

**T Level Technical Qualifications  
Key Dates Schedule  
2026/27 and 2027/28**

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## Overview

The timeline provided below covers all key dates for each academic year. All common dates related to registrations and results are detailed in the leading table for the named session.

|   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| <sup>1</sup> T Level Technical Qualification in Education and Early Years (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) | <b>603/5829/4</b> |
| T Level Technical Qualification in Education and Early Years (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE)              | <b>610/5748/4</b> |
| T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Business Services (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE)              | <b>603/6902/4</b> |
| T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Support Services (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE)               | <b>603/6901/2</b> |
| T Level Technical Qualification in Health (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE)                                 | <b>603/7066/X</b> |
| T Level Technical Qualification in Healthcare Science (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE)                     | <b>603/7083/X</b> |
| T Level Technical Qualification in Science (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE)                                | <b>603/6989/9</b> |

<sup>1</sup>T-LEVELS' and 'T Level' are registered trade marks of the Department for Education

## Section 1 Approval Windows

### Common T Level supplier key dates:

| *Year of 1 <sup>st</sup> Delivery | Approval Period                 |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 2027/2028                         | 22 February 2027 - 25 June 2027 |
| 2028/2029                         | 28 February 2028 – 30 June 2028 |

\*Please note providers may apply at any point during the window. On receipt of your application, if you are a brand-new NCFE T Level provider you will be required to have an approval review within 20 working days of application.

## Section 2 Registration and Access Arrangements Dates

### Common T Level supplier key dates:

| Assessment Year | Key Dates Schedule to Providers | Standard Student Registration        | Late Student Registration           | Very Late Student Registration  | Final Date for Submission of Reasonable Adjustments to Suppliers   | Final Date for Submission of Special Considerations to Suppliers   |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|
| 2026/2027*      | 01 July 2026                    | 01 September 2026 – 01 November 2026 | 02 November 2026 – 23 December 2026 | 24 December 2026 – 31 July 2027 | To be declared at point of registration/entry, is specific to each T Level qualification and so aligns to the registration and entry deadlines detailed in Section 4 | To be submitted no later than 5 working days after an assessment has taken place or assessment window has closed |
| 2027/2028*      | 01 July 2027                    | 01 September 2027 – 01 November 2027 | 02 November 2027 – 23 December 2027 | 24 December 2027 – 31 July 2028 |  |  |

\*The 2024/2025 cohort was the final registration date for delivery of the below qualification. Further assessment opportunities will continue to be scheduled, for existing and continuing students, until summer 2027. Registrations from 2025/2026 should be made against the next generation of this qualification, delivered by NCFE (see pages 13 – 17 of this document for detailed information of assessments and key dates)

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| T Level Technical Qualification in Education and Early Years (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) | 603/5829/4 |
|--|------------|

\*The 2024/2025 cohort was the final registration date for delivery of the below qualifications. Further assessment opportunities will continue to be scheduled, for existing and continuing students, until summer 2027

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Business Services (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) | 603/6902/4 |
| T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Support Services (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE)  | 603/6901/2 |

\*The 2025/26 cohort was the final registration date for delivery of the below qualifications. Further assessment opportunities will continue to be scheduled, for existing and continuing students, until summer 2028

|   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| T Level Technical Qualification in Health (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE)             | <b>603/7066/X</b> |
| T Level Technical Qualification in Healthcare Science (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) | <b>603/7083/X</b> |
| T Level Technical Qualification in Science (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE)            | <b>603/6989/9</b> |

## Section 3 Results Release Dates

### Common T Level supplier key dates:

| Assessment Session | Restricted Release from NCFE to Providers | Release from Providers to Students | Request for Review of Marking/Moderation (RoMM) | Expedited Request for Review of Marking/Moderation (RoMM)                                    | Appeals  | Certificates issued by the Manage T Level Results Service |
|--------------------|---|------------------------------------|---|--|--|---|
| Summer 2026        | 12 August 2026                            | 13 August 2026                     | 17 September 2026                               | To be submitted within 7 calendar days of the result release date from providers to students | To be submitted within 30 calendar days of the outcome of a ROMM | From August 2026  |
| Autumn 2026        | 17 March 2027                             | 18 March 2027                      | 22 April 2027                                   |  |  | From March 2027   |
| Summer 2027        | 11 August 2027                            | 12 August 2027                     | 16 September 2027                               |  |  | From August 2027  |
| Autumn 2027        | 15 March 2028                             | 16 March 2028                      | 20 April 2028                                   |  |  | From March 2028   |
| Summer 2028        | 16 August 2028                            | 17 August 2028                     | 21 September 2028                               |  |  | From August 2028  |

## Section 4 Qualification Details

### T Level Technical Qualification in Education and Early Years (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/5829/4)

#### Advance Assessment Materials

All advance assessment material information will be communicated on a series-by-series basis on the [T Level Provider Hub](#) and will be available on the following dates

| Series           | Autumn 2026     | Summer 2027      | Autumn 2027               | Summer 2028               |
|------------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Publication Date | 01 October 2026 | 01 February 2027 | No assessment opportunity | No assessment opportunity |

**T Level Technical Qualification in Education and Early Years (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/5829/4)**

## Core Components

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline  | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Employer Set Project  | Core Paper A                                   | Core Paper B                                   |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---|--|--|
| Autumn 2026        | 19 October 2026 | 26 October 2026     | 30 October 2026          | <b>Overall</b><br>02 November 2026 – 20 November 2026<br>Duration 12 hours* | 01 December 2026<br>1.00pm<br>Duration 2 hours | 09 December 2026<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours |
| Summer 2027**      | 19 April 2027   | 26 April 2027       | 30 April 2027            | <b>Overall</b><br>04 May 2027 – 25 May 2027<br>Duration 12 hours*           | 07 June 2027<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours     | 11 June 2027<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours     |

