Qualifications & Job Levels

	Occupational	Applied & Vocational	General & Academic	Job Levels
7-8	NVQ 5 Professional Diplomas	Post Graduate Diplomas & Certificates	Doctorates Masters Degrees	Professional & Senior Management
4-6	NVQ 4 Other job specific awards eg level 4 Diploma for Home Inspectors	Higher Education Diplomas & Certificates Foundation Degrees	Honours Degrees	Management/ Supervisory
3	NVQ 3 Other job specific awards eg Rockschool Performing Musician	Advanced/ Progression Diplomas BTEC, City & Guilds & OCR National level 3 diplomas, certificates & awards	AS & A2 International Baccalaureate	Technician
2	NVQ 2 Other job specific awards eg RHS Certificate in Horticulture	Higher Diplomas BTEC, City & Guilds & OCR National level 2 diplomas, certificates & awards	GCSE grades A*- C Functional skills English, Maths & ICT	Skilled
1	NVQ 1 Other job specific awards eg BVNA Animal Assistant	Foundation Diplomas BTEC, City & Guilds & OCR National level 1 diplomas, certificates & awards	GCSE grades D - G Functional skills English, Maths & ICT	Semi-skilled
Entry level	Entry Certificates Skills for Working Life	Entry Certificates in vocational subjects	Entry Certificates of Education Certificate in Life Skills	Limited skills/ Unskilled

FOUNDATION LEARNING

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