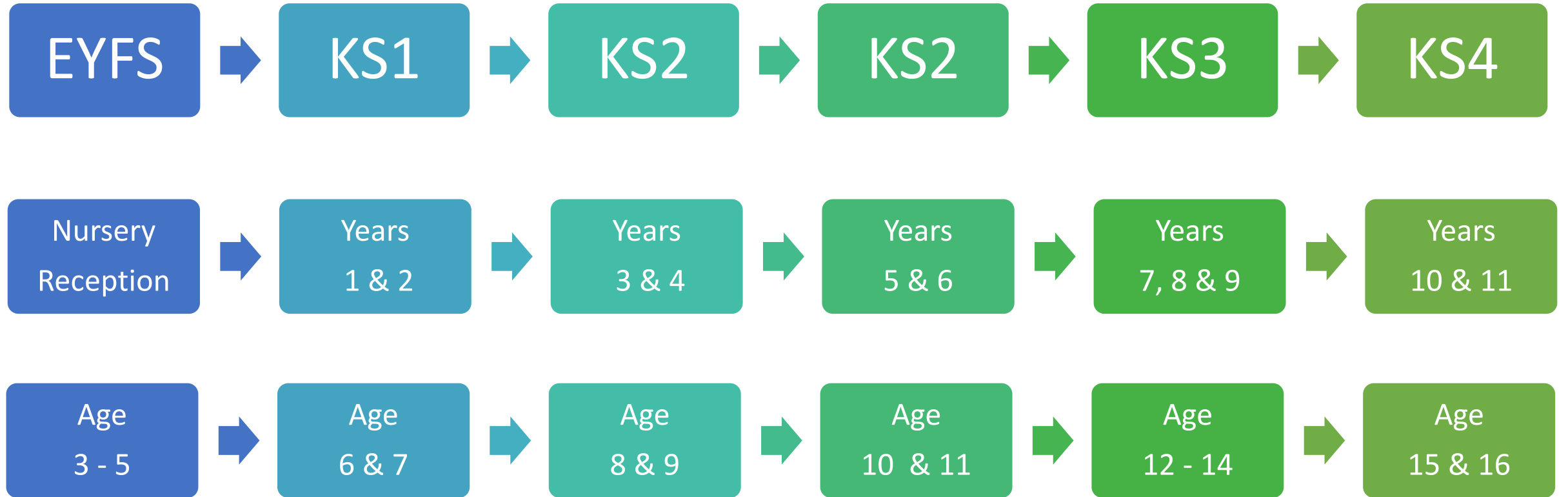




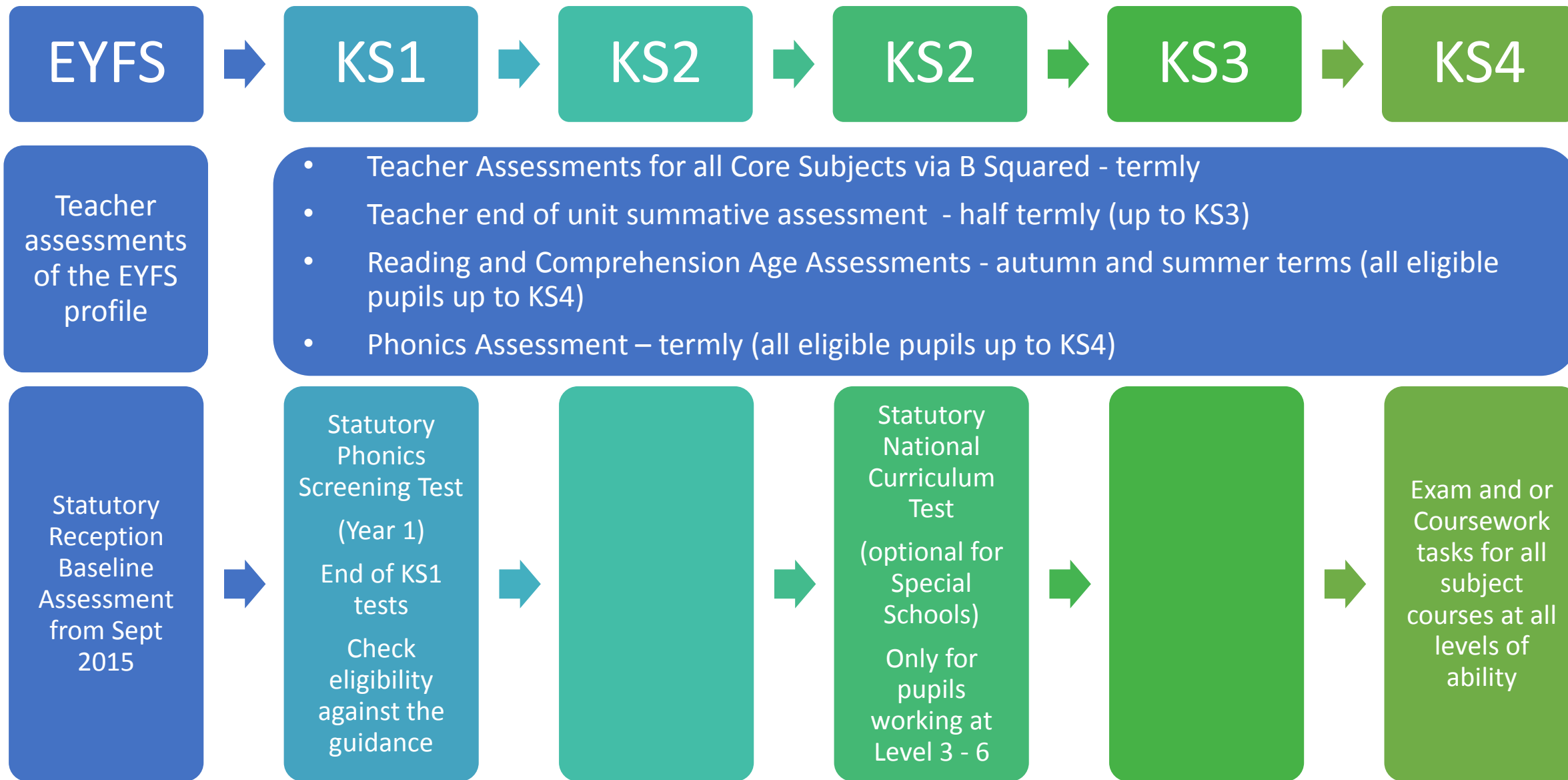
Governors' Guide to Qualifications

