# Engineering

Please note students cannot choose Design & Technology as well as Engineering.

**WJEC National Level 1/2** Qualification - Eduqas

Course Leader: Mr Roberts

#### Successful learner profile

- · Can solve problems and think independently.
- · Enjoys designing and making products.
- · Is focused and intelligent.
- Has good practical skills.

# Why choose this course?

- You will be able to use practical skills developed in the subject in many vocational careers and A Level subjects.
- You will create greater opportunities for yourself to work in a continually developing and dynamic global industry.
- You will demonstrate that you can work with others to solve real life problems and provide reasoned and appropriate solutions.
- You will add an additional practical dimension to your choice of GCSE subjects, something many future employers and higher education providers look for.

## What will you study?

- How to work safely and effectively in an engineering environment.
- The importance of using tools and equipment safely in the correct manner.
- How to design and make products of a high quality.
- The use of Computer Aided Design (CAD) software to design and produce two and three dimensional product drawings.
- Understand how to produce prototype products from CAD drawings.

### How will you be assessed?

- The BTEC Engineering qualification is broadly equivalent to one GCSE.
- A grading scale of Pass, Merit and Distinction is applied to the Engineering BTEC.
- Coursework (75%).
- On-line Examination (25%).

# Possible progression post 16

- Be able to study BTEC Diploma or equivalent AS/A Level subject.
- Add an extra dimension to your personal skills profile which will impress anyone who reads your CV.
- Be in a stronger position when applying for apprenticeships and jobs in companies with an engineering focus.

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