



# VOCATIONAL PROGRAMME

Course Guide **2017/18**



# Programme Details

- ❖ 2.5 days per week

  - Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday afternoons,  
Thursday all day,

- ❖ 2 half days

  - Tuesday/Thursday afternoons

- ❖ Friday morning

  - Periods 1,2,3

- ❖ Transport provided or travel expenses reimbursed

# Programme Details

- ❖ Opportunity to gain qualifications and practical experience
- ❖ Most courses run from August to May
- ❖ Progress reports provided
- ❖ Attendance/attitude/performance monitored
- ❖ Courses do not run on school holidays or in-service days.

# Benefits of Vocational Courses

- ❖ Relevant for career / work
- ❖ Practical
- ❖ New Environment / opportunity to try college
- ❖ Treated as an adult (responsibility)
- ❖ Qualifications – Access, National 4, National 5, National Progression Awards, Higher, National Certificate & University Level 1 & 2.

**Open to S5 and S6 pupils**

**some places available to S4**

# Our Partners

Glasgow Clyde College

Glasgow Kelvin College

West College Scotland

Glasgow Caledonian University

Encroute Catering

Neilston Development Trust

Riverside Studios

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# **Courses Available:**

## **Access and Continued Learning**

ESOL

## **Animal Care**

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## **Aviation & Travel**

Airport Operations

Up in the air and on the ground

## **Courses Available - Cont:**

### **Business & Finance**

Accounting

Business Skills

Financial Services

Human Resources and Law



## **Courses Available - Cont:**

### **Care, Health, Life Sciences & Social Care**

Applied Anatomy

Early Education and Childcare

First Aid

Forensic Science

Health and Social Care

Human Body Structure and Function

Introduction to Nursing

Pharmacy Services

Playwork and Childcare

Psychology

Social Services and Healthcare (Adult Services)

Social Services Children and Young people

# Courses Available - Cont:

## Community and Flexible Learning

Youth Work – SCQF Level 6

## Construction & Engineering

Building Services Engineering

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Civil Engineering

Construction Crafts

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Construction Industry Crafts

Construction Management

Construction Skills Certificate Scheme (CSCS)

Engineering Systems

# Courses Available - Cont:

## Creative, Digital Industries & Music

Computer Games Development

ICT Hardware Systems Support

ICT Software

Photography

Professional Theatre Preparation

Sound Production

Television Production

Urban Music

## **Courses Available - Cont:**

### **Fashion & Design**

Fashion Brand Retailing

### **Hair & Beauty**

Barbering

Hair, Beauty and Make-Up

Hairdressing

Fantasy Make Up

Make-Up Artistry and Beauty Therapy

## **Courses Available - Cont:**

### **Horticulture, Hospitality & Landscaping**

Craft Bakery

Grow Cook and Eat

Introduction to Food Service Skills

Professional Cookery

Shoestring Cookery

# **Courses Available - Cont:**

## **Nautical**

Maritime Skills

## **Personal Development**

Comedy through Confidence  
Transitions Programme

## **Retail**

Retailing

## **Sports**

Sport and Recreation: Outdoor Sports

## **Courses Available - Cont:**

**Unformed and Emergency Services**

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### **Vehicle Systems**

Automotive Skills

Cycle Maintenance (Bicycle)

Vehicle Maintenance

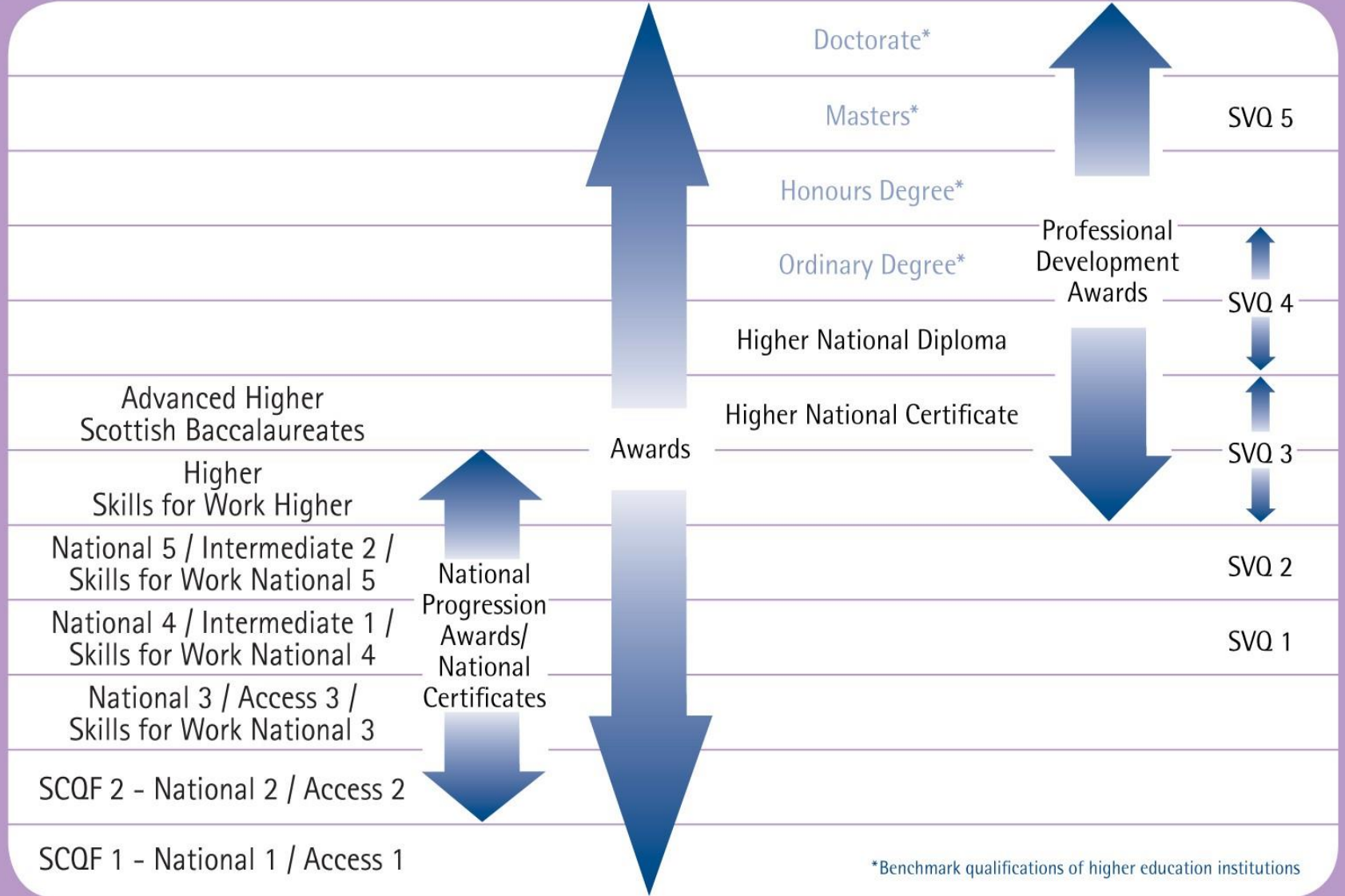


# SQA Qualifications in the Scottish Credit and Qualifications Framework



SCQF Levels

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\*Benchmark qualifications of higher education institutions



## Applying for a course

- ❖ Register interest with Pupil Support PT
- ❖ Complete application form, (including parental consent)  
– see Pupil Support PT
- ❖ Interview
- ❖ School report

**The Vocational Training Programme  
booklet can be downloaded from:**

**<http://www.eastrenfrewshire.gov.uk/article/1740/About-our-schools>**