



Introducing **BTEC**

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With the global education and labour markets accessible to all as never before, students from all over the world are looking for qualifications that open doors to their futures.

BTEC qualifications from Edexcel International give learners the opportunity to progress their education worldwide, as well as a passport to the global workplace.

A benchmark in global education

More than 400,000 students from all over the world study for BTEC qualifications every year. Institutions and students around the world trust the BTEC brand to provide quality vocational qualifications that add global recognition to their chosen course of study.

Whether a programme is delivered in London, Kuala Lumpur, Dubai or Beijing, units and learning outcomes are identical, awarding candidates with a globally standardised and widely-recognised qualification.

Edexcel works closely with key decision makers in education to ensure its qualifications remain up-to-date, valued and recognised. These include governments, academic institutions, professional organisations and employers worldwide.

Whether a student wants to leave college with a certified record of achievement, go to study at university or progress in their chosen career, our vocational qualifications provide the relevant skills needed to succeed in the global workplace.

A passport to opportunity

BTEC qualifications are designed to produce students ready for a degree course or the workplace. BTEC Higher National Diplomas (HNDs) can be studied locally, and are recognised for advanced entry by universities all over the world. Often students need only complete one year of study after completing their BTEC HND to achieve their degree.

- Employers worldwide appreciate career-specific courses that keep up with the cutting edge of technology and latest industry practices.
- Universities recognise and understand the BTEC brand as a global guarantee of achievement.
- Students enjoy the work-related content because it provides important practical knowledge and skills that will enable them to secure the jobs they want.
- Employees enjoy the vocational content because they can retrain or gain higher level qualifications whilst in work.

Flexibility and focus

Centres can use the BTEC Customised Framework to create short programmes of study that meet specific local or industry needs.

As with all BTEC qualifications, students can be confident that the BTEC brand will offer excellent progression to universities and companies all over the world.



The Edexcel International Framework

Level	London Examinations	BTEC Qualifications	BTEC Short Courses
5		BTEC Diploma in Management Studies	BTEC Short Courses
4		BTEC Foundation Degree BTEC Higher National Diploma BTEC Higher National Certificate BTEC Certificate in Management Studies	BTEC Short Courses
3	AEA GCE A Level GCE AS Level VCE	BTEC National Diploma BTEC National Certificate BTEC National Award	BTEC Short Courses
2	GCSE/IGCSE (grades A* to C) GCE O Level (grades A to C) Intermediate GNVQ	BTEC First Diploma BTEC First Certificate	BTEC Short Courses
1	GCSE/IGCSE (grades D to G) GCE O Level (grades D and E) Foundation GNVQ	BTEC Introductory Diploma BTEC Introductory Certificate	BTEC Short Courses
Entry	Entry Level Certificate	BTEC Life Skills, BTEC Skills for Working Life	

Subjects covered by BTEC Nationals and Higher Nationals

Art and Design	Health & Care	Media, Music & Performing Arts
Business	Hospitality & Catering	Public Services
Construction	IT & Computing	Retail
E-business	Land-based	Science
Engineering	Leisure, Sport, Travel & Tourism	

A global presence, a local partner

At Edexcel we pride ourselves on our understanding of the countries we provide qualifications to. We understand that many learners cannot, or do not wish to study for a recognised qualification in English. As a result, many of our qualifications can now be studied and assessed in a variety of languages throughout the world. This also gives our centres access to more students in their own countries and beyond.

If you would like to offer BTEC qualifications at your institution, an extensive network of regional offices and representatives ensures that support is never far away should you need it.

Next Steps

If you are interested in becoming an Edexcel International BTEC centre, or would like to find a centre in your area, contact our International Customer Relations Unit on +44 20 7758 5656.

To find out more about BTEC qualifications you can email us at international@edexcel.org.uk, or visit our website www.edexcel.org.uk/international. Alternatively, contact your Regional Office.

Unparalleled breadth, unparalleled quality

Edexcel International has the widest range of academic and vocational qualifications available to schools, colleges and organisations worldwide. Edexcel is the largest international awarding body that is approved by the official UK authorities, the Qualifications and Curriculum Authority (QCA). As such, our centres can be confident that their students are meeting rigorous standards of achievement, giving them the educational and professional progression of their choice.

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About Edexcel

Edexcel is one of the UK's largest providers of qualifications, with the widest portfolio of academic and vocational qualifications.

Regulated by the Qualifications and Curriculum Authority (QCA) to offer qualifications, Edexcel works with over 5,500 education partners in over 110 countries.