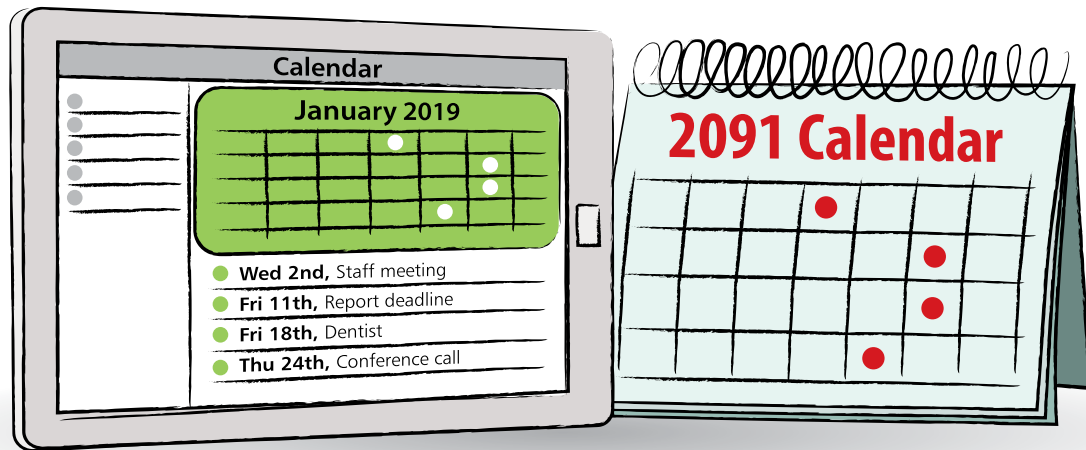


# Developing an Eye for Accuracy



Make this your most accurate year yet!

## 2019

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Department: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please record your time here: \_\_\_\_\_

(Time limit: 3 minutes)

Score:     / 25

## Developing an Eye for Accuracy **2019**

Compare each item in Column 1 to its match in Column 2. If the items are the same, put a tick in the 'S' column. If the items are different, put a tick in the 'D' column, and then circle the error in Column 2. Please write how long it takes you to complete this exercise on the front of this paper.

London Marathon 28 April 2019	S	D	London Marathan 28 April 2018
Chelsea Flower Show 21-25 May 2019	S	D	Chelsea Flower Show 21-25 May 2019
16 <sup>th</sup> June 2019 Father's Day	S	D	16 <sup>th</sup> June 2018 Father's Day
24-26 August Notting Hill Carnival	S	D	24-26 August Notting Hill Carnival
Pancake day is on 5 March 2019	S	D	Pancake day is on 5 March 2019
11 November Armistice Day	S	D	11 November Armistice Day
St. Patrick's Day 17 March 2019	S	D	St. Partrick's Day 17 March 2019
1 <sup>st</sup> April – April Fool's Day	S	D	1 <sup>st</sup> April – April Fool's Day
British Summer Time Ends 27 October	S	D	British Sumner Time Ends 27 October
One-day Accuracy Skills 30 January	S	D	One-day Accuracy Skills 30 January
Women's World Cup Final 7 <sup>th</sup> July	S	D	Women's World Cup Final 1 <sup>th</sup> July
27 October 2019 Diwali	S	D	27 October Diwali
1 <sup>st</sup> March St. David's Day	S	D	1 <sup>st</sup> March St. David's Day
Grand National April 6 <sup>th</sup> 2019	S	D	Grand National April 6 <sup>th</sup> 2091
Sept 20th Rugby World Cup begins	S	D	Sept 20th Rugby World Cup begins
23 April 2019 St. George's Day	S	D	23 April 2019 St. George's Day
Facebook's 15 <sup>th</sup> Birthday	S	D	Facebook's 15 <sup>th</sup> Brthday
Chinese New Year 5 <sup>th</sup> February	S	D	Chinese New Yaer 5 <sup>th</sup> February
Napoleon turns 250 on 15 August 2019	S	D	Napoleon turns 250 on 13 August 2019
July 6-28 Tour de France 2019	S	D	July 6-28 Tour de France 2019
The Boat Race 7 <sup>th</sup> April 2019	S	D	The Boat Race 7 <sup>th</sup> April 2019
Guy Fawkes Night 5 <sup>th</sup> November	S	D	Guy Fawkes Night 5 <sup>th</sup> November
30 <sup>th</sup> November 2019 St. Andrew's Day	S	D	30 <sup>th</sup> November 2019 St. Andrew's Day
Mahatma Ghandi turns 150 in October	S	D	Mahatma Ghandi turns 150 in October
Christmas Day 25 <sup>th</sup> December 2019	S	D	Christmas Day 25 <sup>th</sup> Decenber 2019

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24-26 August Notting Hill Carnival	✓	D	24-26 August Notting Hill Carnival	
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## How did you do? And what does it mean?

There are just 25 pieces of information to compare and verify in the test – just one mistake equates to a 4% error rate. The test should take no more than three minutes to complete. Imagine if your people made one error every three minutes! That's 20 errors every hour and 140 errors in a seven-hour day. It's easy to see how it mounts up.

An average error rate of just 3% wastes around 20% of your salary bill in lost productivity alone. No-one likes having to re-do work and sort out problems arising from mistakes. Accuracy skills training boosts personal effectiveness and organisational efficiency.

### Proven to work

For fifteen years we've been working with organisations to improve their people's accuracy skills. Typically, participants achieve a 60% reduction in errors.

### Our unique programmes

*Developing an Eye for Accuracy* – our flagship in-house data accuracy programme for people who work with information

*Preventing Mistakes at Work* – our practical in-house workshop for reducing the incidence of 'silly' human error

*Accurate Documentation Skills* – our practical in-house workshop for people who work with written communications

*One-day Accuracy Skills* – our open course for individuals seeking to improve their attention to detail

### Free consultation

A free consultation enables you to explore how accuracy training works and the typical cost savings and productivity gains you can expect to achieve. Pick up useful advice on how accuracy skills training relates to the work your people do and how you can take advantage of the proven methodologies for reducing error.

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**3%** **UK NATIONAL  
ERROR RATE**

**= 3 IN EVERY 100  
TRANSACTIONS CONTAIN AN ERROR**

**20%** **OF SALARY  
BILL SPENT  
ON MAKING  
AND FINDING  
MISTAKES**



**IT'S LIKE  
HAVING  
YOUR OWN  
ERROR  
DEPARTMENT**



**TIME  
WASTED**



**STRESS  
CAUSED**



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