March 2015

Key Stages, Year Groups and Ages



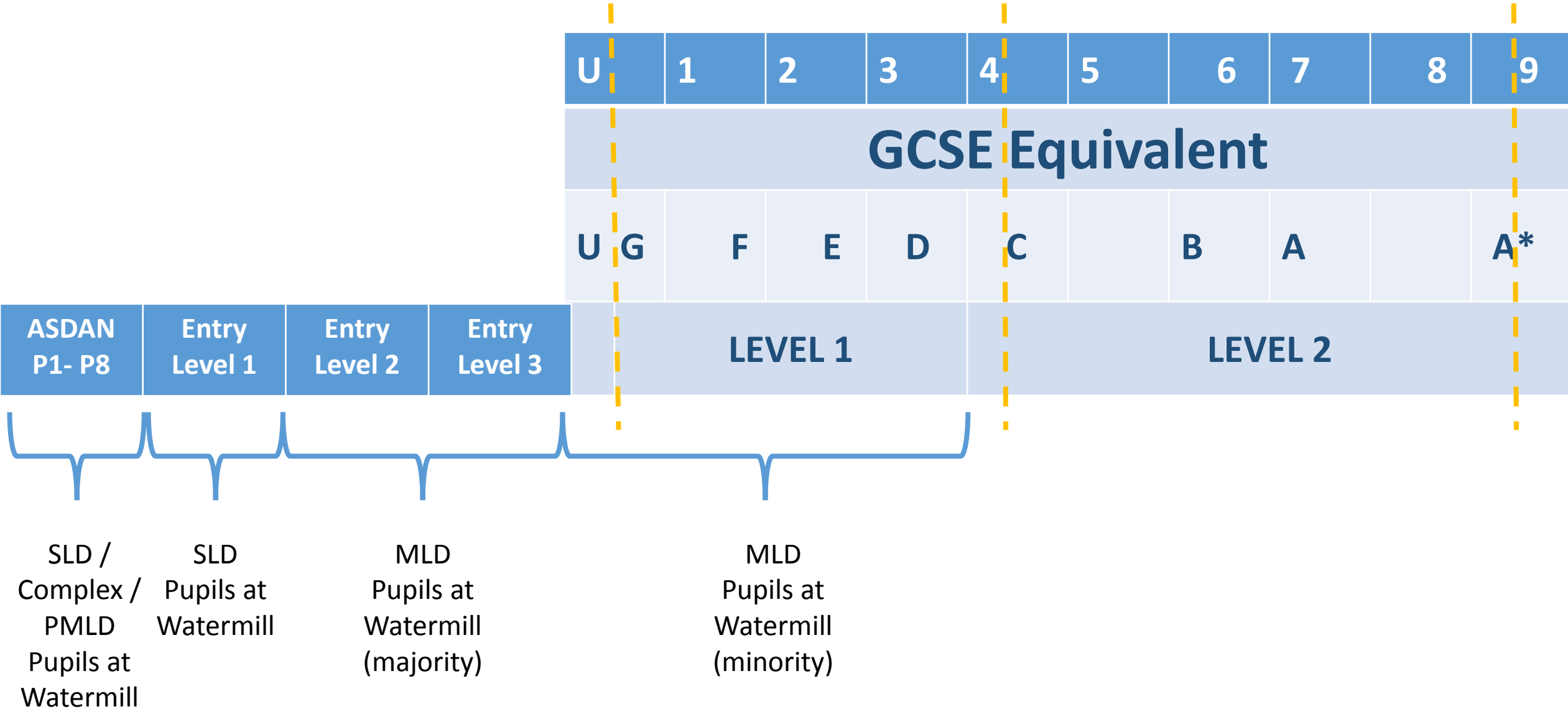
Watermill Assessment Schedule (summary)



