

**Unit Title:** Developing Confidence Working With Animals  
**Unit Level:** Level 1  
**Unit Credit Value:** 3  
**GLH:** 27  
**LASER Unit Code:** WJC452  
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This unit has 4 learning outcomes.

LEARNING OUTCOMES		ASSESSMENT CRITERIA	
The learner will:		The learner can:	
1.	Be able to follow the health and safety rules.	1.1	List the general hazards in the working environment.
		1.2	List the specific hazards which may occur when working with animals.
		1.3	List the specific hazards which may occur when handling animals.
		1.4	Use personal protective equipment effectively.
		1.5	Use appropriate tools and equipment effectively.
		1.6	Follow safety rules when working in an animal environment.
2.	Understand the natural behaviour and original habitat of a range of domesticated animals and the implications of this for their care.	2.1	Describe the natural behaviour and original habitat of at least three domesticated animals.
		2.2	Explain why these animals were domesticated.
		2.3	List the five freedoms expected for good animal welfare.
		2.4	Apply the five freedoms when working with animals.
3.	Be able to recognise a range of behaviours in both animals and humans and understand why they show these behaviours.	3.1	List a range of behaviours animals and humans use to express their feelings.
		3.2	Give examples of how human behaviour can impact on animals, both positively and negatively.
		3.3	Give examples of how human thoughts and feelings are affected by animals.
4.	Know how to look after a range of animals with reference to feelings and physical needs.	4.1	Assist with caring for at least three animals such as horses, poultry, goats, pigs, dogs or cats.
		4.2	Recognise normal and abnormal behaviour in at least two of these types of animals.
		4.3	State care routines that encourage normal behaviour in the types of animals chosen.

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<b>Assessment Guidance:</b>
NA

<b>Additional Information:</b>
NA