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Introduction

These Tech Level qualifications have been approved for reporting in the 2016 16-19 School and College Performance Tables (published in early 2017). The list of approved qualifications applies to courses taught from September 2014.

Tech Levels are level 3 (advanced) qualifications for students wishing to specialise in a technical occupation or occupational group. They lead to recognised occupations, for example in engineering, IT, accounting or professional cookery. They are recognised by a relevant trade or professional body or at least five employers registered with Companies House that are representative of the industry sector or occupation to which the qualification relates. Many Higher Education Institutions have also pledged support for Tech Levels.

To help students and parents decide which vocational qualifications best meet their learning needs and aspirations, this list provides links which, for each qualification, direct the reader to:

- a statement summarising the **purpose** of the Tech Level and the **occupations** it could lead to; and
- **letters of support** from employers and/or employer bodies and, in some cases, from Universities or higher education institutions.

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Tech Levels count towards a new Technical Baccalaureate performance measure. This will recognise the highest level of technical training achieved by students aged 16-19. To achieve the TechBacc, students will need to obtain:

- an approved level 3 Tech Level qualification
- an approved level 3 mathematics qualification¹
- the Extended Project Qualification.

This document also lists 'pending qualifications' which, subject to awarding organisations securing and demonstrating support from industry by 31st January 2014, will also be approved as Tech Levels. An updated list of approved Tech Levels will be published in Spring 2014.

¹ [New technical baccalaureate measure](#)

There are no Early Years Educator qualifications on this list. This is because they are subject to redevelopment following the publication of new subject content criteria. Awarding organisations have until Spring 2014 to submit these qualifications to the DfE for approval as Tech Levels. Qualifications that meet Tech Level requirements will be added to this list by May.

From 2016, 16-19 Performance Tables will report academic, Tech Level and Applied General qualifications separately. This will help parents and students make meaningful judgements about schools and colleges that offer different kinds of courses.

Schools and colleges may offer qualifications that are not included in the performance tables, if approved for teaching to 16-19 year olds, and in all cases should act as they judge to be in the best interests of their students

Tech level approved qualifications

Tech Level Agriculture, Horticulture and Animal Care

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)	Recognised by an industry or professional body?	Recognised by at least five employers?	Recognised by higher education institutions?	Qualification purpose statement
Agriculture						
500/8242/5	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Agriculture (QCF)	360	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
601/1097/1	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Agriculture (QCF)	540	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/8240/1	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Agriculture (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/8301/6	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Agriculture (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Fish Management						
500/8352/1	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Fish Management (QCF)	360	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/8353/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Fish Management (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/8344/2	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Fish Management (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Horse Management						
500/9432/4	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Horse Management (QCF)	360	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
601/0564/1	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Horse Management (QCF)	540	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9431/2	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Horse Management (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9428/2	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Horse Management (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Veterinary Nursing						
600/6052/9	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Veterinary Nursing (QCF)	715		<u>Yes</u>		<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Floristry						
501/0310/6	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Floristry (QCF)	360	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/6503/8	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Floristry (QCF)	530		<u>Yes</u>		<u>Declared Purpose</u>
501/0345/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Floristry (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
501/0346/5	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Floristry (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Forestry and Arboriculture						
500/9451/8	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture (QCF)	360	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
601/1099/5	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture (QCF)	540	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9449/X	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9448/8	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Land-Based Technology						
501/0694/6	City & Guilds Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Land-based Technology (QCF)	360	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/7795/5	IMIAL Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Land-based Technology (QCF)	360	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/5945/X	City & Guilds Level 3 90-Credit Diploma in Land-based Technology (QCF)	540	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
501/0681/8	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Land-based Technology (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/7794/3	IMIAL Level 3 Diploma In Land-based Technology (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/7796/7	IMIAL Level 3 Extended Diploma in Land-based Technology (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
501/0682/X	City & Guilds Level 3 Extended Diploma in Land-based Technology (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Tech Level Arts, Media and Publishing

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)	Recognised by an industry or professional body?	Recognised by at least five employers?	Recognised by higher education institutions?	Qualification purpose statement
Sound Engineering						
500/9350/2	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Sound Engineering (QCF)	360	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9067/7	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Professional Sound Engineering Skills (QCF)	420	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9211/x	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Music Technology and Sound Engineering (QCF)	480	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/8804/x	City & Guilds Level 3 Extended Diploma in Music Technology and Sound Engineering (QCF)	600	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/7837/9	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Music Technology (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/7716/8	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Music Technology (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Sound and Composition Techniques						
500/8889/0	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Professional Sound and Composition Techniques (QCF)	430	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Photography						
601/0377/2	NCFE Level 3 Diploma in Photography (QCF)	450	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Production Arts						
500/7380/1	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Production Arts (QCF)	360	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
601/1094/6	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Production Arts (QCF)	540	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/7364/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Production Arts (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/7381/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Production Arts (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Tech Level Business, Administration and Law

