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Abstract

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**BACKGROUND**

1. Mode of evidenced assessment: Video
2. Rubric automatically calculates mark.
3. Optional email communication with parent.

"As we rapidly move into the digital age, there is a significant opportunity for improvement of the assessment process through digitisation."

(Dr A. Campbell, 2013)