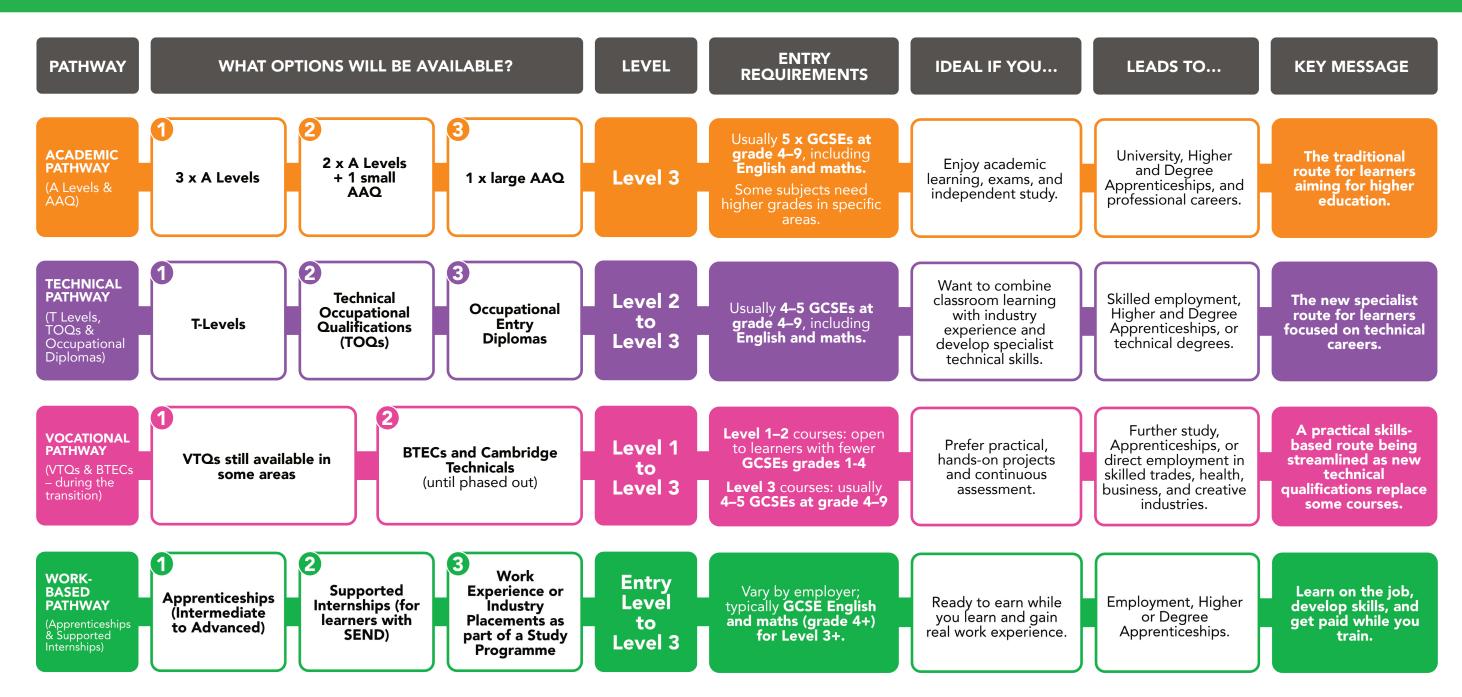
FOUR PATHWAYS TO YOUR FUTURE

What This Means for 16-19 Learners (2025-2028)

- The government is simplifying qualifications so that young people choose between **Academic, Technical,** and **Work-Based routes**.
- By 2028, A Levels, T Levels, Technical Occupational Qualifications (TOQs), and Alternative Academic Qualifications (AAQs) will be the main Level 3 options.
- Many older BTEC and Vocational Technical Qualifications (VTQ) courses will be replaced or restructured to align with these new pathways.
- Schools and colleges will help learners identify the most suitable route based on strengths, career goals, and learning style.



Speak to a Careers Adviser to help you explore the options in more detail.