



# T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Software Development

## Key Dates Schedule 2025 – 2027: Generation 2

This Key Dates Schedule is for students who started their T Level in academic year 2025/2026.

If you have students who started their T Level prior to 2025/2026, please refer to the Generation 1 Key Dates Schedule for 2025-2027.

| Key Dates Description |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| 01 July 2025          | Key Dates Schedule released for 2025-2026 and 2026-2027 academic years - including Assessment Dates |
| 01 July 2026          | Key Dates Schedule released for 2026-2027 and 2027-2028 academic years - including Assessment Dates |

| Provider Approval Window   |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| 26 Feb 2025 - 28 June 2025 | Providers submit applications for approval to deliver the TQ (2025 starts) |
| 24 Feb 2026 – 27 June 2026 | Providers submit applications for approval to deliver the TQ (2026 start)  |

| Technical Qualification Registration Dates |  |
|--|--|
| 01 September 2025 - 01 November 2025       | Student registration onto Technical Qualification                        |
| 02 November 2025 - 23 December 2025        | Late student registration or amendment onto Technical Qualification      |
| 24 December 2025 - 31 July 2026            | Very late student registration or amendment onto Technical Qualification |
| 01 September 2026 - 01 November 2026       | Student registration onto Technical Qualification                        |
| 02 November 2026 - 23 December 2026        | Late student registration or amendment onto Technical Qualification      |
| 24 December 2026 - 31 July 2027            | Very late student registration or amendment onto Technical Qualification |



| Reasonable Adjustments and Special Considerations |  |  |
|---|--|--|
| See Assessment Dates below                        | Date for submitting Reasonable Adjustment requests to Pearson by Providers     | Providers can apply for Reasonable Adjustments at any time from the start of the programme. We would suggest applications are made at least two months prior to the assessment taking place. However, applications will be considered after this date. |
| See Assessment Dates below                        | Date for submitting Special Consideration requests to the Pearson by Providers | Consideration from the first day the assessment takes place, through to no later than 5 working days after the assessment finishes.  |

| Technical Qualification Component Results Release |   |                    |
|---|---|--------------------|
| 12 August 2026 (provisional)                      | Restricted release of Technical Qualification component results data from Pearson to Providers [Component data released one day prior to Level 3 Results Day: 13 August 2026 provisional]                           | Summer Series 2026 |
| 13 August 2026 (provisional)                      | Results day   | Summer Series 2026 |
| 17 March 2027 (provisional)                       | Restricted release of Technical Qualification component results data from Pearson to Providers [Component data released one day prior to Results Day: 3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday of March= 18 March 2027 provisional] | Autumn Series 2026 |
| 18 March 2027 (provisional)                       | Results day   | Autumn Series 2026 |
| 18 August 2027 (provisional)                      | Restricted release of Technical Qualification component results data from Pearson to Providers [Component data released one day prior to Level 3 Results Day: 19 August 2027 provisional]                           | Summer Series 2027 |
| 19 August 2027 (provisional)                      | Results day   | Summer Series 2027 |
| November 2027                                     | T Level Certificates released by the Department of Education for the 2025 Cohort (where eligible).  |                    |

| Post Results Services   |   |             |
|---|---|-------------|
| 17 September 2026   | Deadline for request for Review of Marking/ Moderation for Summer Series 2026 | Summer 2026 |
| 20 August 2026  | Expedited Review of Marking/ Moderation deadline                              | Summer 2026 |
| 30 calendar days from the outcome of the assessment review to lodge an appeal | Deadline for an appeal for Summer Series 2026 assessments                     | Summer 2026 |
| 22 April 2027   | Deadline for request for Review of Marking/ Moderation for Autumn Series 2026 | Autumn 2026 |
| 30 calendar days from the outcome of the assessment review to lodge an appeal | Deadline for an appeal for Autumn Series 2026 assessments                     | Autumn 2026 |
| 23 September 2027   | Deadline for request for Review of Marking/ Moderation for Summer Series 2027 | Summer 2027 |
| 26 August 2027  | Expedited Review of Marking/ Moderation deadline                              | Summer 2027 |
| 30 calendar days from the outcome of the assessment review to lodge an appeal | Deadline for an appeal for Summer Series 2027 assessments                     | Summer 2027 |



All dates are provisional and therefore may change.

