## BTEC Works for

## **Health and Social Care**

At some point, all of us will need the support of a healthcare or childcare professional. It's rewarding work with a wide range of different jobs and specialisms which help you play a positive role – and make a difference – in the health and happiness of others.

## Tell me more about BTECs in Health and Social Care or Early Years

Studying a BTEC in Health and Social Care or Early Years means combining good practice, skills, theory and behaviours to understand what it means to deliver top quality healthcare and services across a range of specialisms.

#### What kind of career can I go into?

You will experience a challenging and incredibly rewarding career, where you can go home at the end of the day knowing you have made a real difference to someone's life. Here's a taste of the different careers a BTEC in the sector could lead to:

- Registered Nurse or Nurse Practitioner
- Physician Assistant
- Dental Hygienist
- Social Worker
- Paramedic

- Nursery Nurse
- Healthcare Assistant
- Midwife
- Occupational Therapist
- Counsellor



### **Meet Whitney Phillips**

#### Studied

BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Health and Social Care, Cardiff and Vale College.

#### **Achievements**

Completing 100+ hours of work placement and working a part-time job while being a single parent to a son with additional needs.

#### **Next Steps**

To become a fully qualified Mental Health Nurse.



BTEC was the best decision I could have made.

#### Whitney Phillips,

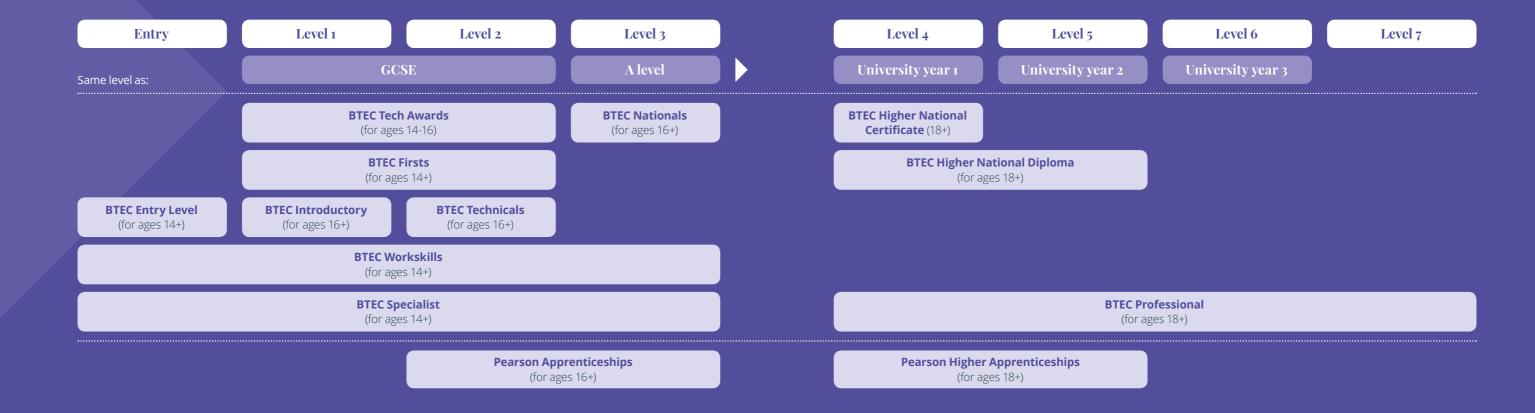
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## **Your BTEC courses**

Here is the range of BTEC qualifications you can choose from, and where they can lead you.



**DID YOU** 

**KNOW?** 

The fastest growing route to higher education is the combination of BTEC and A levels, according to the latest analysis from UCAS.

# What BTEC Health and Social Care qualifications are available?

Here is the range of BTEC Health and Social Care qualifications you can choose from, and where they can lead you.

BTEC Entry Level and Level 1	BTEC Firsts	BTEC Tech Awards	BTEC Technicals	BTEC Nationals	BTEC Higher Nationals
Same level as:			Level 2 Post-16	A level	University
Caring for Children	Health and Social Care	Health and Social Care	Adult Care	Health and Social Care	Health and Social Care
Exploring the Caring Sectors					Healthcare Practice
Health and Social Care					Healthcare Practice for England
Preparing to Work in Adult Social Care					Social and Community Work

## The top 5 skills employers look for learnt on a BTEC Health and Social course:

- Communication and Empathy
- Leadership
- Responsibility
- Time Management
- Interpersonal Skills