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)	Recognised by an industry or professional body?	Recognised by at least five employers?	Recognised by higher education institutions?	Qualification purpose statement
Accounting						
600/6908/9	AAT Level 3 Diploma In Accounting (QCF)	305	<u>Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Administration						
500/6485/X	OCR Level 3 Diploma in Administration (Business Professional) (QCF)	333		<u>Yes</u>		<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Legal Services						
601/0569/0	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma For Legal Secretaries (QCF)	350	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/7719/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Applied Law (QCF)	360	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Tech Level Construction, Planning and the Build Environment

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)	Recognised by an industry or professional body?	Recognised by at least five employers?	Recognised by higher education institutions?	Qualification purpose statement
Construction and the Built Environment						
500/7140/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Construction and the Built Environment (QCF)	360	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/6481/X	City & Guilds Level 3 Principal Learning in Construction and the Built Environment	540	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
601/1095/8	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Construction and the Built Environment (QCF)	540	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/7137/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Construction and the Built Environment (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/7139/7	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Construction and the Built Environment (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Bench Joinery						
600/8050/4	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Bench Joinery (QCF)	457	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/8617/8	Cskills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Bench Joinery (Construction) (QCF)	885	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Bricklaying						
600/8083/8	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Bricklaying (QCF)	532	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/8607/5	Cskills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Bricklaying (Construction) (QCF)	675	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Electrical Installation						
600/9331/6	EAL Level 3 Diploma In Electrical Installation (QCF)	459	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/5499/2	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Electrical Installations (Buildings and Structures) (QCF)	480	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Gas Utilisation						
600/0894/5	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Gas Utilisation: Core Skills and Knowledge (QCF)	410	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Heating and Ventilating						
600/6101/7	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Heating and Ventilating (QCF)	502	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Painting and Decorating						
600/8610/5	Cskills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Painting and Decorating (Construction) (QCF)	869	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Plant Maintenance						
501/0812/8	Cskills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Plant Maintenance (QCF)	1145	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Plastering						
600/8613/0	Cskills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Plastering (Construction) (QCF)	668	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Plumbing						
600/8595/2	EAL Level 3 Diploma In Plumbing and Heating (QCF)	468	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/5497/9	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Plumbing Studies (QCF)	470	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Refrigeration, Air Conditioning and Heat Pump Systems						
600/5988/6	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Refrigeration, Air Conditioning and Heat Pump Systems (QCF)	518	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Site Carpentry						
600/7995/2	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Site Carpentry (QCF)	583	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/8604/X	Cskills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Site Carpentry (Construction) (QCF)	916	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Stonemasonry						
600/8626/9	Cskills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Stonemasonry - Banker (Construction) (QCF)	808	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Tiling						
500/4254/3	CSkills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Wall and Floor Tiling (QCF)	1210	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Tech Level Engineering and Manufacturing Technologies

