



Task Title: Preparing for a Winter Road Trip

OALCF Cover Sheet – Learner Copy

Learner Name: _____

Date Started (m/d/yyyy): _____

Date Completed (m/d/yyyy): _____

Successful Completion: Yes ☐ No ☐

Goal Path:

Employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Apprenticeship	<input type="checkbox"/>
Secondary School	<input type="checkbox"/>	Post Secondary	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Independence	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Task Description: Learners will access two websites to obtain information on weather and road conditions and then decide whether they would risk a trip north of their current location.

Note: This task can only be completed November 1 to April 1.

Main Competency / Task Group / Level Indicator:

- Find and Use Information/Interpret documents/A2.2
- Understand and Use Numbers/Manage time/C2.1
- Use Digital Technology/D.2
- Engage with Others/F

Materials Required:

- Pen/pencil and paper and/or digital device
- Computer or device with access to the internet

Learner Information

The Canadian and Ontario governments provide information on travel conditions to help people make informed decisions before setting out.

Work Sheet

Go to the Environment Canada: Weather Information website at
https://weather.gc.ca/canada_e.html

Choose Ontario. Click on your community (or the closest community to you if yours is not given).

Task 1: What is the current Temperature, Visibility and Wind Speed?

Answer:

Task 2: What is the forecast for tonight?

Answer:

Task 3: How many hours is it from now until sunset?

Answer:

Go to the 511 Ontario Traveller Information website at:
<https://511on.ca/roadconditions> and scan the road conditions posted for today, or select the interactive map to see the road conditions.

Task 4: List any roadways that are closed, are icy or have areas of reduced visibility or current incidents.

Answer:

Task 5: As a class, discuss the conditions and decide whether you would make a trip north of your community today.

Answer: No answer required here.

Task completed: Yes ☐ No ☐
