

Notification to centres delivering Level 3 Tech level qualifications this academic year with learners due to complete this summer 2018

All awarding organisations offering Tech levels and Applied General qualifications have received notification from the Department for Education and Ofqual regarding arrangements for the external assessments for these qualifications.

Ofqual have asked awarding organisations to consider a 'safety net' for learners that have achieved all the components of the qualification with the exception of one external assessment and more details are included in their letter on <u>Ofqual's website</u>.

We've evaluated the options regarding the advice on the 'safety net', and we're pleased to confirm that where learners have achieved all the components of their Level 3 Tech level qualification with the exception of the external exam:

- We will review their exam results and include those results that are within a tolerance of marks below the pass mark as having achieved the component.
- The tolerance will be confirmed during our awarding processes in the summer.
- The exam result for learners that this applies to will be issued as a pass and allow a qualification grade to be awarded for these learners.

We will ensure that these are included in the final results that are published on the Walled Garden in August 2018.

If you have any further questions please contact our Technical Moderation Support Team on **01924 206719** or email **moderationsupport@cityandguilds.com**

