

What are BTECs?

BTECs are high-quality, vocational qualifications focused in the real world of work. BTEC learners develop and apply the knowledge, skills and behaviours that employers and universities are looking for.

Who recognises BTECs?

BTECs are recognised by a wide range of employers and universities. A quick look at recent apprenticeship postings reveals that BTECs are listed as key qualification requirements.

How are BTECs assessed?

BTEC courses are designed around a number of themed units. Rather than testing everything together at the end of the course, BTECs give students the opportunity to show what they've learned in each unit, and build on their achievements as they progress through the course. Most units are internally assessed but there are also some external units depending on the course. End grades available are: Pass, Merit, Distinction and Distinction*.

What BTECs are available at Brynteg Comprehensive?

Qualifications available for Year 10 options that can sit aside other qualifications

Public Services (Level 1 / 2)

Qualifications available for Year 12 options that can sit aside A-level subjects

Uniformed Protective Services (Level 3)

Engineering (Level 3)

IT (Level 3)

Travel and Tourism (Level 2)

For further information regarding BTECs speak to your subject teachers, or e-mail [**BurgessSI4@Hwbcymru.net**](mailto:BurgessSI4@Hwbcymru.net)