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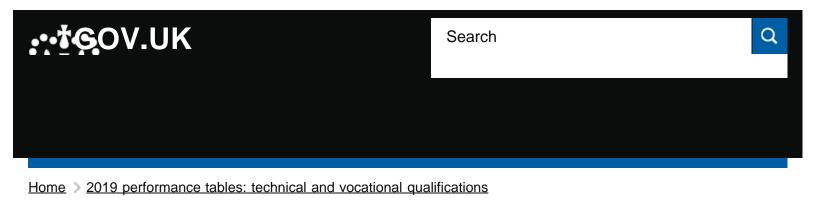
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Technical awards are high quality level 1 and 2 qualifications that provides 14 to 16 year olds with applied knowledge and practical skills.

Qualifications added in April 2017 are marked with an asterisk (*).

Subject Area	QN	Qualification Title	Level	Size (glh)
Accounting, law and personal finance	601/1239/6	LIBF Level 2 Certificate in Financial Education	Level 2	130
Agriculture, horticulture and animal care	601/7240/X	City & Guilds Level 2 Technical Award in Land Based Studies	Level 2	120
Agriculture, horticulture and animal care	601/4530/4	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 First Award in Animal Care	Level 1/2	120
Arts, media and publishing	600/7043/2	OCR Level 1/2 Cambridge National Certificate in Creative iMedia	Level 1/2	120
Arts, media and publishing	600/4781/1	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 First Award in Art and Design	Level 1/2	120
Arts, media and publishing	600/6831/0	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 First Award in Creative Digital Media Production	Level 1/2	120
Arts, media and publishing	600/6818/8	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 First Award in Music	Level	120

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Arts, media and publishing	603/0406/6	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 Tech Award in Performing Arts	Level 1/2	120
Arts, media and publishing	601/7679/9	RSL Level 1 Certificate in Creative and Performing Arts	Level 1	120
Arts, media and publishing	601/7680/5	RSL Level 2 Certificate in Creative and Performing Arts	Level 2	120
Arts, media and publishing	603/0844/8	NCFE Level 1 Technical Award in Graphic Design*	Level 1	130
Arts, media and publishing	603/0845/X	NCFE Level 2 Technical Award in Graphic Design*	Level 2	130
Arts, media and publishing	603/0851/5	NCFE Level 1 Technical Award in Interactive Media*	Level 1	135
Arts, media and publishing	603/0852/7	NCFE Level 2 Technical Award in Interactive Media*	Level 2	135
Arts, media and publishing	601/6777/4	NCFE Level 1 Technical Award in Music Technology	Level 1	144
Arts, media and publishing	601/6774/9	NCFE Level 2 Technical Award In Music Technology (VRQ)	Level 2	144
Arts, media and publishing	600/6652/0	RSL Level 1 Certificate in Composition for Music Practitioners	Level 1	150
Arts, media and publishing	600/6651/9	RSL Level 1 Certificate in Performance for Music Practitioners	Level 1	150
Arts, media and publishing	600/6653/2	RSL Level 1 Certificate in Technology for Music Practitioners	Level 1	150
Arts, media and publishing	600/6656/8	RSL Level 2 Certificate in Composition for Music Practitioners	Level 2	150
Arts, media and publishing	600/6655/6	RSL Level 2 Certificate in Performance for Music Practitioners	Level 2	150
Arts, media and publishing	600/6657/X	RSL Level 2 Certificate in Technology for Music Practitioners	Level 2	150
Business and administration	603/0646/4	OCR Level 1/2 Cambridge National Certificate in Enterprise and Marketing*	Level 1/2	120
Business and administration	600/4786/0	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 First Award in Business	Level 1/2	120
Child development and well-being	601/7537/0	OCR Level 1/2 Cambridge National Certificate in Child Development	Level 1/2	120
Child development and well-being	600/6644/1	NCFE CACHE Level 2 Award in Child Development and Care	Level	125