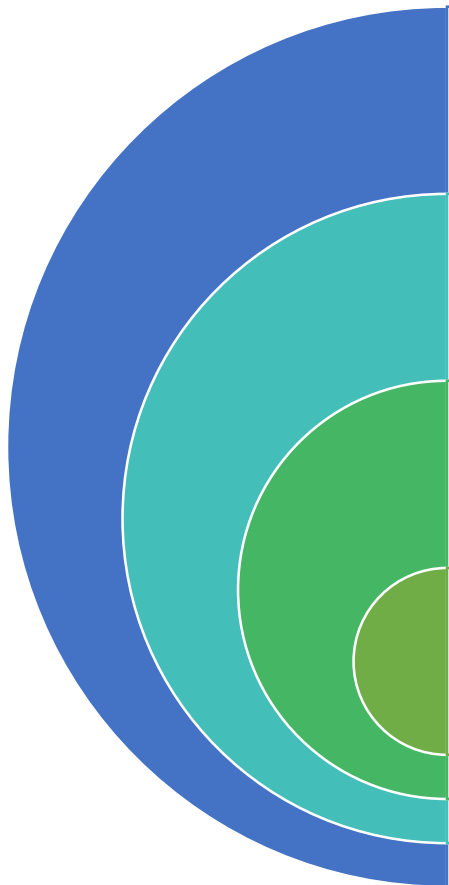
The national view of qualification progression

P1 – P8	Entry Level 1	Entry Level 2	Entry Level 3	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6	Level 7	Level 8
			KS3	KS4		KS5	UNIVERSITY			POST - GRADUATE	
				GCSE Grades 3 - 1 (D-G)	GCSE Grades 9- 4 (A-C)	A Level	Degree			MA/MS c	PhD
						Level 3 Diploma	Foundation Degree				
							HNC	HND			

What this looks like for Watermill pupils....



