

Condition of Funding for Study Programmes Using Maths and English qualifications

The Maths and English Condition of Funding for Study Programmes for 16-19s allows the following qualifications to meet the conditions:

- GCSEs
- Functional Skills at Level 2
- Certain other “stepping stone” qualifications.

Stepping stone qualifications include:

- Functional Skills at level 1 and below
- ESOL qualifications
- other qualifications nominated by institutions and approved by the Department for Education

In order for qualifications to meet the requirements of the last bullet they have to both:

- a) Be qualifications which are approved for delivery in the 16-19 space on this database: [Find a learning aim \(submit-learner-data.service.gov.uk\)](https://submit-learner-data.service.gov.uk) (this used to be referred to as the Section 96 list) and can be delivered as part of a study programme
- b) Be qualifications which meet the size and level requirements and have been confirmed as ‘stepping stones’ qualifications.

These City & Guilds’ qualifications currently meet the condition of funding and have done since 2022:

| C&G N° | Learning Aim Ref | Qualification title |
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| 4748-01 | 6034913X | City & Guilds Functional Skills qualification in English at Entry Level 1 |
| 4748-01 | 60349141 | City & Guilds Functional Skills qualification in English at Entry Level 2 |
| 4748-01 | 60349153 | City & Guilds Functional Skills qualification in English at Entry Level 3 |
| 4748-02 | 60346462 | City & Guilds Functional Skills qualification in English at Level 1 |
| 4748-02 | 60346474 | City & Guilds Functional Skills qualification in English at Level 2 |
| 3847-03 | 60075880 | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in English Skills - Reading (Entry 1) |
| 3847-03 | 60075892 | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in English Skills - Speaking and Listening (Entry 1) |
| 3847-03 | 60076148 | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in English Skills - Writing (Entry 1) |
| 3847-03 | 6007615X | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in English Skills - Reading (Entry 2) |
| 3847-03 | 6007601X | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in English Skills - Speaking and Listening (Entry 2) |
| 3847-03 | 60076094 | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in English Skills - Writing (Entry 2) |

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| 3847-03 | 60076082 | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in English Skills - Reading (Entry 3) |
| 3847-03 | 60076008 | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in English Skills - Speaking and Listening (Entry 3) |
| 3847-03 | 60076070 | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in English Skills - Writing (Entry 3) |
| 3847-02 | 60075879 | City & Guilds Entry Level Certificate in English Skills (Entry 1) |
| 3847-02 | 60075934 | City & Guilds Entry Level Certificate in English Skills (Entry 2) |
| 3847-02 | 60075910 | City & Guilds Entry Level Certificate in English Skills (Entry 3) |
| 4748-03 | 60349189 | City & Guilds Functional Skills qualification in mathematics at Entry Level 1 |
| 4748-03 | 60349165 | City & Guilds Functional Skills qualification in mathematics at Entry Level 2 |
| 4748-03 | 60349177 | City & Guilds Functional Skills qualification in mathematics at Entry Level 3 |
| 4748-04 | 60346486 | City & Guilds Functional Skills qualification in Mathematics at Level 1 |
| 4748-04 | 60346498 | City & Guilds Functional Skills qualification in Mathematics at Level 2 |
| 3847-23 | 60075247 | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in Mathematics Skills - Number (Entry 1) |
| 3847-23 | 60074929 | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in Mathematics Skills (Measure, Shape and Space) (Entry 1) |
| 3847-23 | 60074942 | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in Mathematics Skills - Number (Entry 2) |
| 3847-23 | 60074954 | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in Mathematics Skills - Measure, Shape and Space (Entry 2) |
| 3847-23 | 60074978 | City & Guilds Entry Level Award in Mathematics Skills - Number (Entry 3) |
| 3847-22 | 60075235 | City & Guilds Entry Level Certificate in Mathematics Skills (Entry 1) |
| 3847-22 | 60075156 | City & Guilds Entry Level Certificate In Mathematics Skills (Entry 2) |
| 3847-22 | 60075120 | City & Guilds Entry Level Certificate in Mathematics Skills (Entry 3) |

The Entry Level themed Awards for Mathematics in Handling Data and the Level 1 and Level 2 themed Awards for English in (Reading, Writing and Speaking and Listening) and the Level 1 themed Awards for Mathematics (Number, Measure, Shape and Space and Handling Data) **can** be delivered to 16-19s as part of a study programme **but** do not meet the Condition of Funding for study programmes and **have not done so since at least 2016**. They are therefore unlikely to be funded.

The Condition of Funding requires learners to be enrolled with the college for a qualification which meets the conditions, **but** funding is not contingent to the learner achieving the qualification.

In order to be able to deliver qualifications such as 3847 at Level 1 and Level 2, learners need to be recorded on the ILR and with the awarding body for a qualification which meets the conditions i.e. Functional Skills.

The learner can be registered with the awarding organisation on 3847 and complete the themed awards or even individual units of 3847, providing skills development and confidence building as stepping stones towards other, larger, qualifications such as Functional Skills or GCSE. These qualifications aim to support learners who have not yet earned a level 2 in functional skills maths and English, including learners with EHCPs and care leavers.