

## Digital Literacy in Adult and Further Education

## (10 Credits, Level 9)

Module Aim	This module explores the relationship between digital literacy, adult and further education, the student and their own professional development. Students will be encouraged to develop an awareness of digital literacy as a tool for social transformation and to reflect on how to integrate this awareness of digital literacy into their own professional practice. In particular, the module aims to facilitate students to develop the skills required to effectively integrate digital technologies and ICT into curriculum development and to facilitate their own learners to experience several digital technologies as part of the learning process. Digital literacy forms one of the key components of focus within the Adult Literacy for Life (ALL) Strategy 2021-2031 and an understanding of digital literacy is essential for all those involved in adult literacy and in all forms of education.
Module Learning Outcomes	<ul> <li>Upon successful completion of this module, a student will be able to: <ul> <li>Demonstrate a critical awareness of the role of technologies to support, deliver and enhance effective teaching and learning in adult and further education and to support digital literacy.</li> <li>Assess existing and emerging technologies to determine their suitability for integration into adult and further education practice and to support digital literacy.</li> <li>Critically reflect on how current digital literacy within their organisation could be developed to enhance the experience for learners in further and adult education, including those with unmet digital literacy needs.</li> <li>Identify and reflect on strategies to increase learner interaction with technology and apply these strategies to the learning process for adult learners.</li> <li>Identify sustainable resources available to support the use of technology in their practice.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Mode of Assessment	100% Continuous Assessment
Delivery Methods	Online (Please See Timetable)