

# Expectations & Aspirations



**Facing the future with confidence**



Downend Post  
16 Centre



- ★ **Belonging**
- ★ **Opportunities**
- ★ **Success**





- ★ **95% Pass Rate**
- ★ **37% gained A and B Grades**
- ★ **65% going to university**
- ★ **Students meet their target grades**
- ★ **Russell Group and Top Ten candidates**

## ★ A Level Average points score

| 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 |
|------|------|------|------|------|
| 673  | 706  | 778  | 699  | 721  |





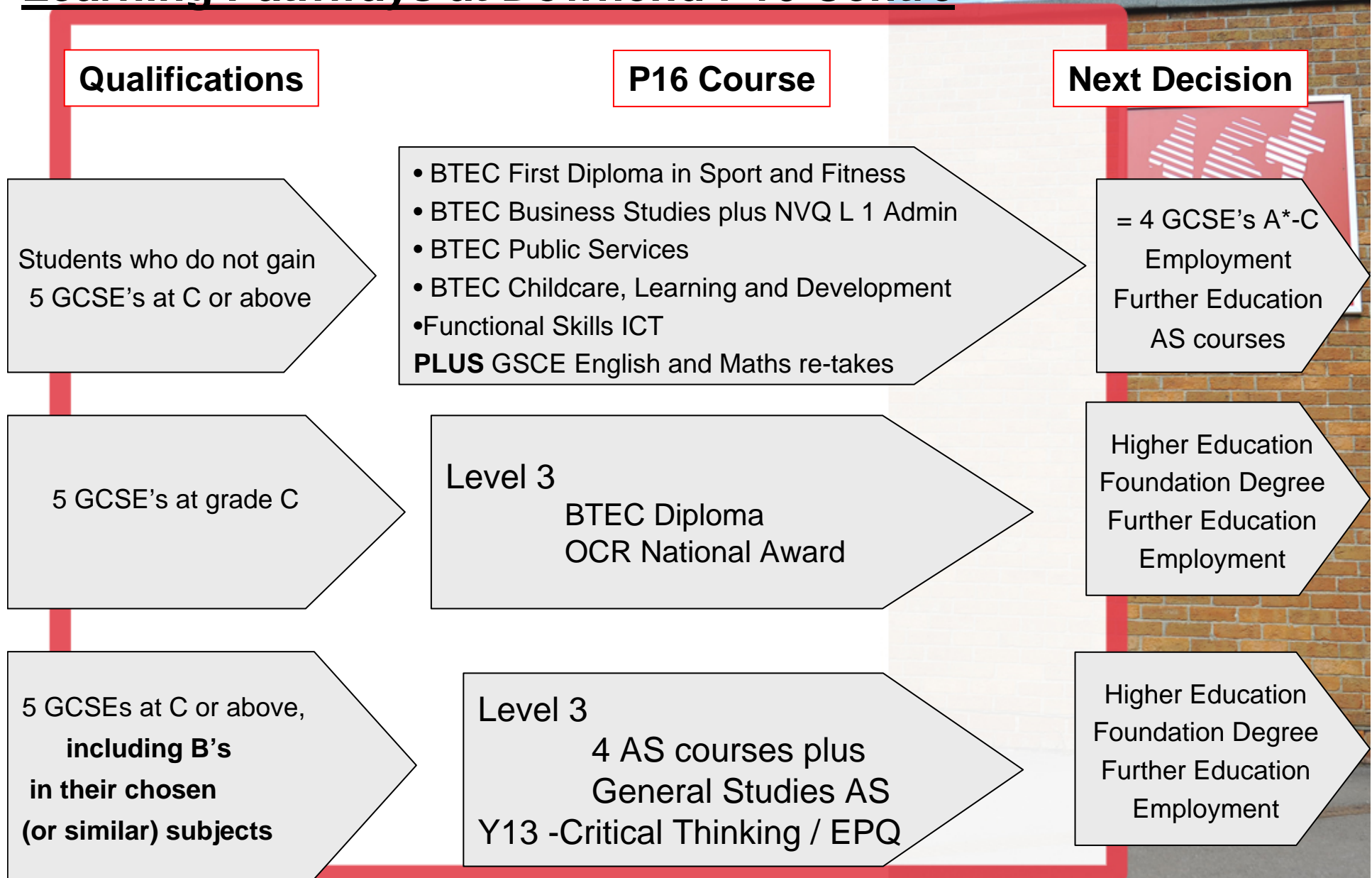
- ★ Academic Tutoring
- ★ “Outstanding Personal Development”
- ★ Quality Assurance
- ★ Curriculum Developments:

Accountancy, Bus. & Economics, Classical Civilisation, Travel & Tourism, BTEC Science



- ★ Student Voice
- ★ Academic Challenge
- ★ V. Involved
- ★ International Trips & Conferences
- ★ Post 16 experience

# Learning Pathways at Downend P16 Centre



# AQA Bacc

## Broader Study

**General Studies, Critical Thinking or Citizenship** to AS Level.

## Enrichment Activities

**V.Involved** community work in local schools, hospitals, charities; Work-related learning; Personal development activities - Duke of Edinburgh Award scheme, debating society.

## Independent Learning

**The Extended Project** will develop students' abilities to manage tasks using their own initiative and resources

The Bacc is built on the solid foundation of students 3 main A Level choices.



## ★ University Destinations

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|---------------------|---|
| <b>Manchester</b>   | <b>Anatomical Sciences / English Literature</b> |
| <b>Loughborough</b> | <b>Chemistry / Sports Science</b>               |
| <b>Reading</b>      | <b>Educational Studies / Biology</b>            |
| <b>Bangor</b>       | <b>Geological Oceanography</b>                  |
| <b>Portsmouth</b>   | <b>Sports Science / Geography</b>               |
| <b>Sheffield</b>    | <b>Nutrition, Health and Lifestyle</b>          |
| <b>Oxford</b>       | <b>Psychology / Music</b>                       |
| <b>Plymouth</b>     | <b>Medicine – Primary Teaching</b>              |
| <b>Bath Spa</b>     | <b>Creative Writing / Sports Science</b>        |
| <b>Cardiff</b>      | <b>Geography / Chemical Engineering</b>         |
| <b>UWE</b>          | <b>Economics / Law</b>                          |
| <b>Bristol</b>      | <b>Criminology / French &amp; German</b>        |
| <b>Imperial</b>     | <b>Electrical Engineering</b>                   |
| <b>Exeter</b>       | <b>English / History</b>                        |
| <b>Cambridge</b>    | <b>Natural Sciences / Engineering</b>           |





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**Application  
Forms to Tutors  
by Friday 12<sup>th</sup>  
November**



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