

# BTEC Works for **Land-based studies**

If you love animals, are passionate about the environment and are looking for a career that makes you feel connected to the land, then taking a course in one of the wide range of land-based sectors could be for you.

From Animal and Equine Care to Agriculture and Horticulture, your chosen career could combine an understanding of the natural world with cutting-edge knowledge and transferable skills across science, engineering, business, creative and leisure, and IT.

A BTEC Land-based course takes a practical, assignment-based approach so you can acquire the skills, knowledge and competencies you'll need to put your learning straight into practice and get your land-based career off to the best possible start.

## What kind of career can I go into?

Here are a few ideas to get you started:

- Farm Worker
- Animal Nutritionist
- Groom
- Veterinary Nurse
- Tree Surgeon
- Garden Designer

## Sector at a glance

BTEC Land-based is made up of several subjects (but not limited to):

- Animal Management
- Agriculture
- Equine Management
- Forestry and Arboriculture
- Countryside Management

to name just a few.

There are a range of qualifications available across Level 2 to Level 5.

## Kira Newey

### Studied

BTEC High National Diploma (HND) in Agriculture, NPTC Group.

### Course highlights

Increasing knowledge of the agricultural world whilst developing soft skills such as communication and teamwork.


### Next Steps


Kira is continuing her role as an Agricultural Lecturer and enrolling in a Master's Degree.




## The top 5 skills employers look for that you'll learn on this BTEC course

 Communication

 Time management

 Self-motivation

 Lateral thinking

 Independent study skills