



ACADEMIC CRITERIA FOR BTEC LEVEL 3 EXTENDED FUNDING

BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma Programme

To be eligible for a BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma Scholarship for entry into Year 12, applicants must achieve a minimum of 5 IGCSE/GCSE/CXC higher level passes of at least grade 'C', including English and Maths for Year 12 entry.

To be eligible for a BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma Scholarship for entry into Year 13, applicants must achieve grades of MP (Merit Pass) in the final results of Year 12.

It is the responsibility of the applicant to supply all required documentation noted on the 1st page and to complete the online application programme featured on the Scholarship Website: <https://moescholarships.gov.ky/>

Failure to complete the online application will result in your application not being processed.

Application period: 1 March to 30 April (annually)

Please note that scholarship funding is not guaranteed, and the Education Council therefore reserves the following rights:

- to prioritise the award of scholarships by areas of study;
- to prioritise the award of scholarships by degree;
- to prioritise the award of scholarships based on the availability of funds as determined by Cabinet.

CONTACT DETAILS FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP SECRETARIAT:

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**Appendix: IMPORTANT Information regarding the process of applying
for an BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma Scholarship**

1. The application period for the receipt by the Scholarship Secretariat of all applications for local scholarship funding is 1 March - 30 April annually. Late applications will not be considered for funding.
2. All Local Scholarship applications are to be processed by Education Council. It is the responsibility of the applicant to supply and upload all required documentation noted on the 1st page and to complete the online application programme featured on the Scholarship Website: <https://moescholarships.gov.ky/>

Failure to complete the online application will result in your application not being processed.

3. Eligibility for BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma Scholarships will depend on the intent to attend a tertiary institution in a Commonwealth country (e.g. the UK, Canada, Jamaica, Trinidad and Tobago and Barbados). A declaration is to be signed by the student/parent acknowledging that pursuing further studies outside of the Commonwealth may limit their ability to obtain subsequent scholarship funding. The signed declaration is to be included with the completed application form. The Information Release Form requires pre-signing and is to be included with completed application.
4. To be eligible for BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma Scholarship, applicants must achieve a minimum of 5 IGCSE/GCSE/CXC higher level passes of at least grade 'C', including English and Maths. Students not meeting the criteria of higher passes in English and Maths may choose to self-fund their 1st year and re-sit this subject.
 - a) Failure to achieve the minimum academic requirement, or to complete the programme, will result in students being in breach of their agreement with the Education Council. Should this occur, students will be required to repay all scholarship funds awarded to date. Any transfer from the BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma Scholarship programme requires prior written approval from Education Council.

To be eligible for overseas tertiary education scholarships Year 13 Students must achieve at least a BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma with a minimum MMM (Triple Merit) grade average in the final result.