\* Sample and past Tutor Guidance documents are available on the NCFE website and should be used to prepare for the delivery of the assessment, but note that live, paper-specific versions are published for each series and there may be small variations compared to previous versions

\*\*Final assessment opportunity

**T Level Technical Qualification in Education and Early Years (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/5829/4)**

## Occupational Specialisms

## (a) Early Years Educator (EYE)

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline  | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1*   | Assignment 2 Part 1** ***  | Assignment 2 Part 2**  | Assignment 3 Parts 1A & 1B   | Assignment 3 Part 2                        |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Summer 2027****    | 18 January 2027 | 25 January 2027     | 29 January 2027          | 26 April 2027 – 30 April 2027<br><br>Duration 4 hours | 28 September 2026 – 14 May 2027<br><br>Duration open<br><br>Final submission 14 May 2027 | 01 February 2027 – 14 May 2027<br><br>Duration 1 hour per structured observation<br><br>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027 | 31 March 2027 – 14 May 2027<br><br>Duration 1A 45 minutes<br>1B 1 hour | 05 May 2027 9.00am<br><br>Duration 2 hours |

\* Although this is a window all students at a provider must sit this at the same time. Sample and past Tutor Guidance documents are available on the NCFE website and should be used to prepare for the delivery of the assessment, but note that live, paper-specific versions are published for each series and there may be small variations compared to previous versions

\*\* Marks must be entered onto the Portal before midnight on the final submission date. Any students booked but not sitting the assessment should be marked as a DNA in the submit marks screen. Failure to do this will result in delays to final moderation and student results. Remote moderation will take place when the assessment window closes

\*\*\* The Guided Learning Hours for this assignment are 10 – 12 hours. The student can only move to part 2 upon completion of all criteria. The Moderator is responsible for checking and confirming that this has happened through face-to-face reviews. The Moderator has to approve a provider before students can progress to part 2

\*\*\*\* Final assessment opportunity

**T Level Technical Qualification in Education and Early Years (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/5829/4)**

## Occupational Specialisms

## (b) Assisting Teaching (AT)

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline  | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1*  | Assignment 2**   | Assignment 3                               |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|
| Summer 2027***     | 18 January 2027 | 25 January 2027     | 29 January 2027          | 26 April 2027 – 30 April 2027<br><br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes | 01 February 2027 – 14 May 2027<br><br>Duration 1 hour per structured observation<br><br>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027 | 05 May 2027 9.00am<br><br>Duration 4 hours |

\* Although this is a window all students at a provider must sit this at the same time. Sample and past Tutor Guidance documents are available on the NCFE website and should be used to prepare for the delivery of the assessment, but note that live, paper-specific versions are published for each series and there may be small variations compared to previous versions

\*\* Marks must be entered onto the Portal before midnight on the final submission date. Any student booked but not sitting the assessment should be marked as a DNA in the submit marks screen. Failure to do this will result in delays to final moderation and student results. Remote moderation will take place when the assessment window closes

\*\*\*Final assessment opportunity

**T Level Technical Qualification in Education and Early Years (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (610/5748/4)****(for first delivery in 2025/2026)**

## Advance Assessment Materials

All advance assessment material information will be communicated on a series-by-series basis on the [T Level Provider Hub](#) and will be available on the following dates

| Series           | Autumn 2026     | Summer 2027      | Autumn 2027     | Summer 2028      |
|------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Publication Date | 01 October 2026 | 01 February 2027 | 01 October 2027 | 01 February 2028 |

**T Level Technical Qualification in Education and Early Years (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (610/5748/4)**

## Core Components

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline  | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Employer Set Project*   | Core Exam   |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---|---|
| Autumn 2026        | 19 October 2026 | 26 October 2026     | 30 October 2026          | <b>Overall</b><br>02 November 2026 - 20 November 2026<br>Duration 12 hours 45 minutes** | 01 December 2026<br>1.00pm<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes |
| Summer 2027        | 19 April 2027   | 26 April 2027       | 30 April 2027            | <b>Overall</b><br>04 May 2027 – 25 May 2027<br>Duration 12 hours 45 minutes**           | 07 June 2027<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes     |
| Autumn 2027        | 18 October 2027 | 25 October 2027     | 29 October 2027          | <b>Overall</b><br>01 November 2027 – 19 November 2027<br>Duration 12 hours 45 minutes** | 07 December 2027<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes |
| Summer 2028        | 18 April 2028   | 25 April 2028       | 01 May 2028              | <b>Overall</b><br>02 May 2028 – 23 May 2028<br>Duration 12 hours 45 minutes**           | 05 June 2028<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes     |

\* Sample and past Tutor Guidance documents are available on the NCFE website and should be used to prepare for the delivery of the assessment, but note that live, paper-specific versions are published for each series and there may be small variations compared to previous versions

\*\*Plus 3 hours for the research activity to be done in the term time week prior to the assessment window starting

**T Level Technical Qualification in Education and Early Years (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (610/5748/4)**

