ICT and Level 2 Business Studies. I have taught at the College for twenty years and in that time, I have taught qualifications from Entry 3 to Level 3 to students aged 14 to adults in College and the community. I have also provided bespoke training for businesses and their staff. I enjoy working with disadvantaged students and get immense satisfaction from seeing them progress from college to employment and a bright future!



### Tracey

Hi, I'm Tracey and I am the Course Co-ordinator for Level 1 Computing. I currently teach on the Level 1 ICT course here at Wakefield College and like a challenge when it comes to trying new software programmes and different ways to make your course more enjoyable. I have in past years taught students of all ages and also worked as an Online Tutor teaching Levels 1, 2 and 3. Prior to this I was a Senior Travel Consultant for a Travel Agency! I enjoy doing lots of other things in my spare time, watching sport, eating out and travelling are some of my favourites. I am also quietly competitive in most things I try, currently I am on a mission to be able to run 5k without having to stop at all, I am working towards this very slowly!

“ Our entry level course includes units that are carefully chosen, so that you can develop a solid foundation in IT.

IT is constantly changing, and how we use technology in our daily lives means that being “digitally literate” is more important than ever. On this course, we help you on the journey to develop the skills needed for the future. New technology is creating jobs that previously did not exist and it is vital to develop students who can adapt and that are “thinkers”, to be ready for future roles.

The Entry 3 course will introduce you to technology-based subjects such as web and mobile devices, using computers in business, and creating digital images. But it will also help you develop team working, planning and research skills!

Good luck with these activities and we look forward to seeing you in September!

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## Activity 1: Travel & Transport Quiz

Where did you go on your last trip or holiday?

Answer

How did you get there?

Answer

What transport options did you use to get there?

Car

Bus

Taxi

Train

Aircraft

Minibus

List five things you liked about the resort or place you visited?

1. Answer

2. Answer

3. Answer

4. Answer

5. Answer

Using the internet - can you find an image of the resort or destination and paste what you find into the space below?



## Activity 2: Party Invitation

You are having a party and want to invite your friends. You are going to make your own invitation letters. Identify and list all the information you think your invitation should include.

A party invite MUST include:

6. Answer

7. Answer

8. Answer

9. Answer

10. Answer

11. Answer

Now, thinking about your answers above, **have a go at designing your own invitation!** You can use any methods, materials and style you like. You could use computer software or simply use art materials. The important thing is that you're creative and you remember to include all the important information!

**We're looking forward to meeting you at enrolment and seeing your invitation ideas!**

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