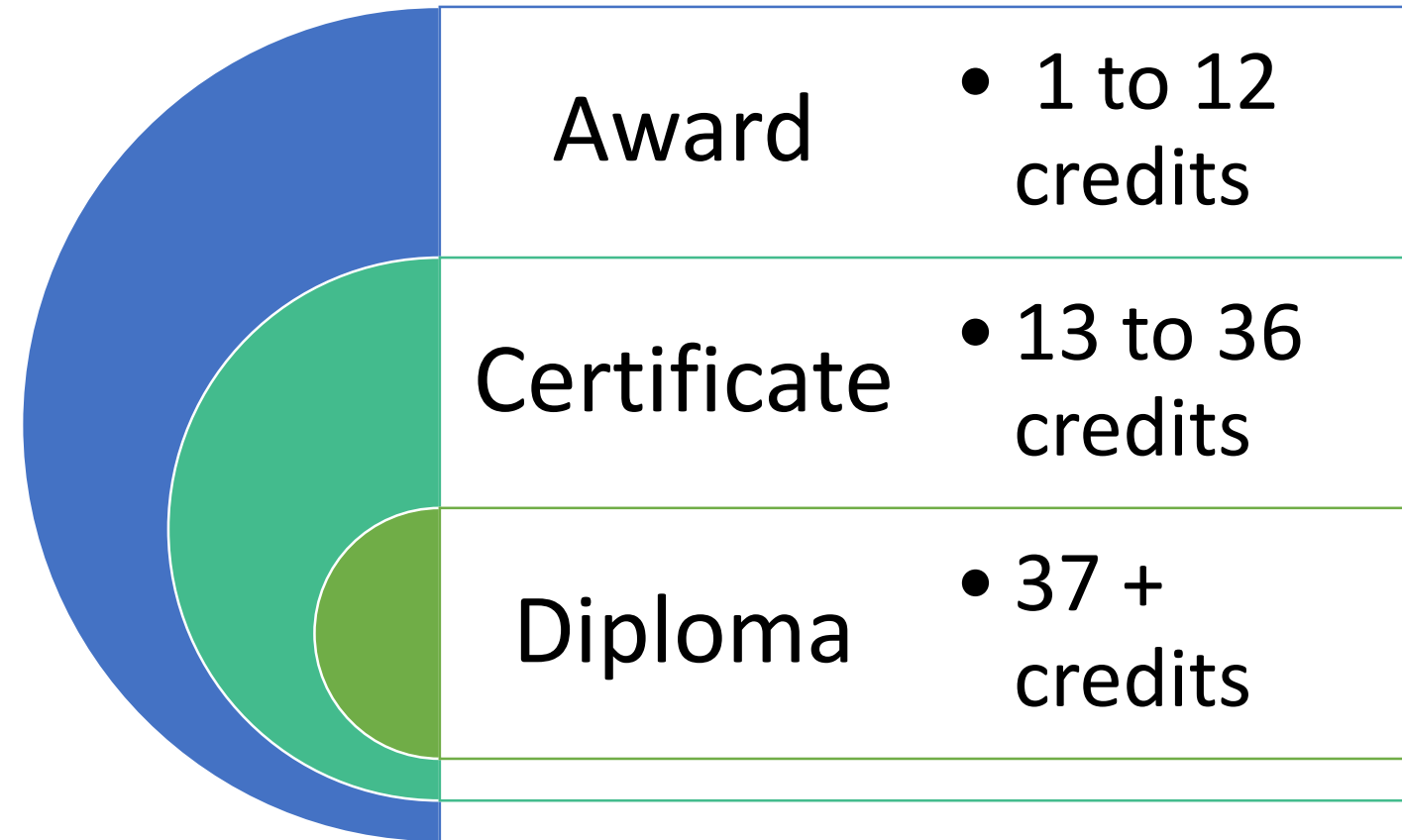
Qualifications we offer...



ASDAN P1 - 8	New Horizons, Personal Skills, My Challenge, Transition Challenge, Towards Independence. CoPE.
Entry Level 1, 2, 3	Award, Certificate & Diploma – Core & Foundation Subjects Functional Skills Entry Level – English, maths & ICT *Science, *D&T Resistant Materials
Level 1 (Equivalent of GCSE Grade 3 -1 / D-G)	Award, Certificate & Diploma – Core & Foundation Subjects Functional Skills – English, maths, ICT OCR Nationals
Level 2 (Equivalent of GCSE Grade 9 - 4 / A* - C)	Award, Certificate & Diploma – Core & Foundation Subjects Functional Skills

*Most units and qualifications we offer are part of the **Qualifications and Credit Framework (QCF)** – this is the national credit transfer system for education qualifications in England, NI and Wales.

The value of credits:



Award	• 1 to 12 credits
Certificate	• 13 to 36 credits
Diploma	• 37 + credits

Every unit has a **credit value**.

One credit represents 10 hours of learning time.

Each unit we deliver sets out the size (award / cert / dip), level of difficulty (E1, E2, E3, L1...) and general content of the unit.

How the units we deliver fit together...

- Functional Skills – stand alone
- OCR units - stand alone
- ASDAN – stand alone
- WJEC units - fit together and accumulate credits
- OCNWMR units - fit together and accumulate credits

All the credits awarded are part of the QCF and will travel with the pupil to their next destination and will continue to accumulate.

How the units we deliver fit together...

- All **WJEC** units are part of the 'Entry Pathways Qualifications'
- All credits from units delivered under this heading accumulate to make an award, certificate or diploma.
- E.g. A pupil completing -