## Occupational Specialisms

## (a) Early Years Educator (EYE)

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline  | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1 Part 1*  | Assignment 1 Part 2*   | Assignment 2**  | Assignment 3 Parts 1A & 1B   | Assignment 3 Part 2                        |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| Summer 2027        | 18 January 2027 | 25 January 2027     | 29 January 2027          | 28 September 2026 – 14 May 2027<br><br>Duration 10 – 12 hours<br><br>Final submission 14 May 2027 | 01 February 2027 – 14 May 2027<br><br>Duration 3 – 6 hours<br><br>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027 | 26 April 2027 – 30 April 2027<br><br>Duration 4 hours | 31 March 2027 – 14 May 2027<br><br>Duration 1A 1 hour<br>1B 1 hour | 05 May 2027 9.00am<br><br>Duration 2 hours |
| Summer 2028        | 24 January 2028 | 31 January 2028     | 04 February 2028         | 27 September 2027 – 12 May 2028<br><br>Duration 10 – 12 hours<br><br>Final submission 12 May 2028 | 07 February 2028 – 12 May 2028<br><br>Duration 3 – 6 hours<br><br>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028 | 24 April 2028 – 28 April 2028<br><br>Duration 4 hours | 29 March 2028 – 12 May 2028<br><br>Duration 1A 1 hour<br>1B 1 hour | 03 May 2028 9.00am<br><br>Duration 2 hours |

\* Marks must be entered onto the Portal before midnight on the final submission date. Any students booked but not sitting the assessment should be marked as a DNA in the submit marks screen. Failure to do this will result in delays to final moderation and student results. Remote moderation will take place when the assessment window closes

\*\* Although this is a window all students at a provider must sit this at the same time. Sample and past Tutor Guidance documents are available on the NCFE website and should be used to prepare for the delivery of the assessment, but note that live, paper-specific versions are published for each series and there may be small variations compared to previous versions

**T Level Technical Qualification in Education and Early Years (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (610/5748/4)**

## Occupational Specialisms

## (b) Assisting Teaching (AT)

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline  | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1*  | Assignment 2**   | Assignment 3                               |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|
| Summer 2027        | 18 January 2027 | 25 January 2027     | 29 January 2027          | 01 February 2027 – 14 May 2027<br><br>Duration 3 - 6 hours<br><br>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027 | 26 April 2027 – 30 April 2027<br><br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes | 05 May 2027 9.00am<br><br>Duration 4 hours |
| Summer 2028        | 24 January 2028 | 31 January 2028     | 04 February 2028         | 07 February 2028 – 12 May 2028<br><br>Duration 3 – 6 hours<br><br>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028 | 24 April 2028 – 28 April 2028<br><br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes | 03 May 2028 9.00am<br><br>Duration 4 hours |

\* Marks must be entered onto the Portal before midnight on the final submission date. Any student booked but not sitting the assessment should be marked as a DNA in the submit marks screen. Failure to do this will result in delays to final moderation and student results. Remote moderation will take place when the assessment window closes.

\*\* Although this is a window all students at a provider must sit this at the same time. Sample and past Tutor Guidance documents are available on the NCFE website and should be used to prepare for the delivery of the assessment, but note that live, paper-specific versions are published for each series and there may be small variations compared to previous versions

**T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Business Services (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/6902/4)**

## Advance Assessment Materials

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| <b>Series</b>    | <b>Autumn 2026</b> | <b>Summer 2027</b> | <b>Autumn 2027</b>        | <b>Summer 2028</b>        |
|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Publication Date | 01 October 2026    | 01 February 2027   | No assessment opportunity | No assessment opportunity |

**T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Business Services (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/6902/4)**

## Core Components

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline  | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Employer Set Project  | Core Paper A                                   | Core Paper B                                   |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---|--|--|
| Autumn 2026        | 19 October 2026 | 26 October 2026     | 30 October 2026          | <b>Task 1 &amp; 2a</b><br>02 November 2026 – 05 November 2026<br>Duration 3 hours (Task 1) & 2 hours (Task 2a)<br><b>Task 2b</b><br>06 November 2026 9.00am<br>Duration 4 hours<br><b>Task 3</b><br>09 November 2026 – 11 November 2026<br>Duration 4 hours<br><b>Task 4</b><br>12 November 2026 – 13 November 2026<br>Duration 2 hours | 01 December 2026<br>1.00pm<br>Duration 2 hours | 08 December 2026<br>1.00pm<br>Duration 2 hours |
| Summer 2027*       | 26 April 2027   | 03 May 2027         | 07 May 2027              | <b>Task 1 &amp; 2a</b><br>10 May 2027 – 13 May 2027<br>Duration 3 hours (Task 1) & 2 hours (Task 2a)<br><b>Task 2b</b><br>14 May 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 4 hours<br><b>Task 3</b><br>17 May 2027 – 19 May 2027<br>Duration 4 hours<br><b>Task 4</b><br>20 May 2027 – 21 May 2027<br>Duration 2 hours                                    | 08 June 2027<br>1.00pm<br>Duration 2 hours     | 15 June 2027<br>1.00pm<br>Duration 2 hours     |

\*Final assessment opportunity

**T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Business Services (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/6902/4)**

Occupational Specialism  
Data Technician

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Task 1   | Task 2   | Task 3  | Task 4  |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|--|---|---|
| Summer 2027*       | 12 April 2027  | 19 April 2027       | 23 April 2027            | 26 April 2027 9:00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes<br><br>26 April 2027 1:00pm<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes | 29 April 2027 –<br>30 April 2027 9:00am<br>& 1:00pm<br>Duration 10 hours | 05 May 2027 –<br>06 May 2027<br>9:00am & 1:00pm<br>Duration 8 hours | 12 May 2027<br>9:00am<br>Duration 2 hours<br><br>12 May 2027<br>1:00pm<br>Duration 2 hours<br><br>13 May 2027<br>9:00am<br>Duration 2 hours |

