## Task-based Activity Cover Sheet

Task Title: Compare Hotel Room Size

| Learner Name: |  |
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| Date Started: | Date Completed: |
| Successful Completion: Yes___ No |  |
| Goal Path: Employment __ Apprenticeship__ Secondary School__ Post Secondary __ Independence $\checkmark$ |  |
| Task Description: <br> The learner will use the attached floor plans and dimensions to calculate and compare hotel room sizes. |  |
| Competency: <br> C: Understand and Use Numbers | Task Group(s): <br> C3: Use Measures |
| Level Indicators: <br> C3.2: Use measures to make one-step calculations |  |
| Performance Descriptors: see chart on last page or click here. |  |
| Links to skill building activities: see the last page or click here. |  |
| Materials Required: <br> - Pen/pencil <br> - Scrap paper/calculator <br> - Attached floor plans |  |

## ESKARGO:

- Calculates using numbers expressed as whole numbers, fractions, decimals, percentages, and integers
- Interprets and represents area and volume using symbols and abbreviations (e.g., m ${ }^{3}$ )
- Understands and uses formulas for finding the perimeter, area, and volume of simple, common shapes
- Chooses and performs required operation(s); may make inferences to identify required operation(s)
- Selects appropriate steps to solutions
- Uses strategies to check accuracy (e.g., estimating, using a calculator, repeating a calculation, using the reverse operation)


## Attitudes:

Practitioner,
We encourage you to talk with the learner about attitudes required to complete this task set. The context of the task has to be considered when identifying attitudes. With your learner, please check one of the following:
$\square$ Attitude is not important
$\square$ Attitude is somewhat important $\square$ Attitude is very important

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When travelling or booking hotel rooms it is important to know the size of the room if you need extra space.

## Learner Information and Tasks:

Task 1: Calculate what the square foot difference is between the "Double-Double Suite" and the "King Suite" shown here. Both rooms are 14 ' wide. The Double-Double Suite is $35^{\prime}$ long, and the King Suite is $29^{\prime}$ long.


Double-Double Suite


King Suite

Task 2: Using the floor plans on the next page, determine which hotel room is larger, and by how many square feet.

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## Answer Key

Task 1: Calculate how what the difference is between the "Double-Double Suite" and the "King Suite". Both rooms are $14^{\prime}$ wide. The Double-Double Suite is $35^{\prime}$ long, and the King Suite is $29^{\prime}$ long.

DDS: $14^{\prime} \times 35^{\prime}=490$ sq feet
KS: $14^{\prime} \times 29^{\prime}=406$ sq feet
$490-406=84$ sq feet

Task 2: Using the floor plans on the next page, determine which hotel room is larger.
Room A: $\quad 30^{\prime} \times 8^{\prime}=240 \mathrm{sq} \mathrm{ft}$
$28^{\prime} \times 6^{\prime}=168 \mathrm{sq} \mathrm{ft}$
$240+168=408$ sq feet
Room B: $\quad 28^{\prime} \times 14.5^{\prime}=406$ sq feet

Room A is $\mathbf{2}$ square feet larger than Room B.

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| Performance Descriptors |  | \% ¢ S n d \% |  |  |
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| C3.2 | - calculates using numbers expressed as whole numbers, fractions, decimals, percentages and integers |  |  |  |
|  | - understands and uses formulas for finding the perimeter, area and volume of simple, common shapes |  |  |  |
|  | - chooses and performs required operation(s); may make inferences to identify required operation(s) |  |  |  |
|  | - selects appropriate steps to solutions |  |  |  |
|  | - uses strategies to check accuracy (e.g. estimating, using a calculator, repeating a calculation, using the reverse operation) |  |  |  |

This task: was successfully completed $\qquad$ needs to be tried again $\qquad$
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Skill Building Activities

## Links to Online Resources:

https://www.khanacademy.org/math/pre-algebra/measurement/perimeter/v/comparing-area-and-perimeter

- 5.3 minute video comparing areas and perimeters of rectangles
https://www.khanacademy.org/math/pre-algebra/measurement/rectangle-area-perimeter-word$\mathrm{pr} / \mathrm{v} /$ comparing-area -2.21 minute video featuring area and perimeter word problems
https://www.khanacademy.org/math/pre-algebra/measurement/area-
basics/e/area of squares and rectangles - Area problem questions
http://www.mathtv.com/ - Geometry - Area \& Perimeter
http://www.wikihow.com/Measure-a-Room - How to measure a room, with pictures
http://www.helpingwithmath.com/by subject/geometry/geo area.htm - How to calculate area
LearningHUB online courses available:
- Math, Independent Study (assigned by practitioner after assessment)
- Multiplication/Division Assignment
- Measurement Assignment
- Geometry Plane Figures Assignment \#1
- Independent Study, Short Courses (assigned by practitioner after assessment):
- Apprenticeship Math
- Live Classes (SABA) - Geometry A (Part 2); Geometry B
*To access LearningHUB courses, learners must register for the LearningHUB e-Channel program by completing the registration form on their website and completing the course selection (page 2 of the registration form): https://www.learninghub.ca/get registered.aspx

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    http://www.learninghub.ca/Files/PDF-
    files/HUBcoursecatalogue,\%20December\%2023,\%202014\%20revision.pdf

