

Samirah		John	
CARRUS	Sten	CARRUS	Sten
Mechanical Reasoning	3	Mechanical Reasoning	8
Nonverbal reasoning	6	Nonverbal reasoning	7
Numerical ability	7	Numerical ability	7
Verbal Ability	9	Verbal Ability	4
<p>Samirah is 21 and was educated in Yemen at an international school. She came to the UK at the age of 14 where she continued her education. She considers her first language to be Arabic and speaks this regularly with her family but speaks English with her friends and work colleagues. She has spoken English since the age of 7. She also speaks Spanish. She has A levels in Drama, English Language and Music. She started university and studied music for one year, but found it very isolating as all her teaching was online and there were no social events. She decided to leave her course and went travelling around the world while working in bars and restaurants. People respond well to her and she is confident in interacting with others and prefers working as part of a team. On returning to the UK she applied for the apprenticeship with ReSolve</p>		<p>John is 25 and was educated in the UK. After doing A levels he went to university to study Physics and was awarded a 2.2-degree classification. Since finishing university John has worked as a laboratory assistant. He likes his current role as he works independently and is left on his own to do his job. While in his current role he was diagnosed with dyslexia as he was having difficulty reading instructions for procedures as he needs to reread things several times before he can take in the information. The company John worked for made reasonable adjustments to his work which helped him. However, after 3 years there is little intellectual stimulation and John cannot see a pathway for progression which is something he desires and so he applied for the apprenticeship scheme at ReSolve.</p>	