\*Final assessment opportunity

**T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Support Services (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/6901/2)**

## Advance Assessment Materials

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| <b>Series</b>    | <b>Autumn 2026</b> | <b>Summer 2027</b> | <b>Autumn 2027</b>        | <b>Summer 2028</b>        |
|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Publication Date | 01 October 2026    | 01 February 2027   | No assessment opportunity | No assessment opportunity |

**T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Support Services (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/6901/2)**

## Core Components

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline  | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Employer Set Project  | Core Paper A                                   | Core Paper B  |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---|--|---|
| Autumn 2026        | 19 October 2026 | 26 October 2026     | 30 October 2026          | <b>Task 1</b><br>02 November 2026 9.00am<br>Duration: 2 hours 30 minutes<br><b>Task 2</b><br>03 November 2026 – 06 November 2026<br>Duration: 2 hours 10 minutes<br><b>Task 3</b><br>09 November 2026 9.00am<br>Duration: 4 hours<br><b>Task 4</b><br>10 November 2026 – 13 November 2026<br>Duration: 3 hours 30 minutes | 02 December 2026<br>1.00pm<br>Duration 2 hours | 09 December 2026<br>1.00pm<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes |
| Summer 2027*       | 23 April 2027   | 30 April 2027       | 07 May 2027              | <b>Task 1</b><br>10 May 2027 9.00am<br>Duration: 2 hours 30 minutes<br><b>Task 2</b><br>11 May 2026 – 14 May 2027<br>Duration: 2 hours 10 minutes<br><b>Task 3</b><br>17 May 2027 9.00am<br>Duration: 4 hours<br><b>Task 4</b><br>18 May 2026 – 21 May 2027<br>Duration: 3 hours 30 minutes                               | 09 June 2027<br>1.00pm<br>Duration 2 hours     | 16 June 2027<br>1.00pm<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes     |

\*Final assessment opportunity

**T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Support Services (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/6901/2)**

Occupational Specialisms

(a) Digital Infrastructure

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1   | Assignment 2                                      | Assignment 3  |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|---|---|
| Summer 2027*       | 03 March 2027  | 10 March 2027       | 16 March 2027            | <p><b>Task 1</b><br/>17 March 2027 9.00am Duration 3 hours</p> <p><b>Task 2</b><br/>18 March 2027<br/>9:00am Duration 2 hours 30 minutes<br/>1.00pm Duration 2 hours 30 minutes</p> <p><b>Task 3</b><br/>19 March 2027<br/>9:00am Duration 2 hours 30 minutes<br/>1.00pm Duration 2 hours 30 minutes</p> | 12 April 2027 – 16 April 2027<br>Duration 6 hours | <p><b>Task 1</b><br/>27 April 2027 9.00am<br/>Duration 2 hours</p> <p><b>Task 2</b><br/>27 April 2027 1.00pm<br/>Duration 45 minutes</p> <p><b>Task 3</b><br/>27 April 2027 2.00pm<br/>Duration 45 minutes</p> <p><b>Task 4</b><br/>28 April 2027 1.00pm<br/>Duration 2 hours</p> |

\*Final assessment opportunity

**T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Support Services (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/6901/2)**

Occupational Specialisms

(b) Network Cabling

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1   | Assignment 2  | Assignment 3  |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|---|---|
| Summer 2027*       | 03 March 2027  | 10 March 2027       | 16 March 2027            | <p><b>Task 1</b><br/>                     17 March 2027<br/>                     9.00am Duration 2 hours<br/>                     1.00pm Duration 2 hours<br/>                     18 March 2027<br/>                     9.00am Duration 2 hours<br/>                     1.00pm Duration 2 hours</p> <p><b>Task 2</b><br/>                     19 March 2027<br/>                     9:00am Duration 2 hours 30 minutes<br/>                     1.00pm Duration 2 hours 30 minutes</p> | 12 April 2027 –<br>23 April 2027<br>Duration 12 hours<br>30 minutes | <p><b>Task 1</b><br/>                     04 May 2027<br/>                     Duration 1 hour 30 minutes</p> <p><b>Task 2</b><br/>                     05 May 2027 9.00am<br/>                     Duration 2 hours</p> <p><b>Task 3</b><br/>                     06 May 2027 1.00pm<br/>                     Duration 2 hours</p> |

\*Final assessment opportunity

**T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Support Services (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/6901/2)**

Occupational Specialisms

(c) Digital Support

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline   | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1                                       | Assignment 2   | Assignment 3                                     |
|--------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|
| Summer 2027*       | 22 February 2027 | 01 March 2027       | 05 March 2027            | 08 March 2027 – 19 March 2027<br>Duration 19 hours | <b>Task 1</b><br>21 April 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 3 hours<br><b>Task 2</b><br>22 April 2026 9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours | 26 April 2027 – 07 May 2027<br>Duration 10 hours |

\*Final assessment opportunity

**T Level Technical Qualification in Digital Support Services (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/6901/2)**

Occupational Specialisms

(d) Cyber Security

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline   | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1   | Assignment 2                                       | Assignment 3   |
|--------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|
| Summer 2027*       | 24 February 2027 | 03 March 2027       | 09 March 2027            | <b>Task 1</b><br>10 March 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 5 hours 30 minutes<br><b>Task 2</b><br>11 March 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 5 hours 30 minutes | 15 March 2027 – 19 March 2027<br>Duration 10 hours | <b>Task 1</b><br>27 April 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes<br><b>Task 2</b><br>27 April 2027 1.00pm<br>Duration 2 hours<br><b>Task 3</b><br>28 April 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours |

