

Shaping future qualifications

How do you get involved?

It all starts with an idea.

At the first stage we need your agreement to be part of a development panel for a proposed qualification.



Concept

It is then the job of the panel to decide on the concept of the new qualification.

Our qualification development involves 4 main stages:

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Scoping

We capture as many suggestions as possible from our development panel, including items related to qualification purpose, content, size and progression. Where possible, this process is carried out remotely.

Feedback

Throughout development you can contribute ideas on content and provide feedback on draft units.

Development

Our subject experts work collaboratively to transform ideas into a meaningful qualification – establishing units, learning outcomes and ensuring that the requirements of regulators are considered at all times.

Review

We then share our qualification with the development panel. We ask them to 'check and challenge' what has been produced, including suitability of assessment and Guided Learning Hours.

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Endorsement

To provide learners with progression and funding opportunities, we seek documented endorsement from the development panel.

We also seek endorsement from independent voices who can confirm suitability of the qualification.

Support

We request that you provide a formal letter of support for the developed qualification.

By working together we can provide:



Schools

Solutions to equip learners with applied knowledge.



Colleges & Providers

Support and resources to prepare learners for the world of work.



Universities

Learners who are ready to study at a higher level.



Employers

The skilled people they need within their workforce.



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See it. Seek it. Seed it.

Our collaboration with schools, colleges, providers and employers ensures that our qualifications:

Meet your needs

Meet the needs of your learners

Give your learners a competitive edge

Close the skills gap for the workforce

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