Developing an Eye for Accuracy



Do people get your name wrong?

NAMES

Name:

Department:

Date:

Please record your time here:

(Time limit: 3 minutes)





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Compare each item in Column 1 to its counterpart in Column 2. Sometimes you will see a copy of the name and sometimes you will see a salutation. If the name is correct, put a tick in the 'C' box. If the name is wrong, put a tick in the 'W' box and circle all the errors you spot in Column2. Time yourself. Please write how long it takes you to complete this exercise on the front of this paper.

| Rosemary Fletcher | С | W | Dear Rosemary |
|--------------------|---|---|--------------------|
| Mr Hugh David | С | W | Dear David |
| Tom Tilby | С | W | Tim Tibley |
| Joanne Shannon | С | W | Joanne Shanon |
| David Graham | С | W | Dear Graham |
| Lewis Hamilton | С | W | Dear Mr Hamilton |
| J Subramanian | С | W | J Subramanian |
| Chris Corbin | С | W | Dear Mr Corbyn |
| Michael Stephenson | С | W | Michael Stephenson |
| Catherine Murray | С | W | Caroline Murray |
| Benedict Huemer | С | W | Benedict Humeur |
| Thomas Murray | С | W | Dear Mr Murray |
| Kevin Reith | С | W | Dear Keith |
| Jeff Lewis | С | W | Jeff Lewis |
| Camille Hickson | С | W | Camilla Hickson |
| Tracy Browne | С | W | Tracey Brown |
| Catherine de Salvo | С | W | Dear Ms De Salvo |
| Philip Westerman | С | W | Phillip Westerman |
| Josephine Butler | С | W | Josephine Butler |
| Lissa Elcock | С | W | Lisa Elcock |
| Jon Rhodes | С | W | Jon Rhodes |
| Stephanie Rose | С | W | Dear Stephanie |
| Papaioannou Ioanna | С | W | Papaioanou Ioanna |
| Sophia Ryan | С | W | Sophie Ryann |
| Debra Wiseman | С | W | Debra Wiseman |
| Anna Holmes | С | W | Anne Holmes |
| Juan Brooker | С | W | Juan Brooker |
| Kerynne Robertson | С | W | Kerynne Robinson |



Find the answers on the last page

How did you do?

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.

What does it mean?

Our results from the ten most recent courses delivered show participants have an average error rate of 3%. We find people typically spend 19% of their time making, finding and fixing those mistakes. No-one likes having to re-do work and sort out problems arising from mistakes. Accuracy skills training boosts personal effectiveness and organisational efficiency.

That's 19% of your company's salary bill

ERRORS

It's like employing your own error department!



That's £1,932 saved per person per year

Proven to work

Since 2003 we have been working with organisations across the UK to improve people's accuracy skills. The training improves the quality of your operations, delivers cost-saving gains and increases productivity. Typically, our participants achieve a 57% reduction in errors. A return on investment saving is calculated through the value of time saved through making fewer errors. The typical saving is £1,932 per person per year. Think also of the savings from fewer fines, fewer compensation payments and improved reputation!

Which workshop is best for you?

Developing an Eye for Accuracy Our flagship in-house workshop for people who work with data and information

Preventing Mistakes at Work Our practical in-house workshop for reducing the incidence of 'silly' human error Accurate Written Communication Our interactive in-house workshop for people who work with documents and emails

One-day Accuracy Skills Our open workshop for individuals seeking to improve their attention to detail



Contact us for a demo

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Where do we get our facts and figures from? The results are taken from the last ten *Developing an Eye for Accuracy* workshops delivered. The average salary of the participants is £22,000 (working 37.5 hours per week). Figures last updated September 2019.

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| Rosemary Fletcher | Ì | W | Dear Rosemary | |
|--------------------|---|--------------|---|--|
| Mr Hugh David | С | V | Dear David Last name used | |
| Tom Tilby | С | V | Tim Tibley Wrong first and last name | |
| Joanne Shannon | С | V | Joanne Shan on Missing n | |
| David Graham | С | V | Dear Graham Last name used | |
| Lewis Hamilton | 1 | W | Dear Mr Hamilton | |
| J Subramanian | 1 | W | J Subramanian | |
| Chris Corbin | С | V | Dear Mr Corbyn i not y | |
| Michael Stephenson | 1 | W | Michael Stephenson | |
| Catherine Murray | С | \checkmark | Caroline Marra, Wrong first name | |
| Benedict Huemer | С | V | Benedict Humeur Missing e Extra u | |
| Thomas Murray | 1 | W | Dear Mr Murray | |
| Kevin Reith | С | \checkmark | Dear Keith Wrong first name | |
| Jeff Lewis | 1 | W | Jeff Lewis | |
| Camille Hickson | С | | Camilla Hickson e not a | |
| Tracy Browne | С | V | Tracey Brown Misplaced e | |
| Catherine de Salvo | С | V | Dear Ms De Salvo d not D | |
| Philip Westerman | С | V | Philli p Western Extra l | |
| Josephine Butler | 1 | W | Josephine Butler | |
| Lissa Elcock | С | | List Ercon Missing s | |
| Jon Rhodes | 1 | W | Jon Rhodes | |
| Stephanie Rose | 1 | W | Dear Stephanie | |
| Papaioannou Ioanna | С | V | Papaioan ou lourna Missing n | |
| Sophia Ryan | С | V | Sophie Ryann a not e Extra n | |
| Debra Wiseman | Í | W | Debra Wiseman | |
| Anna Holmes | С | V | Anne Holmee a not e | |
| Juan Brooker | Í | W | Juan Brooker | |
| Kerynne Robertson | С | V | Kerynne Robinson Wrong last name | |

