Declared Purpose:

The following purpose is for the **Level 3 Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles (4290-13) (501/0019/1)** which is a Technical Level qualification.

The intention of the purpose is to explain to students, parents, employers, post 16 providers and higher education institutes where the qualification could lead. The qualification has appropriate content and assessment methods for 16-19 year olds.

Our Level 3 Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair Principles (4290-13) (501/0019/1) is a Technical Level Qualification for students wishing to specialise in the automotive maintenance and repair sector as a motor vehicle diagnostic technician.

Learners studying this qualification will receive specialist knowledge and skills, enabling them to go into employment or an advanced apprenticeship in vehicle maintenance and repair or progression to a higher education course.

Some of the skills learners will have acquired upon achievement of this qualification are:

- routine vehicle maintenance
- removal and replacement of vehicle units
- diagnosis and rectification of vehicle mechanical and electrical faults.

These skills will enable learners to gain employment as a motor vehicle diagnostic technician, working with minimum supervision, having a good record of safety and fault correction, and ensuring work meets the required standard. It will also prepare them to become a MOT tester.

Moreover, they will have an awareness of the range of jobs and work settings in the sector what paired with the technical skills gained during their training will boost their confidence to assume more responsibility by supervising others or running their own business.

This information can be found on our website and within the qualification handbook available at [http://www.cityandguilds.com/Courses-and-Qualifications/transport-maintenance/automotive/4290-vehicle-maintenance-and-repair-vrq]