Please note am exams are anytime between 9am – 12 noon and pm exams between 1.30pm–4pm.

Providers must ensure the 2.5 hours fall within the am/pm windows.

Occupational Specialism assessments are wrapped around Easter Holidays, Bank Holidays and Half-term breaks. General holiday dates in the UK are used when scheduling.

Where a Provider's term break differs, assessment amendments, rescheduling or extensions will be handled on an individual basis. Please contact Pearson with any queries immediately.

Students awaiting results from the previous **Autumn** series will have 10 working days after the results release day in March to enter for a re-sit in the **Summer** series.



| Assessment Series | Component | Component Title      | Task        | Entry Window               | Late Entry Window         | Very Late Entry Deadline | Window Start Date | Window End Date | Duration        | Time    |
|-------------------|-----------|----------------------|-------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------|
| Summer 2026       | Core      | Paper 1              | NA          | 01 Jan 2026 - 21 Feb 2026  | 22 Feb 2026 - 10 May 2026 | 11 May 2026              | 02/06/2026        |                 | 2 hours 15 mins | Morning |
| Summer 2026       | Core      | Paper 2              | NA          | 01 Jan 2026 - 21 Feb 2026  | 22 Feb 2026 - 10 May 2026 | 11 May 2026              | 09/06/2026        |                 | 2 hours 15 mins | Morning |
| Summer 2026       | Core      | Employer Set Project | Pre-release | 01 Jan 2026 - 21 Feb 2026  | 22 Feb 2026 - 10 May 2026 | 11 May 2026              | 11/05/2026        | 12/05/2026      | NA              |         |
| Summer 2026       | Core      | Employer Set Project | 1           | 01 Jan 2026 - 21 Feb 2026  | 22 Feb 2026 - 10 May 2026 | 11 May 2026              | 13/05/2026        | 13/05/2026      | 3 hours         |         |
| Summer 2026       | Core      | Employer Set Project | 2           | 01 Jan 2026 - 21 Feb 2026  | 22 Feb 2026 - 10 May 2026 | 11 May 2026              | 15/05/2026        | 15/05/2026      | 3 hours         |         |
| Summer 2026       | Core      | Employer Set Project | 3           | 01 Jan 2026 - 21 Feb 2026  | 22 Feb 2026 - 10 May 2026 | 11 May 2026              | 18/05/2026        | 18/05/2026      | 2 hours 30 mins |         |
| Summer 2026       | Core      | Employer Set Project | 4a          | 01 Jan 2026 - 21 Feb 2026  | 22 Feb 2026 - 10 May 2026 | 11 May 2026              | 20/05/2026        | 20/05/2026      | 4 hours         |         |
| Summer 2026       | Core      | Employer Set Project | 4b          | 01 Jan 2026 - 21 Feb 2026  | 22 Feb 2026 - 10 May 2026 | 11 May 2026              | 22/05/2026        | 22/05/2026      | 2 hours         |         |
| Autumn 2026       | Core      | Paper 1              | NA          | 01 Sept 2026 – 05 Oct 2026 | 06 Oct 2026- 15 Nov 2026  | 16 November 2026         | 01/12/2026        |                 | 2 hours 15 mins | Morning |
| Autumn 2026       | Core      | Paper 2              | NA          | 01 Sept 2026 – 05 Oct 2026 | 06 Oct 2026- 15 Nov 2026  | 16 November 2026         | 08/12/2026        |                 | 2 hours 15 mins | Morning |
| Autumn 2026       | Core      | Employer Set Project | Pre-release | 01 Sept 2026 – 05 Oct 2026 | 06 Oct 2026- 15 Nov 2026  | 16 November 2026         | 16/11/2026        | 17/11/2026      | NA              |         |
| Autumn 2026       | Core      | Employer Set Project | 1           | 01 Sept 2026 – 05 Oct 2026 | 06 Oct 2026- 15 Nov 2026  | 16 November 2026         | 18/11/2026        | 18/11/2026      | 3 hours         |         |
| Autumn 2026       | Core      | Employer Set Project | 2           | 01 Sept 2026 – 05 Oct 2026 | 06 Oct 2026- 15 Nov 2026  | 16 November 2026         | 20/11/2026        | 20/11/2026      | 3 hours         |         |
| Autumn 2026       | Core      | Employer Set Project | 3           | 01 Sept 2026 – 05 Oct 2026 | 06 Oct 2026- 15 Nov 2026  | 16 November 2026         | 23/11/2026        | 23/11/2026      | 2 hours 30 mins |         |
| Autumn 2026       | Core      | Employer Set Project | 4a          | 01 Sept 2026 – 05 Oct 2026 | 06 Oct 2026- 15 Nov 2026  | 16 November 2026         | 25/11/2026        | 25/11/2026      | 4 hours         |         |
| Autumn 2026       | Core      | Employer Set Project | 4b          | 01 Sept 2026 – 05 Oct 2026 | 06 Oct 2026- 15 Nov 2026  | 16 November 2026         | 27/11/2026        | 27/11/2026      | 2 hours         |         |



