



# T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Support and Security

## 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 Gen 1 Key Dates Schedule for 2025-2027 on NCFE’s website.

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.



<b>Technical Qualification Component Results Release</b>		
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).	

<b>Post Results Services</b>		
17 August 2026	Expedited Review of Marking/ Moderation deadline	Summer 2026
20 September 2026	Deadline for request for Review of Marking/ Moderation for Summer Series 2026	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 August 2027	Expedited Review of Marking/ Moderation deadline	Summer 2027
26 September 2027	Deadline for request for Review of Marking/ Moderation for Summer Series 2027	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	



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	