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Introduction

This is the list of qualifications that have been approved by the Department for Education (DfE) for teaching to 16 to 19 year olds from September 2016. These qualifications will be reported in the tech level category of the 2018 16-19 performance tables (to be published in early 2018). They will be reported alongside qualifications such as A Levels and other vocational qualifications.

Tech levels are rigorous advanced (level 3) technical qualifications on a par with A Levels and recognised by employers. They are for students aged 16 plus that want to specialise in a specific industry or prepare for a particular job. They cover jobs and careers where employers recruit people at this level or where a level 3 qualification is needed before students can progress to a related higher education course. Tech levels give students an opportunity to develop specialist knowledge and skills to help them get an apprenticeship or job, for example in engineering, IT, accounting or professional cookery, or progress to a higher level qualification. In some cases, a tech level qualification is a 'licence to practise' or can exempt someone holding the qualification from a professional exam. Tech levels are recognised by trade or professional bodies or at least five employers. Alternatively, the qualification may be accepted by a national licensed professional registration scheme.

The list contains the qualification number and title and links to information about its purpose and value for further study, jobs or careers it could lead to and letters of support from employers and/or employer bodies. This will help students and parents decide which vocational qualifications best meet their learning needs and aspirations.

These links were correct at the time of publication. DfE cannot be held responsible for any omissions after this point. This is because the information is held on the website of the awarding organisation offering the qualification. DfE will ensure that any omissions reported to them are corrected wherever possible. Please report any omissions to: vq.reform@education.gsi.gov.uk

Qualifications that will be reported in performance tables for the first time in 2018 have an asterisk (*) after the title.

Please note: Schools and colleges may offer qualifications that are not included in the performance tables, if approved for teaching to 16-19 year olds where this is the best interests of each of their individual students.

Headline performance measures for 16-19 year olds

In 2013, DfE announced significant reforms to school and college performance tables. These affect the reporting of exam results from the summer of 2016 onwards. The new headline measures for school and college performance will be:

- progress;
- attainment;
- progress in English and maths (for students without a GCSE pass at A*-C in these subjects);
- retention; and
- destination.

From 2016, the attainment and progress measures in 16-18 performance tables will report the following categories of qualification at level 3: academic qualifications (such as A levels); tech levels and applied general qualifications. From 2017, the measures will also report technical certificates at level 2. This can help students and parents decide which courses to take and then select a school or college in their area which offers this course.

Further information can be found at the following link: [16 to 19 accountability headline measures: technical guide](#)

Tech levels count towards the TechBacc (technical baccalaureate) performance measure. This recognises the highest level of technical training achieved by students aged 16-19. To achieve the TechBacc¹, students will need to attain:

- an approved level 3 tech level qualification;
- an approved level 3 mathematics qualification;
- an extended project qualification.

From 2016/17, a funding uplift will be provided for students that successfully complete a large TechBacc programme, where the tech level, level 3 maths and extended project qualification are the size of 4 A levels or larger.

More information about the TechBacc funding uplift is available on page 7 of the [TechBacc performance measure policy document](#).

¹ [Technical baccalaureate measure](#)

Qualifications that will be included in the tech level category in the 2018 16-19 performance tables

Tech levels in agriculture, horticulture and animal care

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|--------------------------|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Agriculture | | | | |
| 601/7557/6 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Certificate in Land and Wildlife Management* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7448/1 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Certificate in Agriculture* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7558/8 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Land and Wildlife Management (540)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7452/3 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Agriculture (540)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7565/5 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Land and Wildlife Management (720)* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7451/1 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Agriculture (720)* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7564/3 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Land and Wildlife Management (1080)* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7459/6 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Agriculture (1080)* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Animal management | | | | |
| 601/7518/7 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Certificate in Animal Management* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7524/2 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Certificate in Animal Management* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7520/5 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Animal Management (540)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7525/4 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Foundation Diploma in Animal Management* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7550/3 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Animal Management (720)* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|-----------------------------------|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 601/7523/0 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Animal Management* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7549/7 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Animal Management (1080)* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7527/8 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Animal Management with Science* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Floristry | | | | |
| 601/7444/4 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Floristry (540)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Forestry and arboriculture | | | | |
| 601/7507/2 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Certificate in Forestry and Arboriculture* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7517/5 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture (1080)* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Horse management | | | | |
| 601/7184/4 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Certificate in Equine Management* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7185/6 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Equine Management (540)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7186/8 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Equine Management (720)* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7187/X | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Equine Management (1080)* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Horticulture | | | | |
| 601/7453/5 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Certificate in Horticulture* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7456/0 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Horticulture (540)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7455/9 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Horticulture (720)* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7454/7 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Horticulture (1080)* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|--|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Land-based engineering technology | | | | |
| 601/7239/3 | IMI Level 3 Extended Diploma in Land-based Engineering Technology (VRQ)* | 693 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7463/8 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Land-based Engineering (1080)* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |

