



Qualifications and  
Curriculum Authority

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# **Report on vocational learning provision at key stage 4**

## **Annex 2: Qualifications data**

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Based on 2003/4 Academic year data from NISVQ

Please note 'other' VQs includes Entry level, OQ, Other VQ, KS, SS and VRQs

### 1. Health & Social Care

Total certificates awarded	<b>82916</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>80782</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>1719</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>415</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>5</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>5</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>1</b>
				Max	<b>1</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>410</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>20</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>20.5</b>
				Max	<b>204</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>

### 2. Public Services

Total certificates awarded	<b>152</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>0</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>0</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>152</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>3</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>1</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>3</b>
				Max	<b>3</b>
				Min	<b>3</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>149</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>4</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>37.3</b>
				Max	<b>129</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>

### 3. Land Based and Environment

Total certificates awarded	<b>603</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>0</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>57</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>546</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>226</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>10</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>22.6</b>
				Max	<b>66</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>320</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>22</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>14.5</b>
				Max	<b>121</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>

### 4. Engineering

Total certificates awarded	<b>79060</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>77548</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>191</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>1321</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>510</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>12</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>42.5</b>
				Max	<b>282</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>811</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>34</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>23.9</b>
				Max	<b>156</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>

### 5. Manufacturing

Total certificates awarded	<b>257974</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>257711</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>202</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>61</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>12</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>3</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>4</b>
				Max	<b>10</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>49</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>6</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>8.2</b>
				Max	<b>23</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>

## 6. Construction and the built environment

Total certificates awarded	<b>1631</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>0</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>199</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>1432</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>4</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>2</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>2</b>
				Max	<b>3</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>1428</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>32</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>44.6</b>
				Max	<b>960</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>

## 7. Information and Communication Technology

Total certificates awarded	<b>174800</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>132083</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>35555</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>7162</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>27</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>7</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>3.9</b>
				Max	<b>9</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>7135</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>47</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>151.8</b>
				Max	<b>2526</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>

**8. Retail**

Total certificates awarded	<b>117</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>0</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>0</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>117</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>47</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>9</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>5.2</b>
				Max	<b>19</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>70</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>6</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>11.7</b>
				Max	<b>54</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>

**9. Hospitality and Catering**

Total certificates awarded	<b>880</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>0</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>0</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>880</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>488</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>18</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>27.1</b>
				Max	<b>157</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>392</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>18</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>21.8</b>
				Max	<b>137</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>

**10. Hair and Beauty**

Total certificates awarded	<b>1435</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>0</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>0</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>1435</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>1167</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>9</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>129.7</b>
				Max	<b>605</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>268</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>25</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>10.7</b>
				Max	<b>89</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>

## 11. Sport and Leisure

Total certificates awarded	<b>14154</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>12800</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>1065</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>289</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>58</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>8</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>7.3</b>
				Max	<b>28</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>231</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>10</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>23.1</b>
				Max	<b>104</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>

## 12. Travel and Tourism

Total certificates awarded	<b>10975</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>10820</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>0</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>155</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>2</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>2</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>1</b>
				Max	<b>1</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>153</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>11</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>13.9</b>
				Max	<b>99</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>

### 13. Creative and Media

Total certificates awarded	<b>484468</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>482071</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>2267</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>130</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>1</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>1</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>1</b>
				Max	<b>1</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>149</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>40</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>3.7</b>
				Max	<b>66</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>

### 14. Business Administration and Finance

Total certificates awarded	<b>99677</b>
Total GCSE certificates (incl. vGCSEs)	<b>96673</b>
Total GNVQ certificates	<b>1935</b>

Total certificates minus GCSEs and GNVQs	<b>1069</b>				
Total NVQ certificates	<b>141</b>	Number of NVQs offered	<b>17</b>	Mean certificates per NVQ	<b>8.3</b>
				Max	<b>80</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>
Total other VQ certificates	<b>928</b>	Number of other VQs offered	<b>41</b>	Mean certificates per other VQ	<b>22.6</b>
				Max	<b>142</b>
				Min	<b>1</b>