

Lesson 15	Study Module 7: Combining and	Time		
	presenting information (1/4)			
Lesson	In this lesson students are learning how to:			
objective	<ul> <li>identify features of effective publications</li> </ul>			
Learning	At the end of the lesson students will be able to:			
outcomes	<ul> <li>identify the purposes of , target audience for and features of different types of publications</li> </ul>			
	map out page layouts			
	describe text styles			
Specification	L1: 1.1, 2.1, 10.1, 10.2, 11.1			
coverage	L2: 1.1, 2.1, 9.1, 9.2, 10.1			
Resources	Starter	15 mins		
Study Module 7 Key	Draw a table on the board, with double-width columns for What? and How?			
vocabulary	Publications         Who?         Why?         What?         How?         ? / 10			
types of publications:				
poster presentation website brochure information point report	Ask students to hold up the publications they have brought in (homework task). Select between three and five students with very different publications. Ask them, one by one, to show their publication to the class, and say what type of publication it is, e.g. a newsletter, a leaflet, a flyer.			
personal /	Ask others:			
business letter newsletter flyer factsheet	• Who is it aimed at? Who is the target audience?			
	<ul> <li>Why was it produced? (to inform, entertain, sell, collect, etc.)</li> </ul>			
requirements fit for purpose	<ul> <li>What is in it? (types of information only, e.g. text, images, charts)</li> </ul>			
fit for audience	<ul> <li>How is it presented? (paper size, orientation, most striking formatting feature), and</li> </ul>			
content	<ul> <li>what mark out of 10 do they give it and why</li> </ul>			
storyboard	Enter the students' key points into the table. Ask other			
layout image	students whether or not they agree - add constructive contributions into the table.			
text	Revisit What? and How? and ask for more details. Under			
style	What?, use symbols (=, >, <, =<, >=) to indicate the			
on paper	quantitative balance between text and images. Under How?, ask for features covered in previous lessons about text, e.g.			
on screen	font size, colour, etc.			



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	Share lesson objective	5 mins
	Introduce the lesson and share learning objective and outcomes.	
	Tell students to look at the three publications on page 3 and ask them to answer the questions above them.	15 mins
	Continue by asking students to describe differences between the three publications covering:	
	• the use of	
	o colours	
	o images	
	o text	
	• page layout.	
	Recap with students their work in Lesson 12 when they selected, formatted and saved text for four publications to promote the Bentley Charity Ball. Use the diagram on page 3 to point out that what goes into a publication depends on what type it is, its purpose and target audience.	
	Ask students to complete Skill Builder 7.1.	
	When students have finished ask them for their answers to:	
	<ul> <li>Bullet 5: what sort of publication the Study Guide is, and do they agree that it is fit for purpose (studying) and audience (they themselves), then</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Bullet 6: what other types of publications they added to the table.</li> </ul>	
	Where is what?	
	Ask students to return to page 3 and look at the first publication (RAPID, Writing, Teaching Guide, Stage 2).	
	Ask students if the publication is one in a series? If so, what needs to be replaced on the page to create a new version? Examples: WRITING could be replaced by READING, Stage 2 by Stage 1.	



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	Ask them how the page is constructed. How many components are there? What shapes are the components? If you wanted to version the page, which of the components (a) remain on the page, e.g. logo, top left, and (b) are replaced, e.g. Writing? What about the cartoon image? What would the series look like if it features on all front pages?	Ter 1 ark 1 Lop: Ter 1 ark 1 a	20 mins
	Explain to students that you can map out the layout of a page to show what the components are and how they fit together. Stress that you do not want to show any details, only shapes and the types of information they hold, text or image.	Image 1:         Text 1: style 1           Logo         Text 2: style 2 capital letters, orientation: horizontal font colour: white background: font, size           Text 3: style 3         Image 2: cartoon	
	Open a new word processing document in portrait orientation. If the Drawing Toolbar is not displayed, click on <u>V</u> iew, <u>T</u> oolbars, Drawing. Switch between zoom settings: zoom out so that students can see the whole page, zoom in so that they can see the writing.	RAPID WRITING	
	Tell students to start in the top left hand corner and to work across and down the page.	TEACHING Cartoon image	
	Click on the Text Box icon, then just away from the top left corner of the page and expand the text box to resemble the shape and size on the publication page.	image GUDD E	
	<i>Note: do not (1) create the Text Box insi "Create your drawing here", and (2) kee edge otherwise you lose some of the har</i>	ep away from the	





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	Enter Image 1 and ask students what type of image it logo and add type: logo into the box.	it is. Call
	Draw the second box and enter Text: - ask students many different text formats there are (4), call them and add style 1 into the second box.	
	Draw the other boxes and label them. Before doing one, click on AutoShapes. Show students the Basic S point out that they can enter text into them as well click on shape, select Add Text; with text entered:	hapes and (right-
	Image 1:         Text 2:: style 1           Logo         Text 2:: style 1           Text 3:: ob 3:         Image 1:           Text 3:: ob 3:         Image 7:           Text 3:: ob 3:         Image 7:           Text 3:: ob 3:         Image 7:           Text 3:: ob 5:         Image 7:           Text 1:: style 1:         Logo	n: horizontal ir: white nd:
	Text 3: style 3 Image 2: cartoon	
	Revisit the box for Text 2. Ask students to give you features of style 2. Build up the specification of sty adding features into box 2. Do the same with style	le 2 by
	Ask students to look at the other two publications of How many components do they have? How are they to fill the page? How many hold text, how many ima many text styles do they have? How easy would it be them out?	arranged ges? How
	If students do not spot it, point out that the middle publication has a transparent text box on top of an fills nearly the whole page.	image that



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	Conclude by stressing that the success factors for an effective publication include	
	<ul> <li>what information is selected (fit for purpose and audience)</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>how types of information are combined (text, images and other components)</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>how they are presented (page layout, use of colours and text styles, etc).</li> </ul>	
	especially on a front page!	
	Plenary	
	Remind students of the learning objective and recap on what they have learnt in this and the previous two lessons.	
Homework	Ask students to:	60 mins
	(1) complete Skill Builder 7.2. (Tell them to design a table and enter their short descriptions into it.)	
	(2) map out the page layout of digital asset SB7.2.1 using Text Boxes and/or AutoShapes.	

