

BTEC Level 1 Introductory Diploma

VOCATIONAL STUDIES

The BTEC Level 1 Introductory Diploma in Vocational Studies is a one year course. Learners study several units from different vocational areas. These units provide learners with an opportunity to develop a knowledge and understanding of vocational areas such as Business Studies, ICT, Health and Social Care and Art and Design before making further course choices or occupational decisions on progressing to Level 2. In addition to this, learners will also study either GCSE or Functional Skills English and Mathematics depending on their grades.

Specific course entry requirements

To study the Level 1 programme you will have achieved a minimum of three 2 grades in your GCSEs, in addition to a grade 2 in English Language (please refer to the Entry Requirements section for further details).

How will I be assessed?

All units are coursework based. Learners are required to receive a recommendation to progress, together with the appropriate grade in Functional Skills, in order to advance to a Level 2 course. English and Mathematics are assessed by examination.

Where will this course lead me?

On successful completion of the course, learners may progress to Level 2 programmes in college, or undertake training courses or employment. Learners with an Education, Health and Social Care Plan may progress to a supported internship.