



## BTEC LEVEL 2 DIPLOMA IT

The BTEC Level 2 Diploma is a one year full time course that provides students with the skills to progress to further study on qualifications such as the BTEC Level 3 Diploma in IT and ultimately into the IT employment sector. It is **equivalent to four GCSEs**.

This new revised qualification has embedded units from the Business and Creative Media Production qualifications. It will give students the opportunity to develop a range of skills and techniques as well as personal skills and attributes essential for successful performance in both their academic and their working life.

The BTEC Level 2 Diploma in IT is a 60-credit and 360-guided-learning-hour (GLH) qualification that consists of 3 compulsory units (20 credits) plus optional units (40credits) that provide for a combined total of 60 credits.

### Compulsory units (3 units = 20 credits):

- Communicating in the IT Industry
- Working in the IT Industry
- Computer Systems

### Optional units (4 units = 40 credits)

- Database Systems
- Website Development
- Digital Graphics
- Spreadsheet Modeling

**You need 4 GCSEs at Grade D, including either English or Maths.**