

Foundation Apprenticeship Programme Eligibility:

Specific Entry Criteria per Framework is listed below. Please note that this is in addition to the following requirement which is common to all areas:

- Candidates must have an interest in developing greater awareness of the industry with a potential desire to pursue as a career
- Candidates must be capable of working at Level 6 (Higher) over S5 and S6

Framework	Entrance Criteria (Information only)
Civil Engineering	Candidates intending to leave school at the end of S6 with minimum of one or more Highers in either Maths, Physics or Chemistry and Nat 5's. Essential criteria as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieved or working towards Higher Maths/Physics/Chemistry (A-C) by end of S6 • Achieved or working towards Nat 5's (A-C) by end S6
Mechanical Engineering	Candidates intending to leave school at the end of S6 with minimum of one or more Highers incl. Maths and Nat 5's. Essential criteria as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieved or working towards Higher Maths (A-C) by end of S6 • Achieved or working towards Nat 5's (A-C) by end S6
Engineering Systems	Candidates intending to leave school at the end of S6 with minimum of one or more Highers in either Maths, Physics or Chemistry and Nat 5's. Essential criteria as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieved or working towards Higher Maths/Physics/Chemistry (A-C) by end of S6 • Achieved or working towards Nat 5's (A-C) by end S6
Social Services – Children & Young People	Candidates intending to leave school at the end of S6 with minimum of one or more Highers incl. English and Nat 5's. Essential criteria as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieved or working towards Higher English (A-C) by end of S6 • Achieved or working towards Nat 5's (A-C) by end S6 • PVG Check required
Social Services – Healthcare	Candidates intending to leave school at the end of S6 with minimum of one or more Highers incl. English and Nat 5's. Essential criteria as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieved or working towards Higher English (A-C) by end of S6 • Achieved or working towards Nat 5's (A-C) by end S6 • PVG Check required
ICT – Software	Candidates intending to leave school at the end of S6 with minimum of one or more Highers incl. Maths and Nat 5's. Essential criteria as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieved or working towards Higher Maths (A-C) by end of S6 • Achieved or working towards Nat 5's (A-C) by end S6

ICT - Hardware	<p>Candidates intending to leave school at the end of S6 with minimum of one or more Highers in relevant subject areas and Nat 5's. Essential criteria as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieved or working towards Higher (A-C) in relevant subject areas – Information Technology, Maths, Computing Science etc. by end of S6 • Achieved or working towards Nat 5's (A-C) by end S6
Financial Services	<p>Candidates intending to leave school at the end of S6 with minimum of one or more Highers in relevant subject areas and Nat 5's. Essential criteria as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieved or working towards Higher (A-C) in relevant subject areas – Economics, Accounts, Business etc. by end of S6 • Achieved or working towards Nat 5's (A-C) by end S6 • Credit Check Required
Business Skills	<p>Candidates intending to leave school at the end of S6 with minimum of one or more Highers in relevant subject areas and Nat 5's. Essential criteria as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieved or working towards Higher (A-C) in relevant subject areas – Economics, Accounts, Business etc. by end of S6 • Achieved or working towards Nat 5's (A-C) by end S6
Creative Digital Media	<p>Candidates intending to leave school at the end of S6 with minimum of one or more Highers in relevant subject areas and Nat 5's. Essential criteria as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieved or working towards Higher (A-C) in relevant subject areas – IT, English, Maths etc. by end of S6 • Achieved or working towards Nat 5's (A-C) by end S6
Scientific Technologies	<p>Candidates intending to leave school at the end of S6 with minimum of one or more Highers incl. Chemistry and Nat 5's. As a guide:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieved or working towards Higher Chemistry (A-C) by end of S6 • Achieved or working towards Nat 5's (A-C) by end S6
Food & Drink Operations	<p>Candidates intending to leave school at the end of S6 with minimum of one or more Highers in relevant subject areas and Nat 5's. Essential criteria as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieved or working towards Higher (A-C) in relevant subject areas – English, Maths, Business (A-C) by end of S6 • Achieved or working towards Nat 5's (A-C) by end S6
Accountancy	<p>Candidates intending to leave school at the end of S6 with minimum of one or more Highers in relevant subject areas and Nat 5's. Essential criteria as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieved or working towards Higher (A-C) in relevant subject areas – Economics, Accounts, Business etc. by end of S6 • Achieved or working towards Nat 5's (A-C) by end S6 • Credit Check Required