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)	Recognised by an industry or professional body?	Recognised by at least five employers?	Recognised by higher education institutions?	Qualification purpose statement
Engineering						
600/0882/9	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Engineering (QCF)	480	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/2400/0	OCR Level 3 Principal Learning in Engineering	540	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/8154/8	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Engineering (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/8165/2	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Engineering (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Manufacturing Engineering						
500/7319/9	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Manufacturing Engineering (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Mechanical Engineering						
500/7283/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Mechanical Engineering (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Operations and Maintenance Engineering						
500/7315/1	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Operations and Maintenance Engineering (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Fabrication and Welding						
600/5130/9	ABC Level 3 Diploma In Fabrication and Welding Practice (QCF)	480			<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Aeronautical Engineering						
500/7799/5	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Aeronautical Engineering (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/7800/8	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Aeronautical Engineering (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Aircraft Maintenance						
500/8099/4	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Aircraft Maintenance (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Aviation Operations						
600/6438/9	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Aviation Operations (QCF)	383	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/6424/9	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Aviation Operations (QCF)	563	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/6425/0	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Aviation Operations (QCF)	743	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/6439/0	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Aviation Operations (QCF)	1179	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair						
501/0193/6	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles (QCF)	605	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9814/7	IMIAL Level 3 Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles (QCF)	605	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
501/0019/1	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles (QCF)	605	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/1691/7	IMIAL Level 3 Extended Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles (QCF)	749	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Heavy Vehicle Maintenance and Repair						
500/9812/3	IMIAL Level 3 Diploma in Heavy Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles (QCF)	670	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/1690/5	IMIAL Level 3 Extended Diploma in Heavy Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles (QCF)	794	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Bus and Coach Engineering and Maintenance						
600/9742/5	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Principles of Bus and Coach Engineering and Maintenance (Mechanical) (QCF)	312	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/9741/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Principles of Bus and Coach Engineering and Maintenance (Mechanical/Electrical) (QCF)	356	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Motorcycle Maintenance and Repair						
500/9684/9	IMIAL Level 3 Diploma in Motorcycle Maintenance and Repair Principles (QCF)	665	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Vehicle Accident Repair Principles						
500/9809/3	IMIAL Level 3 Diploma in Vehicle Accident Repair Body Principles (QCF)	660	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9688/6	IMIAL Level 3 Diploma in Vehicle Accident Repair Paint Principles (QCF)	690	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Motorsport Vehicle Maintenance and Repair						
600/2579/7	IMIAL Level 3 Diploma In Motorsport Vehicle Maintenance and Repair (QCF)	538	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/2760/5	IMIAL Level 3 Extended Diploma In Motorsport Vehicle Maintenance and Repair (QCF)	646	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Auto Electrical and Mobile Electrical Principles						
500/9691/6	IMIAL Level 3 Diploma in Auto Electrical and Mobile Electrical Principles (QCF)	498	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Vehicle Technology						
600/4344/1	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Vehicle Technology (QCF)	360	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/4343/x	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Vehicle Technology (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/4328/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Vehicle Technology (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Tech Level Health, Public Service and Care

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)	Recognised by an industry or professional body?	Recognised by at least five employers?	Recognised by higher education institutions?	Qualification purpose statement
Complementary Therapies						
600/5072/X	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Complementary Therapies (QCF)	520	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/4846/3	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Complementary Therapies (QCF)	520	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Health and Social Care						
501/1194/2	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Health & Social Care (Adults) for England (QCF)	346		<u>Yes</u>		<u>Declared Purpose</u>
501/1785/3	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Allied Health Profession Support (QCF)	373		<u>Yes</u>		<u>Declared Purpose</u>
501/2236/8	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Clinical Healthcare Support (QCF)	373		<u>Yes</u>		<u>Declared Purpose</u>
501/2234/4	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Pathology Support (QCF)	411		<u>Yes</u>		<u>Declared Purpose</u>
501/2238/1	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Perioperative Support (QCF)	468		<u>Yes</u>		<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Playwork						
600/3264/9	Pearson Edexcel Level 3 Diploma in Playwork (NVQ) (QCF)	437	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Tech Level Information and Communication Technology

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)	Recognised by an industry or professional body?	Recognised by at least five employers?	Recognised by higher education institutions?	Qualification purpose statement
IT						
500/9150/5	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in IT (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared purpose</u>
500/9149/9	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in IT (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared purpose</u>

Tech Level Leisure, Travel and Tourism

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)	Recognised by an industry or professional body?	Recognised by at least five employers?	Recognised by higher education institutions?	Qualification purpose statement
Sport and Active Leisure						
600/1275/4	CYQ Level 3 Diploma in Personal Training and Instruction (QCF)	340	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
601/0195/7	CYQ Level 3 Diploma in Personal Training (Gym-Based Exercise) (QCF)	346	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/8635/X	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Preventing Injuries in Sport and Active Leisure (QCF)	408	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Travel and Tourism						
500/9863/9	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Travel and Tourism (QCF)	360	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/6757/3	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Travel and Tourism (QCF)	407	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/6539/4	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Travel and Tourism (QCF)	540	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9862/7	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Travel and Tourism (QCF)	720	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/6763/9	City & Guilds Level 3 Extended Diploma in Travel and Tourism (QCF)	810	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9861/5	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Travel and Tourism (QCF)	1080	<u>Yes</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Tech Level Retail and Commercial Enterprise

