

# BTEC Entry 3 Certificate in Entry to Vocational Studies



Course Level: Entry Level

Campus: Newcastle

Subject Type: Science & Maths

## Course Overview:

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## Entry Requirements:

This programme has no formal entry requirements but you should be able to work at Entry Level 3.

## Assessment Information:

Alongside the development of your English and Maths, we complete 3 main phases on our Entry 3 Foundation Course.

Phase 1 - Initial assessment, Student welfare, Mind-set, Teambuilding, Assignment guidance, Organisation and Enrichment.

Phase 2 - Vocational assessment period (2 core and then choice of units)

Phase 3 - Next steps - Preparation for Level 1, Employment support and career guidance.

## Fees and Financial Support:

**This course is free for anyone aged 16 – 18.**

## College Maintenance Allowance (CMA)

: Anyone with a gross household income under £30,000 can receive financial support to cover college related costs such as transport, meals, course equipment and uniform. Bursary support is based on individual circumstances and will be allocated to best suit your individual needs.

A range of other financial support is available depending on your personal circumstances. [For more details visit nscg.ac.uk/finance](https://www.nscg.ac.uk/finance)

## Progression:

Students who complete this course commonly move onto the level 1 Progression Pathways course, or employment.

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**Outstanding**  
for learners with high  
needs

## What else do I need to know?

Some of the many activities we are involved in include:

- Duke of Edinburgh Award
- NCS
- Army engagement events
- Community contribution events
- FA college Football events
- Taster sessions and links to next steps
- Community project work

## How do I find out more?

Contact Mel Aubrey, Course Leader, email [Mel.Aubrey@nscg.ac.uk](mailto:Mel.Aubrey@nscg.ac.uk)