

# BTEC Awards 2021 - Criteria for Learners

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<b>All subject sector awards</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BTEC Art and Design Learner of the Year 2021</li> <li>• BTEC Business and Enterprise Learner of the Year 2021</li> <li>• BTEC Child and Social Care Learner of the Year 2021</li> <li>• BTEC Construction Learner of the Year 2021</li> <li>• BTEC Creative Media Learner of the Year 2021</li> <li>• BTEC Engineering Learner of the Year 2021</li> <li>• BTEC Hospitality, Travel and Tourism Learner of the Year 2021</li> <li>• BTEC IT and Computing Learner of the Year 2021</li> </ul>	<p><b>Region</b></p> <p>We will accept nominations for this category from approved BTEC providers in any country in the world - there are no territorial restrictions.</p> <p><b>Age</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nominees must be at least 14 years of age on the day they formally registered for their BTEC</li> <li>• There is no upper age limit on this award.</li> </ul> <p><b>Who can nominate</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learners must be nominated by a teacher, tutor, head of department or trainer associated with delivering their BTEC.</li> <li>• Learners may not nominate themselves.</li> <li>• Parents may not nominate learners.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Entrants will:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• have achieved or be on course to achieve excellent BTEC grades OR will have delivered or be on course to deliver excellent performance in their BTEC.</li> <li>• be committed vocational learners and role models OR be held in the highest regard by their colleagues.</li> <li>• have a strong work ethic, an excellent track record of success and well-defined goals</li> <li>• be able to demonstrate a commitment to and enthusiasm for applying that learning within their chosen sector that extends well beyond their day-to-day course requirements OR have a strong work ethic, an excellent track record for success, well-defined goals and will be an advocate for BTEC in their local community</li> </ul>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BTEC Land-based Learner of the Year 2021</li> <li>• BTEC Music Learner of the Year 2021</li> <li>• BTEC Performing Arts Learner of the Year 2021</li> <li>• BTEC Public Services Learner of the Year 2021</li> <li>• BTEC Science Learner of the Year 2021</li> <li>• BTEC Sport Learner of the Year 2021</li> </ul>	<p><b>BTEC qualifications and courses studied</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learners must be studying or have completed one or more of the following: BTEC Entry Level, BTEC Level 1, BTEC Workskills, BTEC Specialist, BTEC Tech Award, BTEC First, BTEC Level 2 Technical, BTEC National, BTEC Higher National Certificate (HNC), BTEC Higher National Diploma (HND), BTEC Professional, BTEC International Level 2, BTEC International Level 3, BTEC International Specialist and Professional.</li> <li>• Learner nominees must have received, or be due to receive, their final BTEC grades between 1st June 2020 – 30th June 2021.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• be independent thinkers and proactive learners capable of truly excelling in their chosen field OR be an independent thinker, a team player and a proactive learner capable of truly excelling in their chosen field.</li> </ul> <p>Previous BTEC learner winners have achieved top grades and have demonstrated extra-curricular excellence by acting as ambassadors for their sector and for BTECs in general.</p> <p>This may have been through receiving or being nominated for industry awards in their sector, or by demonstrating particular resilience in pursuing their BTEC and chosen career path.</p>