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)	Recognised by an industry or professional body?	Recognised by at least five employers?	Recognised by higher education institutions?	Qualification purpose statement
Hair						
600/8708/0	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Hairdressing Studies (QCF)	350	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/8709/2	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Barbering Studies (QCF)	363	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9100/1	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Barbering (QCF)	446	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/8737/X	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in African Caribbean Hairdressing (QCF)	457	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9098/7	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Hairdressing for Cutting and Styling Technicians (QCF)	461	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9101/3	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Hairdressing for Colour Technicians (QCF)	462	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/9099/9	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Women's Hairdressing (QCF)	485	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Beauty						
600/8664/6	VTCT Level 3 Certificate in Beauty Therapy Studies (Massage) (QCF)	306	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/8663/4	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Spa Therapy Studies (QCF)	329	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/8761/4	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Fashion, Theatre and Media Hair and Make-Up Studies (QCF)	333	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/8908/8	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Nail Technology Studies (QCF)	336	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/8662/2	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Studies (Make-Up) (QCF)	350	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/8665/8	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Studies (QCF)	424	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/2649/2	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Theatrical, Special Effects, Hair and Media Make-up (QCF)	437	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/8941/9	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Nail Technology (QCF)	445	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/8954/7	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Body and Spa Therapy (QCF)	447	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/8957/2	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy Techniques (QCF)	510	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Cookery						
600/4805/0	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Professional Patisserie and Confectionery (QCF)	384	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/1985/2	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Advanced Professional Cookery (Kitchen and Larder) (QCF)	555	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/4804/9	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Advanced Professional Cookery (Kitchen and Larder) (QCF)	555	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
500/8779/4	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Advanced Professional Cookery (QCF)	785	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/4803/7	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Advanced Professional Cookery (QCF)	785	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
Food and Beverage Service Supervision						
600/2244/9	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Food and Beverage Service Supervision (QCF)	347	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/4806/2	VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Food and Beverage Service Supervision (QCF)	347	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>
600/2078/7	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Food and Beverage Service Supervision (QCF)	354	<u>Yes</u>			<u>Declared Purpose</u>

Pending qualifications

The qualifications listed below will also be approved as Tech Levels subject to awarding organisations securing and demonstrating support from industry by 31st January 2014. A final list of approved Tech Levels for teaching from September 2014 will be published in Spring 2014.

Tech Level Agriculture, Horticulture and Animal Care – Pending

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)
Agriculture		
500/8388/0	City & Guilds Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Agriculture (QCF)	360
600/6048/7	City & Guilds Level 3 90-Credit Diploma in Agriculture (QCF)	540
500/8487/2	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Agriculture (QCF)	720
500/8490/2	City & Guilds Level 3 Extended Diploma in Agriculture (QCF)	1080
Animal Management		
500/8279/6	City & Guilds Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Animal Management (QCF)	360
600/6112/1	City & Guilds Level 3 90-Credit Diploma in Animal Management (QCF)	540
500/8321/1	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Animal Management (QCF)	720
500/8311/9	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Animal Management (QCF)	720
500/8280/2	City & Guilds Level 3 Extended Diploma in Animal Management (QCF)	1080
500/8265/6	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Animal Management (QCF)	1080
Horse Management		
500/8714/9	City & Guilds Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Horse Management (QCF)	360
600/6114/5	City & Guilds Level 3 90-Credit Diploma in Horse Management (QCF)	540
500/8709/5	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Horse Management (QCF)	720
500/8708/3	City & Guilds Level 3 Extended Diploma in Horse Management (QCF)	1080
Veterinary Nursing		
600/3711/8	CQ Diploma in Veterinary Nursing (QCF)	715
600/5823/7	CQ Level 3 Diploma In Veterinary Nursing - Equine (QCF)	715

Countryside Management		
500/8560/8	City & Guilds Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Countryside Management (QCF)	360
500/8262/0	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Countryside Management (QCF)	360
600/6113/3	City & Guilds Level 3 90-Credit Diploma in Countryside Management (QCF)	540
601/1098/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Countryside Management (QCF)	540
500/8561/X	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Countryside Management (QCF)	720
500/8261/9	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Countryside Management (QCF)	720
500/8489/6	City & Guilds Level 3 Extended Diploma in Countryside Management (QCF)	1080
500/8302/8	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Countryside Management (QCF)	1080
Forestry and Arboriculture		
500/8724/1	City & Guilds Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture (QCF)	360
600/5946/1	City & Guilds Level 3 90-Credit Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture (QCF)	540
500/8564/5	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture (QCF)	720
500/8720/4	City & Guilds Level 3 Extended Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture (QCF)	1080
Horticulture		
500/8385/5	City & Guilds Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Horticulture (QCF)	360
500/8351/X	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Horticulture (QCF)	360
600/6115/7	City & Guilds Level 3 90-Credit Diploma in Horticulture (QCF)	540
601/1100/8	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Horticulture (QCF)	540
500/8384/3	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Horticulture (QCF)	720
500/8336/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Horticulture (QCF)	720
500/8401/X	City & Guilds Level 3 Extended Diploma in Horticulture (QCF)	1080
500/8266/8	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Horticulture (QCF)	1080
Land-based Technology		
501/0314/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Land-based Technology (QCF)	360
601/0565/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Land-based Technology (QCF)	540
501/0299/0	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Land-based Technology (QCF)	720
501/0236/9	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Land-based Technology (QCF)	1080

