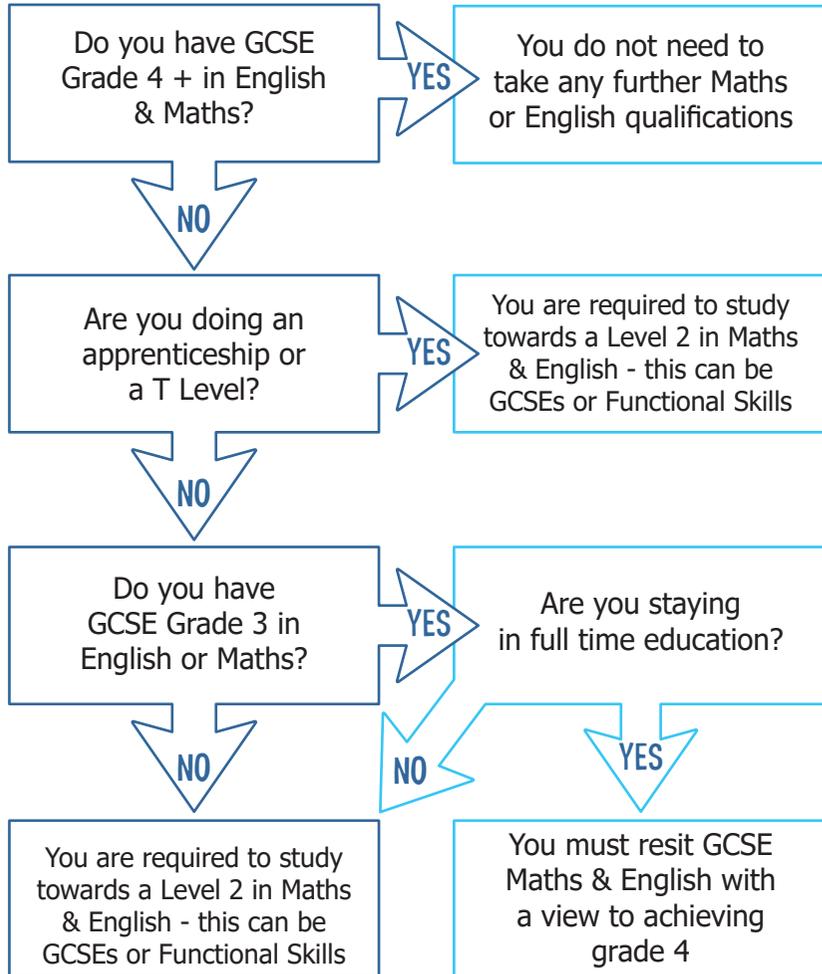


# VOCATIONAL PATHWAYS

**DO I NEED TO DO EXTRA MATHS OR ENGLISH STUDY?**  
(REQUIRED BY 16 TO 18 YEAR OLD OR 19 TO 25 IF HOLDING AN EHCP)?



## LEVEL ONE

## LEVEL TWO

## LEVEL THREE

## LEVEL FOUR +

Functional Skills

BTEC Level 3 / NVQ 3

Higher Apprenticeship

Supported Internships / Study Programmes

GCSEs

A Levels

Higher Technical Qualifications

Traineeships

Intermediate Apprenticeship

T Levels

University / Degree

Pre-Apprenticeships

BTEC Level 2 / NVQ 2

Advanced Apprenticeship

Supported / Inclusive Apprenticeship

Paid Employment - if over 18

\*there maybe some exemptions to this - always check with providers

|   | Description   | Entry Requirements  | What it could lead to   |
|---|---|---|---|
| <b>Functional Skills</b>                                    | An alternative to GCSEs for maths, English & ICT with a more practical and real life context                  | None  | Apprenticeship<br>Traineeship   |
| <b>Supported Internships / Study Programmes</b>             | A structured study programme/ partnership based mainly with an employer                                       | ECHP  | Paid employment<br>Supported apprenticeship                                       |
| <b>Pre-Apprenticeships</b>                                  | A programme of study aimed at exploring different industries and job roles                                    | Up to the training provider / employer                                      | Traineeship   |
| <b>Traineeship</b>  | A work focussed study programme that prepares you for an apprenticeship or work                               | Have little or no work experience and qualifies below Level 3               | Apprenticeship<br>Supportive employment   |
| <b>Supported Inclusive Apprenticeships</b>                  | A real job with training and a salary   | ECHP  | Paid employment   |
| <b>Apprenticeships</b>                                      | A real job with training and a salary   | Employer dependent. Age 16+<br>Evidence of interest and ability to complete | Higher level or degree apprenticeship<br>University or college<br>Paid Employment |
| <b>BTECs / NVQs - Technical / Vocational qualifications</b> | Qualifications that teach you how to do tasks specifically related to the industry and role you want to be in | Course dependent  | Apprenticeship<br>University or college<br>Paid employment                        |
| <b>T Levels</b>   | A technical study programme similar to 3 A levels with an industry placement which takes up 20% of the course | Set by each school/ college   | Apprenticeship<br>University or college<br>Paid employment                        |