



Pearson Higher National Qualifications: University Progression

BTEC Higher National Progression Routes

This list highlights institutions that either recognise Higher National Qualifications or offer potential progression pathways from BTEC Higher National qualifications to undergraduate degrees.

Please note that these may not be the only universities recognising Higher National qualifications or offering clear progression routes to degree programs. It is always worth checking with any university you are interested in applying to, as recognition can vary between departments or even courses, and may depend on the individual applicant.

Be sure to review the universities' admissions and course pages for qualification requirements and follow up with the relevant universities or departments if needed. Additionally, the recognition of qualifications and the availability of progression pathways can change at any time, so it's important to confirm the most up-to-date information.

Please keep in mind that the final admission decision, in all cases, rests with the institution of choice.

Credit Transfer Agreements

The list highlights in **Purple** institutions that offer specific progression pathways from BTEC Higher National qualifications to undergraduate degree. These progression pathways often enable direct entry into Year 2 or Year 3 of a degree.

You can use our [Degree Finder](#) to explore available degrees, institutions, entry requirements, and application guidance. For additional details, including English language requirements and tuition fees, please refer to the individual institution's website. Please note that the final admission decision rests with the institution of your choice.

Recognition of Higher National Qualifications

Universities that consider applications from students on an individual basis are highlighted in black below. Please contact these universities directly to discuss your individual situation.

Our lists are continually being updated as we receive information from universities. Please let us know if you need us to discuss consideration of your Higher National with a university. You can email us at progression@pearson.com.

Black Institution Titles: Institutions consider applications from BTEC Higher National qualifications students on an individual basis

Purple Institution Titles: Institutions offer specific progression pathways from BTEC Higher National qualifications to undergraduate degree. These can be searched for using [Degree Finder](#). If your course is not included on [Degree Finder](#) at these institutions, please contact the university directly to discuss.

Australia

Australian Catholic University
Bond University
Canberra University
Central Queensland University
Charles Darwin University
[Charles Sturt University, Melbourne](#)
[Charles Sturt University, Online](#)
[Charles Sturt University, Port Macquarie](#)
[Charles Sturt University, Sydney](#)
Curtin University
Edith Cowan University
Flinders University
[Griffith University \(Gold Coast and Nathan\)](#)
[Griffith University \(Gold Coast\)](#)
James Cook University
Macquarie University
Monash University
Murdoch University
Queensland University of Technology
Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology (RMIT)
Southern Cross University
[Swinburne University of Technology](#)
University of Adelaide
University of New England
University of Queensland
University of South Australia
University of Sydney
University of Technology Sydney
University of Western Australia
University of Wollongong
UTS College
[Western Sydney University](#)
[Western Sydney University \(Paramatta South Campus\)](#)

Belgium

UC Leuven Limburg

Brunei

JPMC College of Health Sciences (Nursing Courses)

Cambodia

[De Montford University Cambodia](#)

Canada

Acadia University
Algoma University
Brandon University
Brock University
Cape Breton University
International Language Academy of Canada
Mount Saint Vincent University
Queen's University
[Royal Roads University](#)
Toronto Metropolitan University
[University Canada West](#)
University of Alberta
University of Lethbridge
University of Tasmania
University of Waterloo
Vancouver Island University

China

New York University Shanghai

China (Macau)

University of Saint Joseph

Cyprus

City Unity College Nicosia
[The Cyprus Institute of Marketing Cyprus Business School \(Nicosia and Limassol\)](#)
University of Central Lancashire

Czech Republic

Anglo-American University

Czech Technical University in Prague
Prague College
University of New York in Prague

Egypt
Coventry University (Egypt Campus)
Finland
HELBUS

France
College de Paris
EEGP Design Institute
EM Normandie Business School
Paris College of Art
PPA Business School

Germany
AFUM
Catalyst - Institute for Creative Arts & Technology
Cologne Business School
dBs Berlin
Globe Business College Munich
IU International University of Applied Sciences (Bad Honnef and Berlin)
IU International University of Applied Sciences (Bad Honnef only)
IU International University of Applied Sciences (Erfurt only)
Lancaster University Leipzig

Ghana
Lancaster University Ghana

Hong Kong
Hong Kong Baptist University
Hong Kong Polytechnic University
Lingnan University
Technological and Higher Education Institute of Hong Kong
The Chinese University of Hong Kong
The University of Hong Kong
The Education University of Hong Kong
The Open University of Hong Kong
University of Sunderland (Hong Kong)

Hungary
University of Pécs

India
Ajeenkya DY Patil University
Coventry University (India Campus)
Jagan Nath University (Bahadurgarh)
Jagan Nath University (Jaipur)
Lovely Professional University
MIT Art, Design & Technology University