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Construction, planning and the built environment	601/7245/9	City & Guilds Level 2 Technical Award in Constructing and Maintaining the Built Environment	Level 2	120
Construction, planning and the built environment	601/7246/0	City & Guilds Level 2 Technical Award in Designing and Planning the Built Environment	Level 2	120
Construction, planning and the built environment	600/6817/6	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 First Award in Construction and the Built Environment	Level 1/2	120
Construction, planning and the built environment	601/1198/7	TLM Level 1 Certificate in Designing, Engineering and Constructing a Sustainable Built Environment	Level 1	120
Construction, planning and the built environment	601/1199/9	TLM Level 2 Certificate in Designing, Engineering, and Constructing a Sustainable Built Environment	Level 2	120
Construction, planning and the built environment	601/0426/0	WJEC Level 1/2 Vocational Award In Designing the Built Environment	Level 1/2	120
Construction, planning and the built environment	601/1271/2	WJEC Level 1/2 Vocational Award In Planning and Maintaining the Built Environment	Level 1/2	120
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/7542/4	ABC Level 1 Award in Automotive Studies	Level 1	120
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/7241/1	City & Guilds Level 2 Technical Award in Engineering	Level 2	120
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	603/0310/4	City & Guilds Level 2 Technical Award in Vehicle Technology	Level 2	120
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/1411/3	OCR Level 1/2 Cambridge National Certificate in Engineering Design	Level 1/2	120
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/1219/0	OCR Level 1/2 Cambridge National Certificate in Engineering Manufacture	Level 1/2	120
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/1273/6	OCR Level 1/2 Cambridge National Certificate in Principles in Engineering and Engineering Business	Level 1/2	120
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/1407/1	OCR Level 1/2 Cambridge National Certificate in Systems Control in Engineering	Level 1/2	120
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	600/4788/4	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 First Award in Engineering	Level 1/2	120
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/0924/5	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 First Award in Engineering Design and Product Investigation	Level 1/2	120
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/0925/7	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 First Award in Engineering Electronics and Computer Control Technologies	Level 1/2	120
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	603/0829/1	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 Tech Award in Engineering*	Level 1/2	120
Engineering, manufacturing and	601/4557/2	TLM Level 1 Certificate In Smart Product Design and Manufacture	Level	120

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Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/4558/4	TLM Level 2 Certificate in Smart Product Design and Manufacture	Level 2	120
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	600/8645/2	WJEC Level 1/2 Vocational Award In Engineering	Level 1/2	120
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Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/4532/8	NCFE Level 2 Certificate in Engineering Studies	Level 2	125
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/4560/2	EAL Level 1 Foundation Certificate in Engineering Technology	Level 1	160
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Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/0532/X	IMI Level 2 Certificate in Service and Maintenance Engineering (VRQ)*	Level 2	228
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	600/6867/X	EAL Level 2 First Certificate in Engineering Technology	Level 2	230
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/0541/0	IMI Level 1 Diploma in Service and Maintenance Engineering (VRQ)*	Level 1	274
Engineering, manufacturing and transportation operations	601/0542/2	IMI Level 2 Diploma in Service and Maintenance Engineering (VRQ)*	Level 2	274
Hair and beauty	601/7247/2	City & Guilds Level 2 Technical Award in Hair and Beauty Studies	Level 2	120
Hair and beauty	601/0556/2	VTCT Level 2 Certificate in Hairdressing and Beauty Therapy (VRQ)	Level 2	120
Hair and beauty	601/7702/0	WJEC Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Event Operations (Specification A)	Level 1/2	120
Health and social care	600/4780/X	OCR Level 1/2 Cambridge National Certificate in Health and Social Care	Level 1/2	120
Health and social care	603/0395/5	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 Tech Award in Health and Social Care	Level 1/2	120
Hospitality and catering	601/7244/7	City & Guilds Level 2 Technical Award in Cookery and Service for the Hospitality Industry	Level 2	120
Hospitality and catering	600/7044/4	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 First Award in Hospitality	Level 1/2	120
Hospitality and catering	601/7703/2	WJEC Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Hospitality and Catering	Level	120

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Hospitality and catering	601/4661/8	NCFE Level 1 Certificate in Food and Cookery	Level 1	121
Hospitality and catering	601/4533/X	NCFE Level 2 Certificate in Food and Cookery	Level 2	122
ICT	601/7242/3	City & Guilds Level 2 Technical Award in Digital Technologies	Level 2	120
ICT	600/6627/1	Pearson Edexcel Level 2 Certificate in Digital Applications	Level 2	120
ICT	601/4559/6	TLM Level 1 Certificate In Open Systems and Enterprise	Level 1	120
Retail	600/8330/X	WJEC Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Retail Business	Level 1/2	120
Sport	600/5121/8	OCR Level 1/2 Cambridge National Certificate in Sport Science	Level 1/2	120
Sport	600/5123/1	OCR Level 1/2 Cambridge National Certificate in Sport Studies	Level 1/2	120
Sport	600/4779/3	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 First Award in Sport	Level 1/2	120
Sport	601/4662/X	NCFE Level 1 Certificate in Health and Fitness	Level 1	122
Sport	601/4534/1	NCFE Level 2 Certificate in Health and Fitness	Level 2	122
Sport	601/7678/7	1st4sport Level 2 Certificate in Active Leisure, Sport and Physical Activities*	Level 2	126
Travel and tourism	600/6512/6	Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 First Award in Travel and Tourism	Level 1/2	120
Travel and tourism	600/9908/2	WJEC Level 1/2 Vocational Award in Tourism	Level 1/2	120

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