How-To Guide
Approve a timesheet as a delegate

Who is this guide aimed at?
This guide is for those individuals who need to approve or reject a timesheet in HR Self-Service on behalf of another manager.

Useful links and other supporting materials
HR Self-Service guidance and FAQs: [www.ox.ac.uk/hrss](http://www.ox.ac.uk/hrss)
Information for managers about engaging casual staff: [https://hr.admin.ox.ac.uk/casual-workers-and-casual-teachers](https://hr.admin.ox.ac.uk/casual-workers-and-casual-teachers)

**Note**: If someone submits more than a week timesheet for approval (e.g., a month's worth of timesheets submitted together). The manager will be able to reject or approve the whole claim but not pick and choose which parts to reject. That is the reason we recommend people to submit timesheets weekly.

1. Approve a timesheet
2. Reject a timesheet

### 1. Approve a timesheet

**Starting point**: Log in to HR Self-Service > Employee Dashboard

1. Click on the Dashboard dropdown menu and select the Manager Dashboard.

2. This takes you to the My Team screen. Find the Timesheet Manager Summary widget.

3. The system will default to the current period (month). If you need to approve timesheets from an earlier period, use the arrows to navigate to the required date.

4. Click on VIEW in the Awaiting Approval tab. The Timesheet Summary page will open.
5. The Timesheet Summary screen shows the total hours claimed by the employee during the period (month). If the total is correct, approve the hours by clicking on the ellipsis (three dots) at the right-hand side and select Approve. A success message will appear. Wait for the dark green line to fill. Alternatively, you can approve multiple claims at once by selecting each worker’s row that you would like to approve. Once a worker’s row has been selected, click on the ACTIONS button (top right) and select Approve. A success message will appear. Wait for the dark green line to fill.

You could also click on the Select All button (bottom left). This will select all the workers in the Timesheet Summary row, then click on the ACTIONS button (top right) and select Approve. A success message will appear. Wait for the dark green line to fill.

6. To view a weekly breakdown of the hours, select Input Time. The Timesheet Input screen opens.

7. Use the week-commencing date top right to navigate through the weekly timesheets to view a weekly breakdown of the hours.

8. Click on the white arrow, top left to return to your Timesheet Manager Summary.

9. Click on VIEW in the Approved tab. This will open the Timesheet Summary page, which will confirm that the hours are Approved.

2. Reject a timesheet

If a timesheet is incorrect, you can reject it. This will return it to the casual worker, to amend.

Starting point: Log in to HR Self-Service > Manager Dashboard > Timesheet Manager Summary > Awaiting Approval > View > Timesheet Summary > Locate individual
**Note** Before you reject an employee’s hours, check you have selected the right date. Use the arrows to navigate to your chosen week and then reject the hours.

1. Click on the ellipsis (three dots) at the right-hand side and click **Reject**.

2. A **Comments box** will open. Add your comments for rejecting the timesheet and click **OK**. A success message will appear. Wait for the dark green line to fill.

3. Click on the white arrow (top left) to return to your **Timesheet Manager Summary**.

4. Click on **VIEW** in the **Rejected** tab to confirm the timesheet has been rejected.