Indonesia
Deakin University
Lancaster University
Indonesia

Ireland
CCT College Dublin
Interior Design Academy of Ireland
Maynooth University
Photography Academy of Ireland
University College Cork
University of Ulster

Jordan
Al Hussein Technical University
Luminus Technical University College

Kenya
Riara University
Kazakhstan
Coventry University (Kazakhstan Campus)
De Montfort University Kazakhstan

Malaysia
HELP University (HNDs only)
Heriot Watt - Malaysia
Sunway - Lancaster University
Sunway University
UNITAR International University

Malta
Ascencia Malta

Mauritius
Middlesex University Mauritius Campus

Netherlands
Rotterdam University of Applied Sciences

New Zealand
Auckland Institute of Studies
AUT University
Massey University (Auckland)
Massey University (Manawatu)
Massey University (Wellington)
University of Auckland
University of Canterbury

Poland
Coventry University (Poland Campus)

Portugal
ETIC - Escola de Tecnologias Inovacao e Criacao

Qatar
Virginia Commonwealth University School of the Arts in Qatar

Singapore

Curtin University Singapore
Management Development Institute of Singapore (MDIS)
[Global School of Technology and Management \(awarded by Birmingham City University\)](#)
Management Development Institute of Singapore (MDIS) in conjunction with Uni of Sunderland

South Africa
Eduvos (formally Pearson Institute of Higher Education)
University of Johannesburg

South Korea
George Mason University Korea

Spain
[\(LABA\) School of Art, Design & New Media Valencia](#)
MSMK (linked with Coventry for some provision)

Switzerland
BHMS Business & Hotel Management School
[César Ritz Colleges Switzerland](#)
Culinary Art Academy Switzerland
[HIM Montreux](#)
International Institute in Geneva
[IMI International Management Institute Switzerland](#)
IPAC Design Geneve
SHMS Swiss Hotel Management School (Leysin)
UBIS Institute Geneva

Taiwan, China
MingDao University

Turkiye
Abdullah Gul University
Bahcesehir University (BAU)
Istanbul Gelisim University
Istanbul Okan University

UAE
American University in the Emirates
British Applied College
Britts Imperial University College
[Cromwell UK Academy of Management and Technology](#)
[De Montford University Dubai](#)
EM Normendie Business School Dubai
Heriot Watt UAE
[Middlesex University Dubai Campus](#)
New York University Abu Dhabi
Rochester Institute of Technology-Dubai

SAE University College, Dubai
[University of Bolton Ras Al Khaimah Campus](#)
Westford University College

United Kingdom
Abindon and Witney College
Aberystwyth University
Academy of Contemporary Music, Guilford
Architectural Association School of Architecture
Arden University
Arts University, Bournemouth
Arts University, Plymouth
Aston University
[Bangor University](#)
Bath Spa University
[Bedford College \(Bedford\)](#)
[Bedford College \(Biggleswade\)](#)
Birmingham City University
Bishop Grosseteste University
Birmingham City University
[Blackpool School of Arts- Blackpool & Fylde College](#)
Bloomsbury Institute London
Bournemouth University
British University of Modern Music
Brunel University
Buckinghamshire New University
[Burton and South Derbyshire College](#)
Canterbury Christ Church University
[Cardiff Metropolitan University](#)
Central Film School, London
[C&G Of London Art School](#)
[City of Liverpool College University Centre](#)
City, University London
Coventry University
Coventry University (London Campus)
Coventry University (Scarborough Campus)
dBs Institute
[De Montfort University](#)
Edinburgh Napier University
Edgehill University
[Escape Studios School of Animation, Games and VFX](#)
Falmouth University
Futureworks- University Education for a creative career
Goldsmith's, University of London
Grŵp Llandrillo Menai
Havering College of Further and Higher Education
[Hartpury University](#)
Harper Adams University
[Heriot Watt University](#)
International School of Musical Theatre
Kingston University (Art School)
Kingston University

