

**Overview:**

This qualification is designed to support learners who are interested in learning about the travel and tourism industry alongside other fields of study, with a view to progressing to a wide range of higher education courses, not necessarily in travel and tourism-related subjects. The qualification is designed to be taken as part of a programme of study that includes other appropriate BTEC Nationals or A Levels.

Expectations:

Equivalent in size to one A Level. 4 units of which 3 are mandatory and 2 are external.

There are three mandatory units: “The World of travel and Tourism”, “Global Destinations”, and “Principals of Marketing in travel and Tourism”. To this is added modules on “Visitor Attractions” and “Events, Conferences and Exhibitions”.

Students will be expected to use class notes to structure their private study time by researching and reading around the topics taught in lesson.

Extra-Curricular Activities / Independent Learning Opportunities:

Throughout the course, there will be opportunities to attend trips organised by the Humanities department.

Career Pathways:

This qualification carries UCAS points and is recognised by higher education providers as meeting admission requirements to many relevant courses. Learners can progress to degree courses such as:

- BA (Hons) in Hospitality, Leisure, Sport and Tourism (includes Travel Management
- Event Management
- Tourism Management
- Transport Studies
- Air, Land and Sea travel; Hospitality Management
- Recreation and Leisure Studies
- Spa, Salon or Sport Management)