

Study in the UK

The UK attracts thousands of students to its universities every year, providing undergraduate and postgraduate degrees in a variety of subject areas.

Below you will find a list of universities that accept Edexcel qualifications, and on further pages you will see where you may enter into year 2 of a degree or into the final year.

UK Universities

Acceptance to a university programme is at the discretion of the individual university

The following UK universities have confirmed that they will give final year entry (Year 3) to BTEC HND students who have studied Business, Computing or Engineering subjects:

- Bournemouth University (The Business School)
- EThames Graduate School (Business Management, Accounting and Financial Management, International Tourism and Hospitality Management, Health, Wellbeing and Social Care, Computing)(in association with Universities of Sunderland, Bradford and Greenwich)
- University of Glamorgan
- University of Gloucestershire
- University of Huddersfield
- University of Northampton
- Oxford Brookes University
- University of Plymouth
- University of Salford
- St Patrick's College (in association with Universities of Portsmouth and Sunderland)
- Southampton Solent University
- University of Sunderland
- University of the West of England
- University of Worcester
- York St John University

The following UK universities have confirmed that they will give advanced entry (Year 2/3) to BTEC HND students.

- Bath Spa University
- Bournemouth University (The Business School)
- Brunel University West London
- Cambridge Education Group (Stafford House College)
- The University of Central Lancashire
- Coventry University
- University of Derby
- De Montfort University
- University of East Anglia
- University of Essex
- University of Gloucestershire
- The University of Greenwich
- Griffith College Dublin
- Hertfordshire International College of Business and Technology (HIBT) - University of Hertfordshire
- Huron University USA in London
- Kingston University
- The University of Liverpool
- Nescot College International
- Northumbria University
- The University of Portsmouth
- The University of Reading
- The Surrey Institute of Art and Design University College
- The University of Southampton
- The University of Sussex
- Thames Valley University - London
- University of Wales Institute, Cardiff
- University of Westminster
- University of Worcester

Edexcel has received confirmation from the following universities in the United Kingdom that they recognise Edexcel BTEC Higher National Diplomas gained outside the UK and will welcome applications from students with such qualifications:

- Anglia Ruskin University
- University of Bedfordshire
- The University of Bolton
- Bradford College (University Centre)
- Bradford University
- University of Brighton
- Buckinghamshire Chilterns University College
- Canterbury Christ Church University
- University of Kent
- University of Central Lancashire
- London Metropolitan University
- De Montfort University
- University of Glamorgan
- University of Gloucestershire
- University of Greenwich
- Harper Adams University College
- University of Huddersfield
- The University of Lincoln
- London Metropolitan University
- London South Bank University
- Manchester Metropolitan University
- Nottingham University
- Oxford Brookes University
- University of Plymouth

- University of Portsmouth
- Queens University Belfast
- University of Wales, Newport
- University of Wales Institute
- St Patrick's International College
- Staffordshire University
- University of Surrey
- Swansea Metropolitan University
- University of Teesside
- University of Ulster
- University of Westminster
- University of the West of England, Bristol
- University of Wolverhampton
- University of Worcester
- Liverpool John Moores University -

This university has confirmed that students whose profile consists of a majority of the 16 units of a BTEC HND at distinction level will be considered for final year entry - Year 3. It has also confirmed that students whose profile consists of a majority of the 16 units of a BTEC HND at Merit level will be considered for advanced entry -Year 2.

In addition, the university has confirmed that, with effect from September 2008, all students who have passed an Edexcel HND in Business and have an IELTS score of at least 6.0 will be accepted onto its HND Top Up programme in Business, a one-year course leading to a degree in Business.)

Progression to Masters' Courses

EThames Graduate School will provide a progression route from the BTEC Level 7 Extended Diploma in Strategic Management and Leadership or the BTEC Professional Advanced Diploma in Management Studies to an MBA from the University of Sunderland via a 'top up' programme.

Centres or students wishing to receive more information should contact the Admissions Officers at the universities concerned.