\*Final assessment opportunity

**T Level Technical Qualification in Health (Level 3) (delivered by NCFE) (603/7066/X)**

## Advance Assessment Materials

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| <b>Series</b>    | <b>Autumn 2026</b> | <b>Summer 2027</b> | <b>Autumn 2027</b> | <b>Summer 2028</b> |
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| Publication Date | 01 October 2026    | 01 February 2027   | 01 October 2027    | 01 February 2028   |

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## Core Components

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline  | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Employer Set Project  | Core Paper A   | Core Paper B   |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---|--|--|
| Autumn 2026        | 19 October 2026 | 26 October 2026     | 30 October 2026          | <b>Overall</b><br>02 November 2026 – 20 November 2026<br>Total Duration 14 hours 30 minutes* (plus 2 hours' preparation time) | 03 December 2026<br>1.00pm<br>Duration<br>2 hours 30 minutes | 10 December 2026<br>1.00pm<br>Duration<br>2 hours 30 minutes |
| Summer 2027        | 19 April 2027   | 26 April 2027       | 30 April 2027            | <b>Overall</b><br>04 May 2027 – 21 May 2027<br>Total Duration 14 hours 30 minutes* (plus 2 hours' preparation time)           | 10 June 2027<br>1.00pm<br>Duration<br>2 hours 30 minutes     | 17 June 2027<br>1.00pm<br>Duration<br>2 hours 30 minutes     |
| Autumn 2027        | 18 October 2027 | 25 October 2027     | 29 October 2027          | <b>Overall</b><br>01 November 2027 – 19 November 2027<br>Total Duration 14 hours 30 minutes* (plus 2 hours' preparation time) | 02 December 2027<br>1.00pm<br>Duration<br>2 hours 30 minutes | 09 December 2027<br>1.00pm<br>Duration<br>2 hours 30 minutes |
| Summer 2028**      | 13 April 2028   | 24 April 2028       | 28 April 2028            | <b>Overall</b><br>02 May 2028 – 19 May 2028<br>Total Duration 14 hours 30 minutes* (plus 2 hours' preparation time)           | 08 June 2028<br>1.00pm<br>Duration<br>2 hours 30 minutes     | 15 June 2028<br>1.00pm<br>Duration<br>2 hours 30 minutes     |

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## Occupational Specialisms

## (a) Supporting the Adult Nursing Team – (Option A)

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline   | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1   | Assignment 2*   | Assignment 3   |
|--------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|---|--|
| Summer 2027        | 22 February 2027 | 01 March 2027       | 05 March 2027            | 08 March 2027 – 19 March 2027<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes (inclusive of 20 minute rest break) | <p><b>Part 1: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Core</b><br/>15 March 2027 – 16 April 2027<br/>Duration 1 hour to 1 hour 30 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 16 April 2027</p> <p><b>Part 2: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Option</b><br/>26 April 2027 – 14 May 2027<br/>Duration 1 hour 15 minutes to 2 hours 15 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027</p> | 07 June 2027 – 18 June 2027<br>Duration 1 hour 45 minutes (including 45 minutes' preparation time) |
| Summer 2028**      | 28 February 2028 | 06 March 2028       | 10 March 2028            | 13 March 2028 – 24 March 2028<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes (inclusive of 20 minute rest break) | <p><b>Part 1: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Core</b><br/>20 March 2028 – 21 April 2028<br/>Duration 1 hour to 1 hour 30 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 21 April 2028</p> <p><b>Part 2: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Option</b><br/>24 April 2028 – 12 May 2028<br/>Duration 1 hour 15 minutes to 2 hours 15 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028</p> | 05 June 2028 – 16 June 2028<br>Duration 1 hour 45 minutes (including 45 minutes' preparation time) |

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## Occupational Specialisms

## (b) Supporting the Midwifery Team – (Option B)

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline   | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1   | Assignment 2*   | Assignment 3   |
|--------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|---|--|
| Summer 2027        | 22 February 2027 | 01 March 2027       | 05 March 2027            | 08 March 2027 – 19 March 2027<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes (inclusive of 20 minute rest break) | <p><b>Part 1: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Core</b><br/>15 March 2027 – 16 April 2027<br/>Duration 1 hour to 1 hour 30 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 16 April 2027</p> <p><b>Part 2: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Option</b><br/>26 April 2027 – 14 May 2027<br/>Duration 1 hour 15 minutes to 2 hours 15 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027</p> | 07 June 2027 – 18 June 2027<br>Duration 1 hour 45 minutes (including 45 minutes' preparation time) |
| Summer 2028**      | 28 February 2028 | 06 March 2028       | 10 March 2028            | 13 March 2028 – 24 March 2028<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes (inclusive of 20 minute rest break) | <p><b>Part 1: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Core</b><br/>20 March 2028 – 21 April 2028<br/>Duration 1 hour to 1 hour 30 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 21 April 2028</p> <p><b>Part 2: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Option</b><br/>24 April 2028 – 12 May 2028<br/>Duration 1 hour 15 minutes to 2 hours 15 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028</p> | 05 June 2028 – 16 June 2028<br>Duration 1 hour 45 minutes (including 45 minutes' preparation time) |

