

# **Session Plan: Video calling**

## Delivery mode:

Face to face delivery

#### Session overview:

This session will provide learners with practical tips on how to safely use video calling.

## Learning objectives:

By the end of the session learners will

- know more about using the microphone and camera in a video call
- feel safer when you are video calling
- know more about being respectful to others in video calls.

#### Suggested session length:

This session should run for approximately 2 hours. The facilitator to schedule regular breaks as required.

## **Facilitator Tips:**

- Each learner must have access to their own device for this session.
- This session is best delivered using a data projector and screen to allow all learners to follow along.
- As some learners may not be confident or able to read, you may be required to read the material out loud. Encourage the learners to follow along using their own device.
- Learners may need headphones if they choose to listen to the online course using the Text to Voice facility.
- Do a test run of the session including the activities and using the videos to ensure you are familiar with the content.
   Open the videos in separate tabs so they are ready to be shown.
- To adjust the volume, activate closed captions or to slow the speed of Youtube videos refer to the screenshots below.





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Pausing videos will allow learners to catch up and provide an opportunity for discussion.

#### More courses in this series:

- Connecting safely online
- Using emails

Topic	Timing	Activity	Assessment	Resources
Introduction & welcome	10 mins	Facilitator to:	All learners engage	Training venue
welcome		<ul><li>introduce themselves</li><li>confirm all learners have their</li></ul>		Refreshments
		devices set up		Laptop or PC, data projector
		<ul> <li>remind learners to do as much as they can by themselves</li> </ul>		and screen
		<ul> <li>discuss the learning objectives</li> </ul>		Learners to each have
		<ul> <li>discuss how the session will run</li> </ul>		access to an internet
		<ul> <li>remind learners to raise their hand to gain facilitator attention.</li> </ul>		connected device
				<u>Video Calling online module</u>
		Activity 1 - Icebreaker The Stinky Fish		
				<u>Learner Workbook Video</u>
		Learners introduce themselves and		Calling
		share 1 thing that worries them about		
		being online. The 1 thing is a metaphor		Notepads / Pens
		for the Stinky Fish. The longer you hold		

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		onto the worry the smellier and harder it is to overcome.  Facilitator to recognise the concerns (stinky fish) raised and discuss summarising the key themes on the whiteboard. This will assist in normalising learners' concerns.		Whiteboard / marker pens  Stinky Fish Icebreaker  Exercise
Online course	40 mins	Facilitator to confirm all learners can access the online course - Video calling.  Activity 2 - Video Calling online module  Learners to commence the online course and to work their way through the material at their own pace.  Ask the learners to make notes or draw a picture of the key points they wish to discuss after the break.	Learners engage at their own pace.  Discussions with support person	Video Calling online module  Learner Workbook Video Calling Notepad / pen  Links to videos used in online course:  • What can you do on Zoom  • How do you turn your camera off or on

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		Remind learners and their support person they can talk to you if they have any questions about the material.  Consider walking round the room asking learners how they are getting on as they may need reassurance or want to ask questions.  Ask the learners to close the online course once they have finished.		What should you not share online?  Video calling online course evaluation form
Break	10 mins	Encourage learners to have a break, stretch their legs and have a drink if needed.		

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Discussion & Recap	20 mins	Facilitator to ask each learner to share 1 -2 things they have learnt from the online course.  Facilitator to ask if the learners noted down any key points they learnt during the online course they wish to discuss now.  Facilitator to recap the following  Block calls from people you do not know.  There are different video calling apps available  Use headphones to reduce noise and to maintain privacy How to ensure your privacy on video calls	All learners participate.	Laptop , PC, tablet or smartphone  Marker pens  Video calling top tips handout

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Practical	20 mins	Activity 4 - Video call practice  Ask the learners to video call another person in the group.  Facilitator to walk around the room and ensure all learners are using headphones, camera is positioned appropriately and offer support where required.	All learners participate.	Learners have their own device Choose a free video calling app learners will use.
Discussion	10 mins	Activity 5 - Reflection  Facilitator to ask learners if they can recall how they can maintain their privacy on a video call.	Learners all participate	

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Evaluation and close	10 mins	Activity 6 - Evaluation form  Facilitator to ask the learners to complete and return the online / hard copy evaluation form.	Learners all participate	Overall workshop evaluation form  Certificate of completion
		Provide learners with certificate of completion to celebrate their success.		

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