

# ICT Single [Level 3]

Exam board & Specification Number	Pearson 360 GLH
Qualification Accreditation Number (QAN)	<b>601/7575/8</b>
Link to Course Details Webpage	<a href="#">Click Here</a>
Duration, Delivery and Study Mode	Two Years                      Full Time                      Day Time Study
Start Date (not flexible) and Campus	01 September from Stanley Avenue Campus

## Course Details: Who is this Course for?

This course is for students progressing from GCSE into Level 3 (A Level or Equivalent) studies, with a view to study this subject or related subjects at degree level.

## Course Details: What Will You Learn?

Year 1	<b>Unit 1 – Information Technology Systems:</b> Learners study the role of computer systems and the implications of their use in personal and professional situations. <b>Unit 2 – Creating Systems to manage information:</b> Learners study the design, creation, testing and evaluation of a relational database system to manage information. <b>Unit 3 – Using Social Media:</b> Learners explore how businesses use social media to promote their products and services. Learners also implement social media activities in a business to meet requirements
Year 2	<b>Unit 6 – Web Development:</b> Learners investigate website development principles. They will design and develop a website using scripting languages. <b>Unit 1 – Information Technology Systems:</b> Learners study the role of computer systems and the implications of their use in personal and professional situations.

## Course Details: How will you be Assessed?

These are the Unit Codes and their percentage weighting at AS Level:		
Unit 1: Information Technology	[30%]	Assessed by a 2 hour examination in the Summer Term.
Unit 2 : Creating Systems	[20%]	Assessed by a 5 hour practical examination which takes place over 2 days
Unit 3: Using Social Media	[30%]	Assessed internally and sampled by the exam board
Unit 5: Website Development	[20%]	Assessed internally and sampled by the exam board

## Course Details: Entry Requirements

Please see our [webpage](#) for details of our course entry requirements.

**Students must achieve a D grade or higher at the end of Year 12 in order to progress into Year 2 of this course.**

# Additional Course Information

## Course Details: How will you Learn?

Delivery Mode:

- Classroom based teaching
- Online Platform
- Application Software

## Course Details: Equipment / Materials you will need

- Cloud Computing Access
- Text Book
- USB

## How can I prepare for and explore this course further?

- [Glossary of Technical Terminology](#)
- [Recommended Reading Texts](#)
- [Past Exam Papers](#)
- [Related Videos/Articles Assignment Briefs](#)
- Books:** Trigger Happy: The inner life of videogames - Stephen Poole, Accidental Empires - Robert X Cringely.
- Magazines:** Wired, New Scientist
- Visit:** The National Museum of Computing: <https://www.tnmoc.org/>

## Careers & Progression (Where Next)?

Career ideas and Progression route:

A level 3 qualification in ICT will enable students to enter degree & degree level courses in Computer Science or any other technology computing qualification.

[Click here for information on Careers in ICT](#)