

BTEC Higher National Certificate (HNC) in Computing

About the Qualification

Higher National Certificate (HNC) in Computing is level 4 accredited certificate in the UK and internationally recognized. It includes eight courses and equivalent to a preparation year before starting a degree at a university. The certificate has 120 transferable credits and designed for students who wish to pursue or advance their career in computing. In addition to the knowledge, understanding and skills that support the study of the computing sector, It gives students experience of the breadth and depth of the sector that will prepare them for further study or training.

Qualification Courses (Curriculum)

1. Programming
2. Networking
3. Professional Practice
4. Database design and development
5. Security
6. Managing a Successful Computing Project
7. Website Design and Development
8. Data analytics

Progression To University

After successful completion of the eight courses, students can continue to Level 5 HND in Computing. The Level 5 Higher National Diploma is recognized by Higher Education providers as meeting the admission requirements to many relevant computing-related courses.

Many universities allow advanced entry onto the second or third year of a degree. Some universities have direct articulations on to the second or third year of a bachelor's degree programme with Higher Nationals.

Students should be aware that university admission criteria is always subject to change and understand the course entry requirements for subject, year and grade before applying. Students should always check the entry requirements for degree programmes at specific Higher Education providers. After completing a Higher National Certificate or Diploma, students can also progress directly into employment.

Entry Requirements & Admissions

For students who have recently been in education, the entry profile is likely to include one of the following:

- Students must be over 18 years of age.
- A Level 3 qualification in Computing or an international equivalent.

The qualification is wholly in English language. Students should demonstrate capability in English at a standard equivalent to one of the identified levels below:

- Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR) level B2
- PTE 51
- IELTS 5.5; Reading and Writing must be at 5.5
- or equivalent.

Duration & Registration Process

The registration will be valid for 12 months, but a student may complete the Certificate in less than a year.

Registration process:

- Students should fill in an application and provide us with correct information about themselves.
- A proof of identity must be submitted with the application.
- Students should also submit a scan of recent education certificate and an evidence to English level.
- After approval, students can make payments and start the learning.

Course Assessment

During the units/courses students should work on assignments and submit them with a given date/duration. They can submit a draft and receive early feedback from instructors. Upon final submission, instructors will validate the work and give the final grade.

- The assessment criteria is based on three grades (Pass, Merit and Distinction).
- No examination.
- Student should Pass all courses assignments related to the qualification

Course Delivery & Support

The qualification units/courses are designed as an online self-study learning. It is delivered via an Online Social Learning Platform called **NG Education**.

Study materials consist of self-study reading-texts, engaging activities and case-studies, interactive quizzes and assignments. All materials are available online.

Assignments are available and managed online. Students will be given enough time to work on them and submit a draft for early feedback from the instructors.

Instructors are also available online to guide and help students with the course via the Social Learning Platform. Students can ask and discuss questions through different methods, like using chat, forums, discussion sections or even direct contact with instructors.

Study Fees

Students willing to study the Higher National Certificate should pay a registration fee first, then they can pay for the courses listed under the Certificate. The registration fee is valid for one year and if students couldn't complete the study on time they can extend for another year by paying an extension fee (about 100\$).

The Certificate has 8 courses and a fee for each course should be paid before being able to attend the lessons or have access to materials and contents. The courses fees are written under each course.

- * The Certificate courses price may vary depending on the method of delivery and the course subject.
- * Fees are listed under the website.

More Related Details

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Use the following link to find all details related to the qualification, make an application or payments.

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