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## Occupational Specialisms

## (c) Supporting the Mental Health Team – (Option C)

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline   | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1   | Assignment 2*   | Assignment 3   |
|--------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|---|--|
| Summer 2027        | 22 February 2027 | 01 March 2027       | 05 March 2027            | 08 March 2027 – 19 March 2027<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes (inclusive of 20 minute rest break) | <p><b>Part 1: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Core</b><br/>15 March 2027 – 16 April 2027<br/>Duration 1 hour to 1 hour 30 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 16 April 2027</p> <p><b>Part 2: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Option</b><br/>26 April 2027 – 14 May 2027<br/>Duration 1 hour 15 minutes to 2 hours 15 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027</p> | 07 June 2027 – 18 June 2027<br>Duration 1 hour 45 minutes (including 45 minutes' preparation time) |
| Summer 2028**      | 28 February 2028 | 06 March 2028       | 10 March 2028            | 13 March 2028 – 24 March 2028<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes (inclusive of 20 minute rest break) | <p><b>Part 1: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Core</b><br/>20 March 2028 – 21 April 2028<br/>Duration 1 hour to 1 hour 30 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 21 April 2028</p> <p><b>Part 2: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Option</b><br/>24 April 2028 – 12 May 2028<br/>Duration 1 hour 15 minutes to 2 hours 15 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028</p> | 05 June 2028 – 16 June 2028<br>Duration 1 hour 45 minutes (including 45 minutes' preparation time) |

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## Occupational Specialisms

## (d) Supporting the Care of Children and Young People – (Option D)

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline   | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1   | Assignment 2*   | Assignment 3   |
|--------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|---|--|
| Summer 2027        | 22 February 2027 | 01 March 2027       | 05 March 2027            | 08 March 2027 – 19 March 2027<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes (inclusive of 20 minute rest break) | <p><b>Part 1: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Core</b><br/>15 March 2027 – 16 April 2027<br/>Duration 1 hour to 1 hour 30 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 16 April 2027</p> <p><b>Part 2: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Option</b><br/>26 April 2027 – 14 May 2027<br/>Duration 1 hour 15 minutes to 2 hours 15 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027</p> | 07 June 2027 – 18 June 2027<br>Duration 1 hour 45 minutes (including 45 minutes' preparation time) |
| Summer 2028**      | 28 February 2028 | 06 March 2028       | 10 March 2028            | 13 March 2028 – 24 March 2028<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes (inclusive of 20 minute rest break) | <p><b>Part 1: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Core</b><br/>20 March 2028 – 21 April 2028<br/>Duration 1 hour to 1 hour 30 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 21 April 2028</p> <p><b>Part 2: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Option</b><br/>24 April 2028 – 12 May 2028<br/>Duration 1 hour 15 minutes to 2 hours 15 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028</p> | 05 June 2028 – 16 June 2028<br>Duration 1 hour 45 minutes (including 45 minutes' preparation time) |

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## Occupational Specialisms

## (e) Supporting the Therapy Teams – (Option E)

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline   | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1   | Assignment 2*   | Assignment 3   |
|--------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|---|--|
| Summer 2027        | 22 February 2027 | 01 March 2027       | 05 March 2027            | 08 March 2027 – 19 March 2027<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes (inclusive of 20 minute rest break) | <p><b>Part 1: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Core</b><br/>15 March 2027 – 16 April 2027<br/>Duration 1 hour to 1 hour 30 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 16 April 2027</p> <p><b>Part 2: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Option</b><br/>26 April 2027 – 14 May 2027<br/>Duration 1 hour 15 minutes to 2 hours 15 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027</p> | 07 June 2027 – 18 June 2027<br>Duration 1 hour 45 minutes (including 45 minutes' preparation time) |
| Summer 2028**      | 28 February 2028 | 06 March 2028       | 10 March 2028            | 13 March 2028 – 24 March 2028<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes (inclusive of 20 minute rest break) | <p><b>Part 1: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Core</b><br/>20 March 2028 – 21 April 2028<br/>Duration 1 hour to 1 hour 30 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 21 April 2028</p> <p><b>Part 2: Practical Activity Assessment (PAA) Option</b><br/>24 April 2028 – 12 May 2028<br/>Duration 1 hour 15 minutes to 2 hours 15 minutes<br/>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028</p> | 05 June 2028 – 16 June 2028<br>Duration 1 hour 45 minutes (including 45 minutes' preparation time) |

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## Occupational Specialisms

## (f) Dental Nursing\*

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Bridging Module  | Assignment 1   | Assignment 2   | Assignment 3                                 | Assignment 4   | Assignment 5  |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|---|
| Summer 2026        | 22 May 2025    | 30 May 2025         | 05 June 2025             | 06 June 2025 Submission<br>09 June 2025 – 04 July 2025 Moderation window<br>07 July 2025 – 18 July 2025 Resit assessment | 01 September 2025 – 22 April 2026<br>Duration 18 hours | 26 January 2026 – 29 April 2026<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes | 21 April 2026<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes | **30 April 2026 – 22 May 2026<br>Duration 2 hours (plus 45 minutes' set-up time) | 01 June 2026 – 05 June 2026<br>Duration 1 hour 30 minutes (plus 45 minutes' preparation time) |
| Summer 2027        | 21 May 2026    | 29 May 2026         | 04 June 2026             | 05 June 2026 Submission<br>08 June 2026 – 03 July 2026 Moderation window<br>06 July 2026 – 17 July 2026 Resit assessment | 01 September 2026 – 21 April 2027<br>Duration 18 hours | 25 January 2027 – 28 April 2027<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes | 20 April 2027<br>Duration 4 hours 40 minutes | **29 April – 21 May 2027<br>Duration 2 hours (plus 45 minutes set-up time)       | 31 May 2027 – 04 June 2027<br>Duration 1 hour 30 minutes (plus 45' minutes preparation time)  |
| Summer 2028        | 21 May 2027    | 28 May 2027         | 03 June 2027             | 04 June 2027 Submission<br>07 June 2027 – 02 July 2027 Moderation window<br>05 July 2027 - 16 July 2027 Resit assessment | TBC  | TBC  | TBC  | TBC  | TBC   |

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\*\*Early release of assessment materials will be sent to providers by 21 April 2026 and 20 April 2027, to allow preparation at the provider. These materials are not to be shared with students until the start of the assessment window.

