



**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](mailto: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 \(Parramatta South Campus\)](#)

### 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 Gelişim 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