

Industry placement induction checklist

I have been given an overview of the organisation and the work it does, including the products / services it provides, the industry it is in, its size and structure and whether it has a national or international focus
I have been told about my itinerary for my placement, and what my role will be, including which departments I will be working in, and the type of work I will be observing, learning about, and doing
I understand the days I need to attend my placement, the start and finish times for each day and I know when I can take my lunch and breaks times
I have been told about, and understand, the organisation's policies and procedures including dress code, health and safety, and drug and alcohol use
It has been explained to me who my immediate manager for my industry placement will be and who to speak to if there is a problem
I have been shown the location of the restaurant, toilet facilities and prayer rooms
I have been told if there are areas which are restricted to me or where I must always remain with my manager/an employee, due to security or safety reasons (where applicable)
I have been told how to access the organisation's IT systems, and I understand the organisation's policy about using IT equipment, including the use of social media in the workplace, and when and where I am allowed to use my mobile phone
I have been briefed on potential hazards/safety issues, if any, that I could be exposed to during the industry placement and I have had the chance to ask questions where this is not clear
I have been told about safe working practices to adhere to while on my placement
I understand that I am not permitted to operate any machinery without the permission of my manager, and without first receiving the appropriate training
I have had the importance of safety equipment explained to me, such as PPE, where it is kept, which areas it must be used in and why
I have been told I must report any injury/accident to my manager or a first aider immediately
I have been told what I should do in the event of a fire, and how I will know if a fire alarm has been raised
I have been told the emergency procedure and where the assembly points/emergency exits are, and I know that I should not run during an evacuation. I understand that I should speak to my manager if I am unclear which emergency exit to use on the site, in case of an emergency