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|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
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## Core Components

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline  | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Employer Set Project  | Core Paper A   | Core Paper B  |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---|--|---|
| Autumn 2026        | 19 October 2026 | 26 October 2026     | 30 October 2026          | <b>Task 1</b><br>02 November 2026 9.00am<br>Duration 5 hours<br><b>Task 2</b><br>03 November 2026 9.00am<br>Duration 3 hours<br><b>Tasks 3, 4 &amp; 5</b><br>09 November 2026 – 13 November 2026<br>Duration up to 9 hours 45 minutes (dependent on group size) | 02 December 2026<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours<br>30 minutes | 09 December 2026<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes |
| Summer 2027        | 19 April 2027   | 26 April 2027       | 30 April 2027            | <b>Task 1</b><br>04 May 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 5 hours<br><b>Task 2</b><br>05 May 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 3 hours<br><b>Tasks 3, 4 &amp; 5</b><br>10 May 2027 – 14 May 2027<br>Duration up to 9 hours 45 minutes (dependent on group size)                     | 09 June 2027<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours<br>30 minutes     | 16 June 2027<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes     |

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## Core Components (continued)

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline  | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Employer Set Project  | Core Paper A   | Core Paper B   |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---|--|--|
| Autumn 2027        | 18 October 2027 | 25 October 2027     | 29 October 2027          | <b>Task 1</b><br>01 November 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 5 hours<br><b>Task 2</b><br>02 November 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 3 hours<br><b>Tasks 3, 4 &amp; 5</b><br>08 November 2027 – 12 November 2027<br>Duration up to 9 hours 45 minutes (dependent on group size) | 01 December 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes | 08 December 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes |
| Summer 2028*       | 13 April 2028   | 24 April 2028       | 28 April 2028            | <b>Task 1</b><br>02 May 2028 9.00am<br>Duration 5 hours<br><b>Task 2</b><br>03 May 2028 9.00am<br>Duration 3 hours<br><b>Tasks 3, 4 &amp; 5</b><br>08 May 2028 – 12 May 2028<br>Duration up to 9 hours 45 minutes (dependent on group size)                     | 07 June 2028 9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes     | 14 June 2028 9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes     |

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## Occupational Specialism

## (a) Assisting with Healthcare Science

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1*  | Assignment 2*  | Assignment 3*  | Assignment 4                              |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|---|
| Summer 2027        | 11 March 2027  | 18 March 2027       | 24 March 2027            | 25 March 2027 – 14 May 2027<br>Duration 1 hour<br><br>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027 | 25 March 2027 – 14 May 2027<br>Duration 55 minutes<br><br>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027 | 25 March 2027 – 14 May 2027<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes<br><br>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027 | 06 May 2027<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours |
| Summer 2028**      | 16 March 2028  | 23 March 2028       | 29 March 2028            | 30 March 2028 – 12 May 2028<br>Duration 1 hour<br><br>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028 | 30 March 2028 – 12 May 2028<br>Duration 55 minutes<br><br>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028 | 30 March 2028 – 12 May 2028<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes<br><br>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028 | 04 May 2028<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours |

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## Occupational Specialism

## (b) Optical

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1*  | Assignment 2*  | Assignment 3*  | Assignment 4                              |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|---|
| Summer 2027        | 11 March 2027  | 18 March 2027       | 24 March 2027            | 25 March 2027 – 14 May 2027<br>Duration 20 minutes<br><br>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027 | 25 March 2027 – 14 May 2027<br>Duration 30 minutes<br><br>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027 | 25 March 2027 – 14 May 2027<br>Duration 1 hour 50 minutes<br><br>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027  | 06 May 2027<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours |
| Summer 2028**      | 16 March 2028  | 23 March 2028       | 29 March 2028            | 30 March 2028 – 12 May 2028<br>Duration 1 hour<br><br>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028     | 30 March 2028 – 12 May 2028<br>Duration 55 minutes<br><br>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028 | 30 March 2028 – 12 May 2028<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes<br><br>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028 | 04 May 2028<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours |

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|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
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## Core Components

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline  | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Employer Set Project  | Core Paper A  | Core Paper B  |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---|---|---|
| Autumn 2026        | 26 October 2026 | 02 November 2026    | 06 November 2026         | <b>Overall</b><br>09 November 2026 – 20 November 2026<br>Total Duration 18 hours* | 07 December 2026<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes | 11 December 2026<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes |
| Summer 2027        | 23 April 2027   | 30 April 2027       | 07 May 2027              | <b>Overall</b><br>10 May 2027 – 21 May 2027<br>Total Duration 18 hours*           | 11 June 2027<br>1.00pm***<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes  | 18 June 2027<br>1.00pm***<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes  |
| Autumn 2027        | 25 October 2027 | 01 November 2027    | 05 November 2027         | <b>Overall</b><br>08 November 2027 – 19 November 2027<br>Total Duration 18 hours* | 06 December 2027<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes | 10 December 2027<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes |
| Summer 2028**      | 21 April 2028   | 28 April 2028       | 05 May 2028              | <b>Overall</b><br>08 May 2028 – 19 May 2028<br>Total Duration 18 hours*           | 09 June 2028<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes     | 16 June 2028<br>9.00am<br>Duration 2 hours 30 minutes     |

