

Edexcel BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Applied Science (Forensic Science)

The Edexcel BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Applied Science (Forensic Science) is a 120-credit and 720 guided learning hour (GLH) qualification that consists of six mandatory units plus optional units that provide for a combined total of 120 credits (where at least 90 credits must be at level 3 or above).

The units for the BTEC qualifications in this specification are available on our website (www.edexcel.com).

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Unit	Mandatory units	Credit	Level
1	Fundamentals of Science	10	3
2	Working in the Science Industry	10	3
3	Scientific Investigations	10	3
4	Scientific Practical Techniques	10	3
5	Perceptions of Science	10	3
6	Using Mathematical Tools in Science	5	2
Unit	Specialist units - select unit(s) to give an overall total of 180 credits		
7	Mathematical Calculations for Science	5	3
8	Using Statistics in Science	5	3
10	Using Science in the Workplace	10	3
18	Genetics and Genetic Engineering	10	3
20	Medical Physics Techniques	10	3
22	Chemical Laboratory Techniques	10	3
31	Criminology	10	3
32	Forensic Evidence Collection and Analysis	10	3
33	Forensic Photography	10	3
34	Criminal Psychology	10	3
35	Applications of Forensic Psychology	10	3
36	Forensic Fire Investigation	10	3
37	Forensic Science Informatics	10	3
38	Traffic Accident Investigation	10	3
39	Criminal Investigation Procedures	10	3
40	Criminal Investigation in Practice	10	3