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Candidate number must appear in the blog header with project title. Candidate name is optional, blog can be under a pseudonym if preferred. The first blog entry should describe the proposed work, and how it will relate to some of the [National Occupational Standards at Level 2](#) [1]. The work should be obviously intended to be useful to other people. If the work involves producing digital resources, these should be made freely available to others through the following actions:

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