

Qualification Factsheet

Qualification overview

Qualification title	NCFE Level 3 Technical Occupational Entry in Cyber Security (Diploma)		
Qualification number (QN)	610/4004/6		
Total qualification time (TQT)	480	Guided learning hours (GLH)	360
Entry requirements	This qualification is designed as an occupational entry technical qualification for learners 19 and above.		
	There are no specific prior skills/knowledge a learner must have for this qualification. However, learners may find it helpful if they have already achieved a level 2 qualification.		

About this qualification

This qualification is designed to align with ST0865: Cyber Security Technician, providing learners with the knowledge, skills and behaviours (KSBs) required to develop competence in cyber security.

This qualification will provide employers with reliable evidence of a learner's attainment against occupational standard KSBs that form the minimum requirements for entry into occupation.

Qualification structure

To be awarded this qualification, learners are required to successfully achieve **7 units** from the graded mandatory units.

Mandatory units

Unit 01 Cyber security concepts (A/651/1095)	
Unit 02 Cyber security threats, vulnerabilities and risks (D/651/1096)	
Unit 03 Risk and vulnerability assessment (F/651/1097)	
Unit 04 Incident response and disaster recovery (H/651/1098)	
Unit 05 Legislation and governance (J/651/1099)	
Unit 06 Cyber security measures (T/651/1100)	
Unit 07 Professional development in cyber security (Y/651/1101)	

Assessment

This qualification is internally assessed and externally quality assured.



Progression opportunities

Learners who achieve this qualification could progress to the following:

- employment:
 - $\circ \quad \text{cyber security administrator} \\$
 - o cyber security technician
 - o access control administrator
 - o incident response technician
 - o junior information security analyst
 - o junior threat and risk analyst
 - o junior penetration tester



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