

## Availability of reformed qualifications to learners in Wales centres

NCN centre category (control/government)	Description	Availability of reformed qualifications	Additional information
0	Other, e.g. training centre with mixed public and private funding (excluding Learning and Skills Council (LSC)).	WJEC and Eduqas	Please note that the responsibility for entry is that of the centre and is linked to funding. According to the QW Act, learners who are “funded by Welsh Ministers or the Local Authority” are only permitted to take approved or designated qualifications (in this case, WJEC only qualifications). Hence funding from any other source, be that private funding or UK Government funding, is not subject to that restriction and so those learners would only be subject to any restrictions in place that applied to that specific funding (which may mean, in some cases, that only Eduqas qualifications are eligible – in other cases that WJEC or Eduqas may be used).
1	Maintained – Schools or colleges owned and wholly funded by LA including former grant maintained schools which are now community schools; special school funded by Department of Health and Social Security (DHSS); adult education centre on LA premises.	WJEC only	
2	Independent – Including all independently administered schools and colleges (other than CTCs); training centres receiving no public funding.	WJEC and Eduqas	
3	Aided/special agreement – Voluntary school where LA pays only for internal maintenance and running costs, including former grant maintained schools which are now voluntary aided.	WJEC only	
4	Controlled – Voluntary school where LA pays all the costs, including former grant maintained schools which are now voluntary controlled. Also includes Academies.	WJEC only	
5	HM Government, e.g. HM Prison, HMYOI, HM Forces including Service Children’s Education (SCE), training centre wholly funded by a government department.	WJEC and Eduqas	Please note that the responsibility for entry is that of the centre and is linked to funding. According to the QW Act, learners who are “funded by Welsh Ministers or the Local Authority” are only permitted to take approved or designated qualifications (in this case, WJEC only qualifications). Hence funding from any other source, be that private funding or UK Government funding, is not subject to that restriction and so those learners would only be subject to any restrictions in

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6	CTC trust – City technology colleges.	N/A	
7	Foundation state – Including former grant maintained schools.	WJEC only	
8	Higher education – Including university departments.	N/A	
9	Skills Funding Agency (SFA)/Young People’s Learning Agency (YPLA) – College or training centre wholly or partly funded by the SFA	WJEC and Eduqas	Please note that the responsibility for entry is that of the centre and is linked to funding. According to the QW Act, learners who are “funded by Welsh Ministers or the Local Authority” are only permitted to take approved or designated qualifications (in this case, WJEC only qualifications). Hence funding from any other source, be that private funding or UK Government funding, is not subject to that restriction and so those learners would only be subject to any restrictions in place that applied to that specific funding (which may mean, in some cases, that only Eduqas qualifications are eligible – in other cases that WJEC or Eduqas may be used).