

## National Qualification Levels

**Level**

**Examples of Qualifications ..... Equivalents**



- Entry level certificates
- Skills for Life at entry level
- Foundation Learning Tier



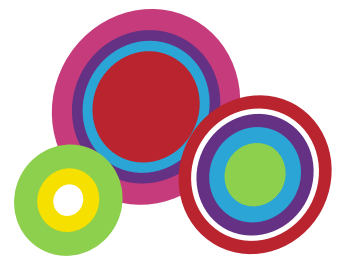
- GCSEs grades D-G
- BTEC Level 1 Diplomas
- Key Skills level 1
- NVQ 1
- Skills for Life
- Foundation Diploma ..... = 5 x GCSEs grade D-G
- Extended Diploma ..... = 7 x GCSEs grade D-G
- Foundation Learning Tier



- 5 x GCSEs grades A\*-C
- BTEC First Diplomas
- Key Skills level 2
- NVQ 2
- Extended Diploma ..... = 9 x GCSEs grade A\*-C
- Apprenticeships



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- AS/A levels
- Applied A level
- BTEC level 3 Diploma ..... = 3.5 A levels
- International Baccalaureate
- Key Skills level 3
- NVQ 3
- Advanced Apprenticeship



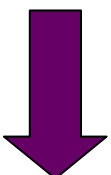
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- Key Skills level 4
- NVQ 4
- BTEC Professional Diplomas, Certificates & Awards
- Certificate of Higher Education
- HNC



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- HNC & HNDs
- NVQ5
- BTEC Professional Diplomas, Certificates & Awards
- Foundation Degree
- Diploma of Higher Education



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- Bachelors Degree
- Graduate Apprenticeship
- Graduate certificate
- Graduate diploma