Tech levels in arts, media and publishing

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|--------------------------------------|--|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 3D design and crafts | | | | |
| 601/7224/1 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in 3D Design and Crafts* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Creative and performing arts | | | | |
| 601/7682/9 | RSL Level 3 Diploma in Creative and Performing Arts* | 570 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7683/0 | RSL Level 3 Extended Diploma in Creative and Performing Arts* | 1050 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Digital media | | | | |
| 601/7260/5 | OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Foundation Diploma in Digital Media (VRQ)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7261/7 | OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Diploma in Digital Media (VRQ)* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Digital publishing | | | | |
| 601/7472/9 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Digital Publishing* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Fashion design and production | | | | |
| 601/7225/3 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Fashion Design and Production* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Film and television | | | | |
| 601/7471/7 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Film and Television Visual Effects* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7470/5 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Film and Television Production* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Graphics | | | | |
| 601/7226/5 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Graphics* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Music practitioners | | | | |
| 601/7691/X | RSL Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma for Music Practitioners (QCF)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7693/3 | RSL Level 3 Extended Diploma For Music Practitioners (QCF)* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Music technology | | | | |
| 601/7350/6 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Music Technology* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7351/8 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Music Technology* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |

| Photography | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---|------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 601/7227/7 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Photography* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Sound production | | | | |
| 601/7474/2 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Sound Production* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Video and digital games design | | | | |
| 601/7139/X | AQA Level 3 Foundation Technical Level Entertainment Technology: Video Games Art and Mechanics* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7140/6 | AQA Level 3 Technical Level Entertainment Technology: Video Games Art and Animation* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7473/0 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Digital Games Design and Development* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7141/8 | AQA Level 3 Technical Level Entertainment Technology: Video Games Art and Design* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7142/X | AQA Level 3 Technical Level Entertainment Technology: Video Games Art and Design Production* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |

Tech levels in business, administration and law

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|-------------------------|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Accounting | | | | |
| 601/6554/6 | AAT Advanced Diploma in Accounting - Level 3* | 390 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Business | | | | |
| 601/7147/9 | AQA Level 3 Foundation Technical Level Business: Marketing Communications* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7148/0 | AQA Level 3 Technical Level Business: Marketing* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Legal services | | | | |
| 601/7248/4 | CILEx Level 3 Diploma in Law and Legal Skills* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7401/8 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Certificate for Legal Secretaries* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Medical services | | | | |
| 601/7400/6 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Medical Administration (450)* | 450 | Purpose | Recognition |

Tech levels in child development and well-being

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|--|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Childcare | | | | |
| 601/8436/X | NCFE CACHE Level 3 Certificate in Childcare and Education* | 431 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7439/0 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Early Years and Childcare* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Children's play, learning and development | | | | |
| 601/7570/9 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Foundation Diploma in Children's Play, Learning and Development* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Early years educator | | | | |
| 601/8438/3 | NCFE CACHE Level 3 Diploma in Early Years Education and Care (Early Years Educator)* | 691 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7571/0 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Children's Play, Learning and Development (Early Years Educator)* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/8437/1 | NCFE CACHE Level 3 Diploma in Childcare and Education (Early Years Educator)* | 914 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7440/7 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma for the Early Years Practitioner (Early Years Educator) (1080)* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7572/2 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Children's Play, Learning and Development (Early Years Educator)* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |

Tech levels in construction, planning and the built environment

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|---|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Architectural joinery | | | | |
| 601/7419/5 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Architectural Joinery (450)* | 450 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Bench joinery | | | | |
| 600/8617/8 | Cskills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Bench Joinery (Construction) (QCF) | 885 | Purpose | Recongition |
| Bricklaying | | | | |
| 601/7236/8 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Bricklaying (450)* | 450 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 600/8607/5 | Cskills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Bricklaying (Construction) (QCF) | 675 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Construction and the built environment | | | | |
| 601/4510/9 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Certificate in Constructing the Built Environment* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/4509/2 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Constructing the Built Environment (540)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/4508/0 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Constructing the Built Environment (720)* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/5640/5 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Constructing the Built Environment (1080)* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Electrical installation | | | | |
| 601/7307/5 | City & Guilds Advanced Technical Diploma in Electrical Installation (450)* | 450 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Painting and decorating | | | | |
| 601/7420/1 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Painting and Decorating (450)* | 450 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 600/8610/5 | Cskills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Painting and Decorating (Construction) (QCF) | 869 | Purpose | Recognition |

