

The Greater Manchester Baccalaureate

Gateways to high-quality jobs in the Greater Manchester economy.

- Construction and the Green Economy
- Creative, Culture and Sport
- Digital and Technology
- Education and Early Years
- Engineering and Manufacturing
- Financial and Professional
- Health and Social Care

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A clearer line of sight to high quality jobs

The English Baccalaureate

The EBacc provides a strong academic route that is valued by Britain's most prestigious universities.

The Greater Manchester Baccalaureate

The MBacc offers a clear route into high quality skilled jobs - with qualifications valued by Greater Manchester employers.

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Essential qualifications

English Language & Literature

Maths

Sciences

Digital Skills

EBacc GCSE options

Modern Languages e.g.

- French
- German
- Spanish

Humanities e.g.

- History
- Geography

MBacc qualification options

Qualifications common to the gateways e.g.

- Business Studies
- Design & Technology
- Engineering
- Food Preparation & Nutrition
- Performing Arts and Art & Design

Young people choose A Levels based on their interests and aspirations.

The MBacc gateways help young people pick the courses that maximise their ability to get a skilled job in the growing success story of the Greater Manchester economy.

- ➔ Health and Social Care
- ➔ Digital and Technology
- ➔ Engineering and Manufacturing
- ➔ Construction and the Green Economy
- ➔ Financial and Professional
- ➔ Education and Early Years
- ➔ Creative, Culture and Sport

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A Levels

T Levels,
Apprenticeships,
other technical qualifications

18
onwards

University

Great jobs or
higher education

Your gateway to Construction and the Green Economy

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Build your MBacc for jobs in Construction and the Green Economy...

Essential qualifications

- English
- Maths
- Sciences
- Digital

Gateway relevant qualifications

- Design & Technology
- Business Studies
- Geography
- Engineering
- Construction

These qualifications can take you to other gateways

- ➔ Engineering and Manufacturing
- ➔ Digital and Technology

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Get qualified, develop skills...

T Levels

e.g. Design, Surveying & Planning

Apprenticeships

e.g. Plumbing/Heating Engineering

Other Technical Qualifications

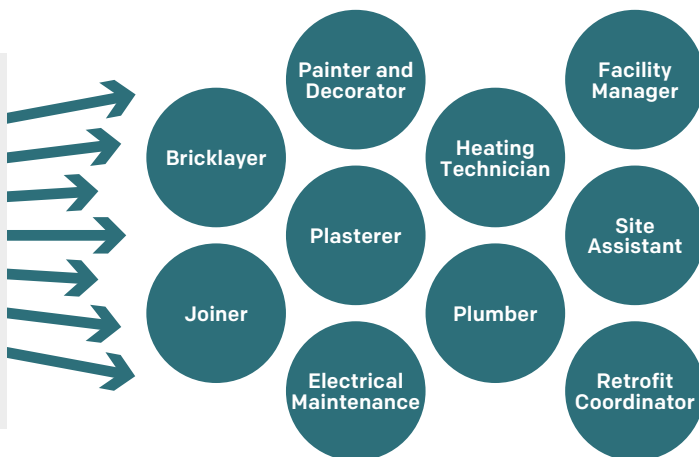
e.g. Civil Engineering

A Levels

e.g. Maths

18 onwards

Step into a great job



Or get more qualified...

Higher Technical Qualifications

- Higher National Certificate
- Foundation Degree
- Higher National Diploma

Professional Qualifications

- Degree
- Degree Apprenticeship

And access more jobs



Potential employers:

J. Murphy & Sons	Siemens Energy	Far East Consortium	BAM	Capital & Centric	Daikin
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Your gateway to Creative, Culture and Sport

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Build your MBacc for jobs in Creative, Culture and Sport...