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## Occupational Specialism

## (a) Food Sciences

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1*  | Assignment 2*  | Assignment 3  | Assignment 4  |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|--|---|---|
| Summer 2027        | 11 March 2027  | 18 March 2027       | 24 March 2027            | <b>Tasks 1 – 4</b><br>25 March 2027 – 14 May 2027<br>Duration 7 hours 30 minutes | 25 March 2027 – 14 May 2027<br>Duration 7 hours 30 minutes<br><br>**Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027 | <b>Tasks 1 &amp; 2</b><br>24 May 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 3 hours 30 minutes | <b>Tasks 1 &amp; 2</b><br>25 May 2027 9.00am<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes |
| Summer 2028***     | 09 March 2028  | 16 March 2028       | 22 March 2028            | <b>Tasks 1 – 4</b><br>23 March 2028 – 12 May 2028<br>Duration 7 hours 30 minutes | 23 March 2028 – 12 May 2028<br>Duration 7 hours 30 minutes<br><br>**Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028 | <b>Tasks 1 &amp; 2</b><br>22 May 2028 9.00am<br>Duration 3 hours 30 minutes | <b>Tasks 1 &amp; 2</b><br>23 May 2028 9.00am<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes |

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## Occupational Specialism

## (b) Laboratory Sciences\*

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline   | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1  | Assignment 2 Parts A & B**  | Assignment 3                                  |
|--------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---|---|---|
| Summer 2027        | 01 March 2027    | 08 March 2027       | 12 March 2027            | <b>Tasks 1 – 3</b><br>15 March 2027 – 19 March 2027<br>Duration 7 hours | 25 March 2027 – 14 May 2027<br>Duration<br>A 3 hours<br>B 3 hours<br><br>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027 | 17 May 2027 – 21 May 2027<br>Duration 3 hours |
| Summer 2028***     | 28 February 2028 | 06 March 2028       | 10 March 2028            | <b>Tasks 1 – 3</b><br>13 March 2028 – 17 March 2028<br>Duration 7 hours | 23 March 2028 – 12 May 2028<br>Duration<br>A 3 hours<br>B 3 hours<br><br>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028 | 15 May 2028 – 19 May 2028<br>Duration 3 hours |

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Occupational Specialism

(c) Metrology Sciences\*

| Assessment Session | Entry Deadline | Late Entry Deadline | Very Late Entry Deadline | Assignment 1   | Assignment 2**  | Assignment 3   |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|---|--|
| Summer 2027        | 11 March 2027  | 18 March 2027       | 24 March 2027            | <b>Tasks 1 - 3</b><br>26 April 2027 – 30 April 2027<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes | 25 March 2027 – 14 May 2027<br>Duration 7 hours<br><br>Final marks submitted by 14 May 2027 | 17 May 2027 – 21 May 2027<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes |
| Summer 2028***     | 09 March 2028  | 16 March 2028       | 22 March 2028            | <b>Tasks 1 - 3</b><br>24 April 2028 – 28 April 2028<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes | 23 March 2028 – 12 May 2028<br>Duration 7 hours<br><br>Final marks submitted by 12 May 2028 | 15 May 2028 – 19 May 2028<br>Duration 4 hours 30 minutes |

\* Sample and past Tutor Guidance documents are available on the NCFE website and should be used to prepare for the delivery of the assessment, but note that live, paper-specific versions are published for each series and there may be small variations compared to previous versions

\*\* Marks must be entered onto the Portal before midnight on the final submission date. Any students booked but not sitting the assessment should be marked as a DNA in the submit marks screen. Failure to do this will result in delays to final moderation and student results. Remote moderation will take place when the assessment window closes

\*\*\*Final assessment opportunity

## Section 5 General Information

- Marks must be entered onto the Portal before midnight on the final submission date. Any students booked but not sitting the assessment should be marked as a DNA in the submit marks screen. Failure to do this will result in delays to final moderation and student results. Remote moderation will take place when the assessment window closes. Your sampling plan will be available to view on the Portal the next working day. This will only be available when all student marks are present. If you have missed the deadline, contact [tlevelsupport@ncfe.org.uk](mailto:tlevelsupport@ncfe.org.uk).
- Evidence for all students on the moderation sampling plan must be submitted within 3 working days of the final submission date. Visit the NCFE website for information on sending evidence for moderation. Failure to enter marks or submit evidence within the above timescales will be referred to our Provider Assurance team for review and investigation and will result in delays to final moderation and student results. This will also impact your centre's risk rating following the annual monitoring review.
- Where reference is made to Advanced Assessment Materials within this document, this relates to any pre-release materials, made available to providers or students, including system configuration requirements, before assessment papers themselves are available.
- Assessment papers for paper-based external assessments (Core Exams) will be dispatched for arrival 3 working days before the date of an assessment.
- Where assessment material is shared digitally (Core ESP and Occupational Specialisms) assessment material will be available within the NCFE Portal 3 working days before the date of assessment, unless specified otherwise.
- Completed digital external assessment evidence must be returned to NCFE within 3 working days, Core Exam papers within 2 working days following the date of assessment or final date of an assessment window. This requires return of Core Exam papers using the Yellow Label service (or secure equivalent), and to the upload of completed digital assessment material via the NCFE Portal.
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### Change History Record

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