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|-----------------------|--|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Plastering | | | | |
| 601/7417/1 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Plastering (450)* | 450 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 600/8613/0 | Cskills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Plastering (Construction) (QCF) | 668 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Plumbing | | | | |
| 601/4567/5 | EAL Level 3 Advanced Diploma in Plumbing | 363 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7201/0 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Plumbing (450)* | 450 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Site carpentry | | | | |
| 601/7418/3 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Site Carpentry (450)* | 450 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 600/8604/X | Cskills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Site Carpentry (Construction) (QCF) | 916 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Stonemasonry | | | | |
| 60086269 | Cskills Awards Level 3 Diploma in Stonemasonry - Banker (Construction) (QCF) | 808 | Purpose | Recognition |

Tech levels in engineering and manufacturing

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|---------------------------------|--|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Engineering | | | | |
| 601/7079/7 | AQA Level 3 Foundation Technical Level Engineering* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/4535/3 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Certificate In Engineering | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/4507/9 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Engineering (540) | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/4600/X | OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Foundation Diploma in Engineering (VRQ) | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/4506/7 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Engineering (720) | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/4599/7 | OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Diploma in Engineering (VRQ) | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7580/1 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Engineering* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7588/6 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Engineering* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Aeronautical engineering | | | | |
| 601/7577/1 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Aeronautical Engineering* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7585/0 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Aeronautical Engineering* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Computer engineering | | | | |
| 601/7578/3 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Computer Engineering* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7586/2 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Computer Engineering* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Design engineering | | | | |
| 601/7081/5 | AQA Level 3 Technical Level Engineering: Design Engineering* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Electrical engineering | | | | |
| 601/4563/8 | EAL Level 3 Advanced Diploma in Electrical Installation | 459 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7579/5 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Electrical and Electronic Engineering* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7587/4 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Electrical and Electronic Engineering* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|---|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Engineering technology | | | | |
| 601/4564/X | EAL Level 3 Advanced Diploma in Engineering Technology | 375 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Manufacturing engineering | | | | |
| 601/7582/5 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Manufacturing Engineering* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7589/8 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Manufacturing Engineering* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Mechanical engineering | | | | |
| 601/7583/7 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Mechanical Engineering* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7590/4 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Mechanical Engineering* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Mechatronic engineering | | | | |
| 601/7080/3 | AQA Level 3 Technical Level Engineering: Mechatronic Engineering* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Power network engineering | | | | |
| 601/7082/7 | AQA Level 3 Technical Level Engineering: Power Network Engineering* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Auto-electrical and mobile electrical operations | | | | |
| 601/7238/1 | IMI Level 3 Diploma in Auto-Electrical and Mobile Electrical Operations* | 450 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Automotive industry | | | | |
| 601/7382/8 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Certificate in the Automotive Industry* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7383/X | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in the Automotive Industry (720)* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Heavy vehicle maintenance | | | | |
| 601/7327/0 | IMI Level 3 Diploma in Heavy Vehicle Maintenance* | 574 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Light vehicle maintenance | | | | |
| 601/7325/7 | IMI Level 3 Extended Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance* | 430 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7324/5 | IMI Level 3 Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance (VRQ)* | 452 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Motorcycle maintenance | | | | |
| 601/7328/2 | IMI Level 3 Diploma in Motorcycle Maintenance* | 447 | Purpose | Recognition |

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|--------------------------------|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Motorsport maintenance | | | | |
| 601/7334/8 | IMI Level 3 Extended Diploma in Motorsport Maintenance (VRQ)* | 447 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Vehicle accident repair | | | | |
| 601/7115/7 | IMI Level 3 Diploma in Vehicle Accident Repair - Paint* | 438 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7117/0 | IMI Level 3 Diploma in Vehicle Accident Repair - Body (VRQ)* | 478 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7323/3 | IMI Level 3 Diploma in Vehicle Accident Repair - Multi-Skilled* | 693 | Purpose | Recognition |