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| Summer 2027 | Core                    | Paper 1              | NA          | 01 Jan 2027 – 21 Feb 2027  | 22 Feb 2027 – 09 May 2027 | 10 May 2027   | 08/06/2027 |            | 2 hours 15 mins | Morning |
| Summer 2027 | Core                    | Paper 2              | NA          | 01 Jan 2027 – 21 Feb 2027  | 22 Feb 2027 – 09 May 2027 | 10 May 2027   | 15/06/2027 |            | 2 hours 15 mins | Morning |
| Summer 2027 | Core                    | Employer Set Project | Pre-release | 01 Jan 2027 – 21 Feb 2027  | 22 Feb 2027 – 09 May 2027 | 10 May 2027   | 10/05/2027 | 11/05/2027 | NA              |         |
| Summer 2027 | Core                    | Employer Set Project | 1           | 01 Jan 2027 – 21 Feb 2027  | 22 Feb 2027 – 09 May 2027 | 10 May 2027   | 12/05/2027 | 12/05/2027 | 3 hours         |         |
| Summer 2027 | Core                    | Employer Set Project | 2           | 01 Jan 2027 – 21 Feb 2027  | 22 Feb 2027 – 09 May 2027 | 10 May 2027   | 14/05/2027 | 14/05/2027 | 3 hours         |         |
| Summer 2027 | Core                    | Employer Set Project | 3           | 01 Jan 2027 – 21 Feb 2027  | 22 Feb 2027 – 09 May 2027 | 10 May 2027   | 17/05/2027 | 17/05/2027 | 2 hours 30 mins |         |
| Summer 2027 | Core                    | Employer Set Project | 4a          | 01 Jan 2027 – 21 Feb 2027  | 22 Feb 2027 – 09 May 2027 | 10 May 2027   | 19/05/2027 | 19/05/2027 | 4 hours         |         |
| Summer 2027 | Core                    | Employer Set Project | 4b          | 01 Jan 2027 – 21 Feb 2027  | 22 Feb 2027 – 09 May 2027 | 10 May 2027   | 21/05/2027 | 21/05/2027 | 2 hours         |         |
| Summer 2027 | Occupational Specialism | Digital              | 1           | 01 Sept 2026 – 05 Oct 2026 | 06 Oct 2026 – 07 Mar 2027 | 08 March 2027 | 08/03/2027 | 19/03/2027 | 15 hours        |         |
| Summer 2027 | Occupational Specialism | Digital              | 2           | 01 Sept 2026 – 05 Oct 2026 | 06 Oct 2026 – 07 Mar 2027 | 08 March 2027 | 22/03/2027 | 23/04/2027 | 20 hours        |         |
| Summer 2027 | Occupational Specialism | Digital              | 3           | 01 Sept 2026 – 05 Oct 2026 | 06 Oct 2026 – 07 Mar 2027 | 08 March 2027 | 26/04/2027 | 05/05/2027 | 12 hours        |         |