Digital Information Technology BTEC

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Course Content information

- Exam Board Edexcel/Pearson
- Course is made up of:
- 1 written exam
- 2 controlled assessment units

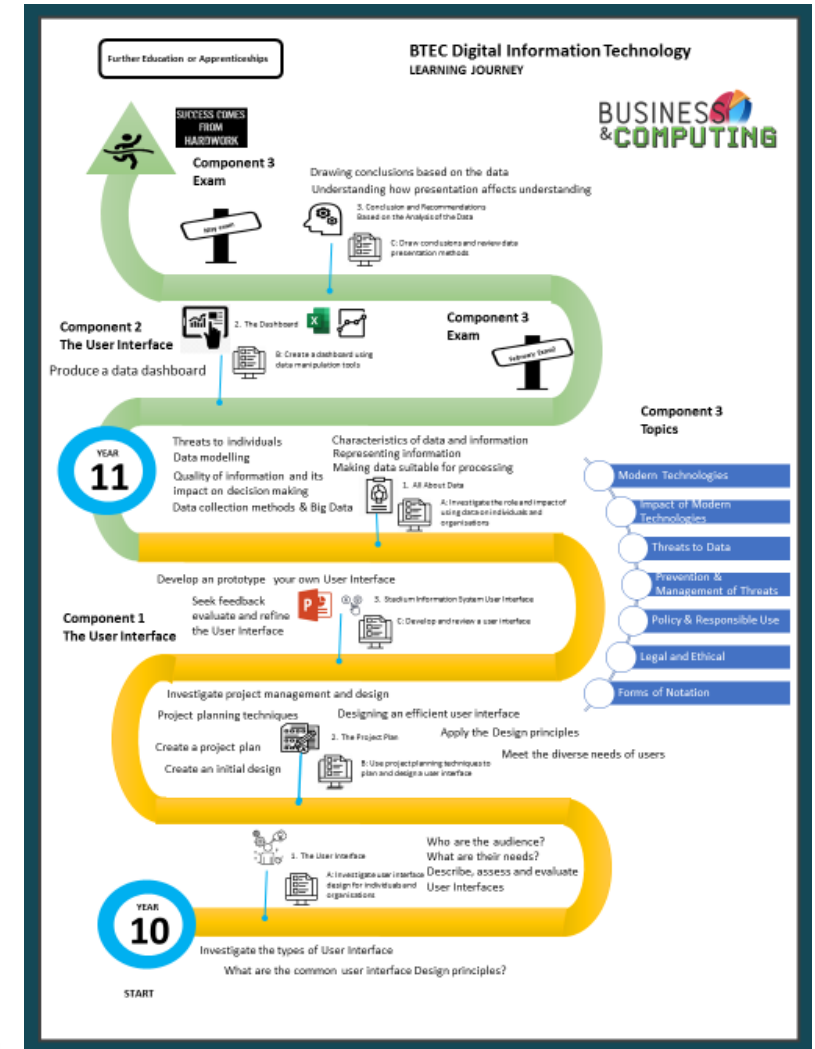# Digital Information Technology

What to expect on this course?

For the examination component

- You will learn about the world of cyber security, hacking, malware, the impact of modern technologies, the legal framework, how to prevent threats to data, ethical hacking

For the controlled assessment –

- Component 1 – You will learn about user interface design, accessibility, testing and create a user interface

- Component 2 – You will build a spreadsheet data dashboard and analyse data

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How is this course graded?

BTEC Tech Award Grading

Level / Qualification Grade	Grade Equivalent
Level 2 / Distinction*	8.5
Level 2 / Distinction	7
Level 2 / Merit	5.5
Level 2 / Pass	4
Level 1 / Distinction	3
Level 1 / Merit	2
Level 1 / Pass	1.25

Possible Careers link

- Ideal for learners who want to progress to a digital Apprenticeship or BTEC Level 3 Nationals at college
- University degree after studying at level 3
- Network consultant
- Cyber Security
- IT Technician
- Ethical Hacking
- Web Development
- Spreadsheet Modeller

Further information

- Speak to Miss Nawaz or Mr Pittam

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https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/btec-tech-awards/digital-information-technology.html

National Careers Service

This link will take you to a government website that is designed to help you explore careers.

https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/

Have a look at careers you are interested and what advice they give you about possible GCSEs and A-levels you should be interested in.