Tech Level Arts, Media and Publishing – Pending

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)
Art and Design		
600/6095/5	OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Introductory Diploma in Art and Design (QCF)	360
600/6096/7	OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Subsidiary Diploma in Art and Design (QCF)	540
600/3890/1	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Art and Design (QCF)	540
600/6151/0	OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Diploma in Art and Design (QCF)	720
500/7298/5	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Art and Design (QCF)	720
600/6150/9	OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Extended Diploma in Art and Design (QCF)	1080
500/7566/4	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Art and Design (QCF)	1080
Creative Media		
500/7842/2	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Creative Media Production (QCF)	360
600/6445/6	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Creative Media Production (QCF)	540
600/0787/4	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Creative Techniques (QCF)	690
500/7888/4	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Creative Media Production (QCF)	720
500/7878/1	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Creative Media Production (QCF)	1080
Media		
600/6176/5	OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Introductory Diploma in Media (QCF)	360
600/6100/5	OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Subsidiary Diploma in Media (QCF)	540
600/6197/2	OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Diploma in Media (QCF)	720
600/6177/7	OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Extended Diploma in Media (QCF)	1080
Music Practitioners		
600/6613/1	RSL Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma For Music Practitioners (QCF)	540
600/6609/X	RSL Level 3 Diploma For Music Practitioners (QCF)	720
600/6612/X	RSL Level 3 Extended Diploma For Music Practitioners (QCF)	1080

Tech Level Business, Administration and Law – Pending

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)
Medical Services		
601/0557/4	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Medical Administration (QCF)	386

Tech Level Construction, Planning and the Built Environment – Pending

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)
Building Services Engineering for Technicians		
600/7813/3	Pearson Edexcel Level 3 Diploma in Building Services Engineering for Technicians (QCF)	334

Tech Level Engineering and Manufacturing Technologies – Pending

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)
Bus and Coach Engineering and Maintenance		
600/9739/5	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Principles of Bus and Coach Engineering and Maintenance (Body) (QCF)	390
Engineering		
500/7841/0	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Engineering (QCF)	360
600/3888/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Engineering (QCF)	540
501/1130/9	EAL Level 3 Diploma in Engineering Technology (QCF)	600
Manufacturing Engineering		
500/7314/X	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Manufacturing Engineering (QCF)	1080
Mechanical Engineering		
500/7296/1	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Mechanical Engineering (QCF)	1080
Operations and Maintenance Engineering		
501/0544/9	EAL Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Engineering Maintenance (QCF)	303
500/7317/5	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Operations and Maintenance Engineering (QCF)	1080
Electrical Engineering		
600/1221/3	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Electrical Power Engineering - Distribution and Transmission (Technical Knowledge) (QCF)	395
600/2700/9	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma In Electrical Power Engineering - Wind Turbine Maintenance (Technical Knowledge) (QCF)	715
500/8098/2	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Electrical/Electronic Engineering (QCF)	720
500/8097/0	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Electrical/Electronic Engineering (QCF)	1080
Blacksmithing and Metalworking		
501/1220/X	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Blacksmithing and Metalworking (QCF)	360
501/1219/3	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Blacksmithing and Metalworking (QCF)	720
501/1218/1	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Blacksmithing and Metalworking (QCF)	1080

Tech Level Health and Social Care – Pending

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)
Health and Social Care		
501/1258/2	CACHE Level 3 Diploma in Health and Social Care (Adults) for England (QCF)	315
Healthcare Support		
600/6215/0	CACHE Level 3 Diploma in Clinical Healthcare Support (QCF)	373
Pharmaceutical Science		
500/9959/0	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Pharmaceutical Science (QCF)	720

Tech Level Information and Communication Technology – Pending

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)
IT		
600/4237/0	OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Subsidiary Diploma in IT (QCF)	540
600/4231/X	OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Diploma in IT (QCF)	720
600/4234/5	OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Extended Diploma in IT (QCF)	1080
ICT Systems		
501/1585/6	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in ICT Systems Support (QCF)	489
501/0277/1	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in ICT Systems and Principles for IT Professionals (QCF)	595

Tech Level Retail and Commercial Enterprise – Pending

QAN	Qualification Title	Size (GLH) 1 A Level = 360(GLH)
Beauty		
500/9001/X	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma in Hair and Media Make-up (QCF)	437



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