Essential qualifications

- English
- Maths
- Sciences
- Digital

Gateway relevant qualifications

- Food Preparation & Nutrition
- PE
- Sports Science
- Drama & Performing Arts
- Travel & Tourism

These qualifications can take you to other gateways

- ➔ Digital and Technology
- ➔ Health and Social Care

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Get qualified, develop skills...

T Levels

e.g. Creative & Design

Apprenticeships

e.g. Broadcast Production

Other Technical Qualifications

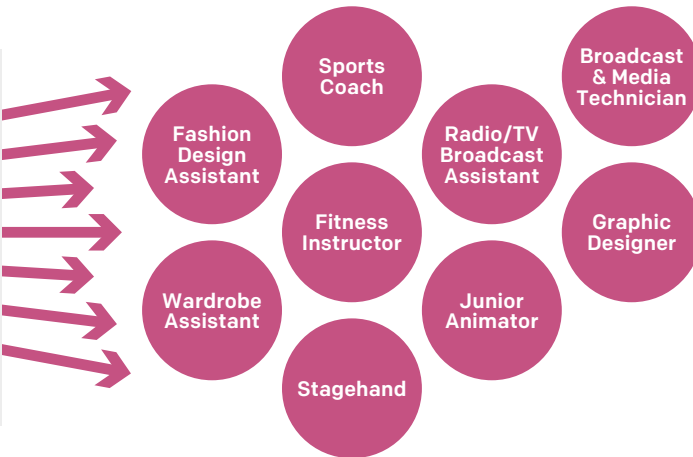
e.g. Sport, Fitness and Personal Training

A Levels

e.g. Media Studies

18 onwards

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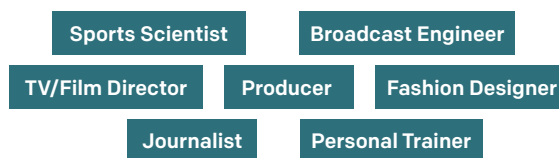
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Potential employers:

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| WPP /
Essence
Media | Science and
Industry
Museum | Ambassador
Theatre | The Hallé | City Football
Group | Manchester
United
Football Club |
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Your gateway to Health and Social Care

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Build your MBacc for jobs in Health and Social Care...

Essential qualifications

- English
- Maths
- Sciences
- Digital

Gateway relevant qualifications

- Health & Social Care
- Child Development
- Sociology
- Food & Nutrition
- PE & Sport Science

These qualifications can take you to other gateways

- ➔ Creative, Cultural and Sport
- ➔ Financial and Professional

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Get qualified, develop skills...

T Levels

e.g. Adult Nursing

Apprenticeships

e.g. Pharmacy Services Assistant

Other Technical Qualifications

e.g. Health and Social Care

A Levels

e.g. Psychology

18 onwards

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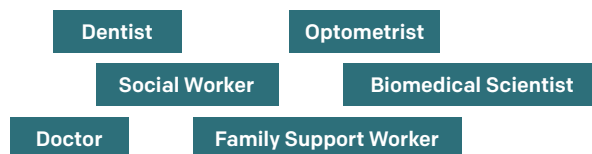
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Potential employers:

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| BUPA | NHS Greater Manchester | Priority | The Christie | Care UK | Persona |
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Your gateway to Digital and Technology

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Build your MBacc for jobs in Digital and Technology...

Essential qualifications

- English
- Maths
- Sciences
- Digital

Gateway relevant qualifications

- Design & Technology
- Graphic Design
- Art & Design
- Engineering

These qualifications can take you to other gateways

- ➔ Creative, Culture and Sport
- ➔ Engineering and Manufacturing

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Get qualified, develop skills...