Tech levels in health and social care

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|--------------------------------|--|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Health and social care | | | | |
| 601/7207/1 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Health and Care (540)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/8434/6 | NCFE CACHE Level 3 Certificate in Health and Social Care* | 600 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7200/9 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Health and Care (1080)* | 1080 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/8435/8 | NCFE CACHE Level 3 Extended Diploma in Health and Social Care* | 1170 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Complementary therapies | | | | |
| 601/6989/8 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Complementary Therapies* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 600/4895/5 | ITEC Level 3 Diploma in Complementary Therapies | 520 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7355/5 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Complementary Therapies (540)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |

Tech levels in information and communication technology

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|--------------------------------|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| IT | | | | |
| 601/7099/2 | OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Introductory Diploma in IT (VRQ)* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7100/5 | OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Foundation Diploma in IT (VRQ)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7101/7 | OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Diploma in IT (VRQ)* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| ICT systems and support | | | | |
| 601/7126/1 | AQA Level 3 Foundation Technical Level IT: Technical Support* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7128/5 | AQA Level 3 Technical Level IT: Networking* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7130/3 | AQA Level 3 Technical Level IT: User Support* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7339/7 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Computer Systems and Network Support* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7337/3 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Business Information Systems* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Computing | | | | |
| 601/7124/8 | AQA Level 3 Foundation Technical Level IT: Cyber Security* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7125/X | AQA Level 3 Foundation Technical Level IT: Scripting and App Programming* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7127/3 | AQA Level 3 Technical Level IT: Cyber Security and Security Administration* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7129/7 | AQA Level 3 Technical Level IT: Programming* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7340/3 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Computing for Creative Industries* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7338/5 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Computer Science* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Digital technologies | | | | |
| 601/4513/4 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Certificate in Digital Technologies | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/4511/0 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Digital Technologies (720) | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |

Tech levels in sport, leisure and recreation

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|--|--|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Sport and active leisure | | | | |
| 601/1894/5 | ITEC Level 3 Diploma in Personal Training (Gym-Based Exercise) (QCF) | 346 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7001/3 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Personal Training* | 431 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7095/5 | OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Foundation Diploma in Sport and Physical Activity (VRQ)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7096/7 | OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Diploma in Sport and Physical Activity (VRQ)* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7215/0 | Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Fitness Services* | 720 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6042/1 | Active IQ Level 3 Diploma In Physical Activity, Fitness and Exercise Science (QCF)* | 900 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Massage and therapies for sport | | | | |
| 601/7002/5 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Massage and Therapies for Sport* | 400 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Travel and tourism | | | | |
| 601/7515/1 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Business Travel (450)* | 450 | Purpose | Recognition |

Tech levels in retail, hospitality and commercial enterprise

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|---------------------|--|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Hairdressing | | | | |
| 601/7004/9 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Hairdressing for Colour Technicians* | 360 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6990/4 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Hairdressing* | 365 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6992/8 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Barbering* | 370 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6996/5 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Hairdressing for Chemical Technicians* | 385 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6994/1 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Hairdressing for Cutting and Styling Technicians* | 385 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6993/X | VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Barbering* | 435 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6991/6 | VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Hairdressing* | 440 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7346/4 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Barbering (450)* | 450 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7348/8 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Hairdressing (540)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| Beauty | | | | |
| 601/6979/5 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Make-up Techniques* | 365 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6975/8 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Massage Therapies* | 370 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/0586/0 | ITEC Level 3 Diploma in Spa and Body Treatments | 374 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6984/9 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Nail Technologies* | 375 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/0591/4 | ITEC Level 3 Diploma in Massage and Electrotherapy Treatments | 380 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6982/5 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy* | 380 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/0585/9 | ITEC Level 3 Diploma in Nail Treatments | 385 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6987/4 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Theatrical and Media Make-up* | 410 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6977/1 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Spa Therapy* | 410 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6981/3 | VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Beauty Make-up Techniques* | 440 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/7492/4 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma in Nail Technology (450)* | 450 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6986/2 | VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Nail Technologies* | 450 | Purpose | Recognition |

| QN | Qualification title | Size (GLH) | Qualification Purpose Statement | Recognition Evidence |
|--|---|------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 601/6983/7 | VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Beauty Therapy* | 470 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6976/X | VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Massage Therapies* | 475 | Purpose | Recognition |
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| 601/6997/7 | VTCT Level 3 Diploma in Advanced Professional Cookery* | 450 | Purpose | Recongnition |
| 601/7462/6 | City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Diploma for Professional Chefs (540)* | 540 | Purpose | Recognition |
| 601/6998/9 | VTCT Level 3 Extended Diploma in Advanced Professional Cookery* | 600 | Purpose | Recongnition |
| Food and beverage service supervision | | | | |
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