

Equivalency Table

TWO A LEVELS AT PASS (GRADE A-E) OR THE EQUIVALENT OR HIGHER					
Cannot Accept	<u>TWO</u> qualifications from the below list	OR	<u>ONE</u> qualification from the below list	OR	International Qualification Equivalents
AiDA/CiDA/DiDA	A Level A-E (any subject)		Access to Higher Education (12 units)		European or International Baccalaureate
Apprenticeships (L1 or L2)	Advanced Vocational Certificate of Education (Single Award)		Advanced Diploma Level 3		Matura Certificate (2 subjects passed on both oral and written)
BTEC Apprenticeship	AS Level Double Award AA-EE (must be in the same subject)		Advanced Vocational Certificate of Education (Double Award)		Danish NQF Level 4 Certificate
BTEC First	BTEC National Award		BTEC Extended or Foundation or National Diploma		Estonian EstQF Level 4 Certificate
BTEC Level 2 Technical	BTEC National Certificate		Certificate of Higher Education		French Certifications de Niveau 5
BTEC Work Skills	Chartered Institute in Personnel Practice (CPP)		Chartered Institute in Personnel and Development (CIPD)		German NQF Level 4 Certificate/Diploma
Employability Programmes	Chartered Institute of Payroll Professionals (CPP)		City & Guilds Fellowship, Graduateship or Membership		Irish NQF Level 5 Certificate
English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)	LCCI Level 3		City & Guilds Level 3 Award		Italian EQF Level 4 Certificate
Functional Skills	OCR National Certificate		Foundation Degree		Latvian LQF Level 4 Certificate
GCSE/CSE/O Level	Open University 60-110 Credits		General National Vocational Qualification (GNVQ) Level 3		Lithuanian LTQF 4 Matura Attestation
Single Award AS Level			ILM Fellowship or Membership		Maltese MQF 4 Matriculation Certificate
			IVQ Technical Advanced Diploma		Dutch NLQF Level 4 Certificate
			Music Practitioners Diploma		Norwegian NQF Level 3 Certificate
			National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 3		Slovenian SQF Level 5 Matura Certificate
			OCR National or Extended National Diploma		Scottish SCQF Level 6 Higher Certificate x 2
			Open University 120 Credits		Bachelor Degrees from Argentina, Brazil, Botswana, Colombia, Cyprus, Ghana, India, Kenya, Nigeria, Pakistan, South Africa, Uganda
<p>This table is not exhaustive so if you have a qualification which doesn't appear here please send a clear colour copy of your certificate along with a NARIC statement of comparability, if necessary, to recruitmentpoliceoff@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk for verification</p>					

Researched Qualifications

Qualification Presented	Provider	Referred To	Details	Outcome
SIGINT Collection Course 9/15	Joint Intelligence Training Group	Sheffield University	Spoke to a Senior Lecturer in the Military section of Sheffield University who informed me that any military personnel wishing to study a BSc in Intelligence needs to complete the SIGINT qualification first and, together with their experience, it allows them to do a top up study for 120 credits in order to gain the degree. There is no official comparison to the national framework as it is a military qualification but it would be similar to at least a Level 4 NVQ	Accepted