T Levels

e.g. Digital Support & Services

Apprenticeships

e.g. Software Development Technician

Other Technical Qualifications

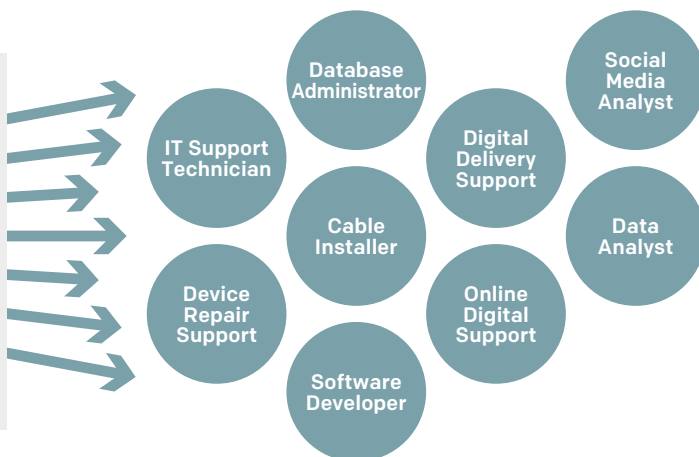
e.g. Computer Systems and Network Support

A Levels

e.g. Information and Communications Technology

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Potential employers:

Booking.com	Cloud Imperium Games	GCHQ	BBC North	ITV	Virgin Media
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Your gateway to Education and Early Years

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Essential qualifications

- English
- Maths
- Science
- Digital

Gateway relevant qualifications

- Child Development
- Health & Social Care
- Sociology
- Psychology
- Art & Design

These qualifications can take you to other gateways

- ➔ Health and Social Care
- ➔ Creative, Culture and Sport

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Get qualified, develop skills...

T Levels

e.g. Education & Early Years

Apprenticeships

e.g. Teaching Assistant

Other Technical Qualifications

e.g. Supporting Teaching & Learning

A Levels

e.g. Sociology

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Potential employers:

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| GM Schools, Colleges and Universities | Kids Planet | Busy Bees | Bright Horizons | New Bridge Group |
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Your gateway to Engineering and Manufacturing

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Build your MBacc for jobs in Engineering and Manufacturing...

Essential qualifications

- English
- Maths
- Sciences
- Digital

Gateway relevant qualifications

- Design & Technology
- Graphic Design
- Business Studies
- Engineering
- Further Maths

These qualifications can take you to other gateways

- ➔ Construction and the Green Economy
- ➔ Digital and Technology

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Get qualified, develop skills...

T Levels

e.g. Structural Engineering

Apprenticeships

e.g. Engineering Manufacturing Technician

Other Technical Qualifications

e.g. Engineering Technology

A Levels

e.g. Maths

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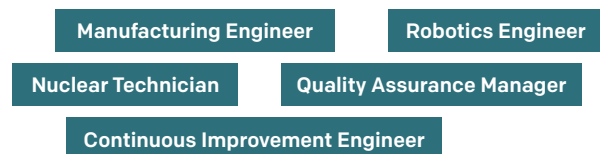
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Potential employers:

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Your gateway to Financial and Professional

at 14

Build your MBacc for jobs in Financial and Professional...

Essential qualifications

- English
- Maths
- Sciences
- Digital

Gateway relevant qualifications

- Business Studies
- Further Maths
- Statistics
- Economics

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- ➔ Creative, Culture and Sport
- ➔ Construction and the Green Economy

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Get qualified, develop skills...

T Levels

e.g. Business & Administration or Legal

Apprenticeships

e.g. Financial Services Administrator

Other Technical Qualifications

e.g. Business Administration

A Levels

e.g. Business

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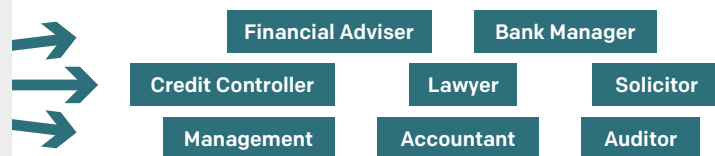
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Potential employers:

Ernst & Young	BNY Mellon	KPMG	JMW Solicitors	Irwin Mitchell	Open Money
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