London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art
LAMDA Limited
Lancaster University
[Leeds Beckett University](#)
Leeds Trinity University
Liverpool Hope University
Liverpool John Moores University
London Interdisciplinary School
[London Metropolitan University \(Aldgate\)](#)
[London Metropolitan University \(Holloway Road\)](#)
London School of Economics and Political Science
London School of Theology
London South Bank University
London Studio Centre (Dance and Musical Theatre)
Loughborough University
[Manchester Metropolitan University](#)
Middlesex University
[MidKent College](#)
Mont Rose College of Management and Sciences
Nazarene Theological College
[Nelson and Colne College Group University Centre](#)
New Model Institute for Technology and Engineering (NMITE)
Northeastern University London
Northern School of Contemporary Dance
Norland College
Norwich University of the Arts
[Northumbria University](#)
[Nottingham Trent University](#)
[Oxford Brookes University](#)
Point Blank Music School
Plymouth University
Queen Margaret University
Queen Mary, University of London
Queen's Business School, Queen's University, Belfast
Raindance Film School
Rambert School of Ballet & Contemporary Dance
Regent's University London
Richmond American University, London
Royal Academy of Music
[Royal Agricultural University](#)
Royal Veterinary College
[Sheffield Hallam University](#)
Southampton Solent University
SRUC – Scotland's Rural College
St Andrew's University
St George's, University of London
St Mary's University
Swansea University
[Teesside University](#)
Teesside University International Business School
The Engineering and Design Institute, London

The Glasgow School of Art
[The Open University \[Online\]](#)
The University of Law (Guildford)
The Vogue College of Fashion
[University Campus Oldham](#)
[University Centre Askham Bryan](#)
[University Centre Colchester at Colchester Institute](#)
University College Birmingham
[University College of Estate Management](#)
University for the Creative Arts
University of Aberdeen
University of Bath
University of Bolton
University of Bradford
[University of Brighton](#)
University of Bristol
University of Cambridge (Engineering specific-Potential entry to year 1)
University of Central Lancashire
University of Chichester
University College Birmingham
University of Cumbria
[University of Derby](#)
[University of Derby Online Learning](#)
University of Dundee
University of East Anglia
[University of East London](#)
University of Essex
University of Exeter
University of Gloucestershire
University of Greenwich
University of Hertfordshire
University of Highlands and Islands
[University of Huddersfield](#)
[University of East London](#)
University of Essex
University of Exeter
[University of Gloucestershire](#)
University of Greenwich
University of Hertfordshire
University of Huddersfield
University of Hull
University of Hull Business School
[University of Kent](#)
University of Leeds
University of Leicester
[University of Lincoln](#)
University of London
University of Manchester
[University of Northampton](#)
University of Oxford
[University of Portsmouth](#)
University of Reading

University of Roehampton
University of Salford
University of Southampton
University of South Wales
University of Stirling
University of Strathclyde
University of Sunderland
University of Surrey
University of Sussex
University of the Highlands and Islands
University of the West of England
University of the Arts, London
University of the West of Scotland
University of Wales Trinity Saint David
University of Westminster
University of Winchester (Business School)
University of Wolverhampton
University of York
West Dean College
West Suffolk College
Wrexham University (Prifysgol Wrecsam)
York St John University

United States

Alfred State College
American University
Arkansas State University
Berkeley College
Buena Vista University
California College of the Arts
California Institute of Technology
California State University, Monterey Bay
California State University, Sacramento
Claremont McKenna College
Cleveland State University
College of Charleston
Colorado State University
Columbus College of Art and Design
Concordia St Paul
Dartmouth College
Depaul University
George Mason University
Georgia State University
Georgian Court University
High Point University
Hofstra University
Humboldt State University
Johnson and Wales University
Lewis-Clark State College
Linfield University
Loyola Marymount University
Marquette University
Metropolitan State University of Denver
Miami University Ohio
New York University (NYU)
Northern Michigan University

Northwood University
Notre Dame de Namur University
Oklahoma City University
Old Dominion University
Oregon State University
Pacific University Oregon
Rochester Institute of Technology
Sacred Heart University
Saint Michael's College
Saint Peter's University
Slippery Rock University
South Dakota Mines
Southern Illinois University
St Andrews University
St Edward's University
St John's College
Suffolk University, Boston
Texas Tech University
Texas Wesleyan University
The State University of New York at Cobleskill
The State University of New York College
at Old Westbury
The State University of New York Plattsburgh
The University of Akron
The University of Alabama
Troy University
University of Albany, The State University
of New York
University of Arizona
University of Arkansas
**University of Business Innovation
and Sustainability Washington**
University of California - San Diego
University of Charleston
University of Colorado-Boulder
University of Colorado-Denver
University of Denver
University of Florida
University of Houston
University of Idaho
University of Iowa
University of Mississippi
University of Missouri-Kansas City
University of Montana
University of New Haven
University of North Florida
University of St Francis
University of Texas at Arlington
University of West Georgia
Virginia Commonwealth University
Virscend University
West Texas A and M University
Western New England University
Westminster College
Wichita State University
Widener University

William Woods University
Woodbury University
Xavier University

Uzbekistan
Akfa University

Vietnam
British University Vietnam