

# Your BTEC Nationals Progression - Choice - Relevance

Your stepping  
stone to Higher  
Education



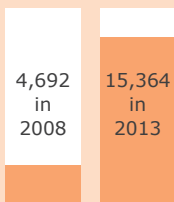
## More than 50%

of 20- to 30-year-olds going on to higher education have progressed via studying a BTEC. Source: Which? University



## 85% of BTEC students

who have progressed to further study expect to derive long-term benefit from their BTEC studies. London Economics Report, 2010



The number of students with a **mix of A levels and BTECs** accepted into UK higher education courses has grown from **4,692 in 2008** to **15,364 in 2013**.

Source: Higher Education Statistics Agency (HESA)



**Over 150** universities and higher education colleges in the UK that offer degree courses accept BTECs – that's 95% of UK universities and colleges.

The **acceptance rate** for 18 year olds holding BTECs increased to **81% in 2013**, the highest ever recorded level.

UCAS, 2014



**Navdeep Dhillon, BA (Hons) Marketing, Advertising and PR from Birmingham City University** studied a BTEC Certificate in Business at Aldridge School Sixth Form.

"The **BTEC** course prepared me not only to **build on current skills** but to **work independently and in groups**. By studying a vocational course I had the **advantage** of learning how to **balance my workload, manage my time and prepare for exams.**"

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