

KS5 Accreditation

In Key Stage 5 (KS5), pupils engage in the Open Awards Skills for Further Learning and Employment program, which serves as a strong foundation for vocational education and training. This program combines personal development and employability skills with an introduction to various vocational sectors. Pupils also have the option to take Functional Skills tests in Maths and English at Entry Levels 1, 2, or 3. Below is an overview of the units covered each year, along with the schedule for when these units will be taught.

There are multiple pathways in our post-16 provision, ensuring that regardless of whether students stay for 1, 2, or 3 years, they will always leave with a qualification.

Award	Certificate	Extended Certificate	Diploma
6 Credits	13 Credits	24 Credits	37 Credits
2 from Mandatory Units Group A 2 from Optional Units Groups B1-B4 2 from Pathway Units Groups C1-C9	2 from Mandatory Units Group A 7 from Optional Units Groups B1-B4 4 from Pathway Units Groups C1-C9	2 from Mandatory Units Group A 14 from Optional Units Groups B1-B4 8 from Pathway Units Groups C1-C9	2 from Mandatory Units Group A 23 from Optional Units Groups B1-B4 12 from Pathway Units Groups C1-C9

Entry Level One				
KS5 Accreditation Overview	Year 1 (23-24)	Year 2 (24-25)	Year 3 (25-26)	
Group A	*Personal Action Planning – 2 Credits	*Personal Action Planning – 2 Credits	*Personal Action Planning – 2 Credits	
Group B	B1 – Volunteering – 2 Credits B2 – E-Safety – 3 Credits B4 – Money – 3 Credits B4 – Developing Independent Communication Skills – 3 Credits <u>SLD Learners</u> B3 – Developing Self Awareness: All About Me – 3 Credits B4 – Early Mathematics: Position – 2 Credits	B1 – Developing Skills for the Workplace: Getting Things Done – 4 Credits B4 – Identifying Hour and Minute Hands on Analogue Clock Faces – 1 Credit B4 – Time and Date – 1 Credit B4 – Understanding AM and PM – 1 Credit <u>SLD Learners</u> B4 – Counting to Ten – 1 Credit B4 – Comparing Numbers from Zero to Ten – 1 Credit B4 – Developing Writing Skills – 3 Credits	B2 – Personal Presentation – 3 Credits B2 – Health and Hygiene – 3 Credits B4 – Using Writing Skills in the Workplace – 2 Credits B4 – Planning Progress for English Skills – 1 Credit <u>SLD Learners</u> B2 – Personal Care and Hygiene – 3 Credits B4 – Developing Reading Skills – 3 Credits	
Group C	C3 – Kitchen Hygiene – 1 Credit <u>SLD Learners</u> C3 – Kitchen Hygiene – 1 Credit	C2 – Participating in an Enterprise Project – 6 Credits C2 – Making a Product – 2 Credits <u>SLD Learners</u> C8 – Getting on with other people – 4 Credits C9 – Health and Fitness – 3 Credits	C4 – Taking Photographs – 2 Credits C7 – Gardening – 3 Credits <u>SLD Learners</u> C4 – Communicating with Art – 3 Credits	

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Entry Level Two			
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Group A	*Personal Action Planning – 2 Credits	*Personal Action Planning – 2 Credits	*Personal Action Planning – 2 Credits
Group B	B2 – E-Safety – 3 Credits B3 – Money – 3 Credits B4 – Communicate to give and receive information – 1 Credit	B1 – Completing tasks at work – 3 Credits B1 – Making Informed Career Choices – 2 Credits B3 – Reading Approximate Times – 1 Credit B3 – Time and Date – 1 Credit B3 – Working Out Change – 1 Credit	B1 – Preparing and Taking Part in an interview – 2 Credits B2 – Personal Health – 3 Credits B2 – Understanding a balanced Diet – 2 Credits B3 – Using ICT Skills in a workplace – 2 Credits
Group C	C3 – Kitchen Hygiene – 1 Credit C9 – Participation in Team Activities – 3 Credits	C2 – Participating in an Enterprise Project – 6 Credits C2 – Making a Product – 2 Credits	C7 – Accessing the Countryside – 3 Credits C9 – Hobbies – 2 Credits

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