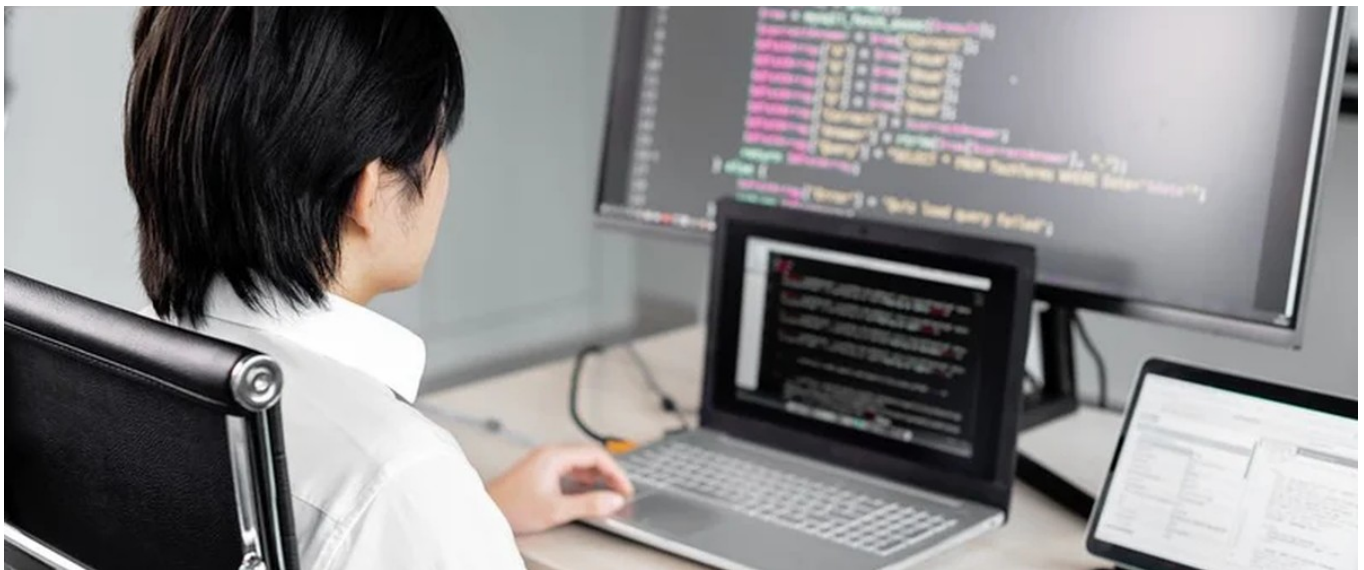


DEGREE | Level 5

Level 5 Extended Diploma in Networking and Cyber Security

Level 5 | Qualification 610/3042/9 | 240 credits



FULL PROGRAMME FEE	60% UPON ENROLMENT	40% REMAINING BALANCE
£3,500	£2,100	£1,400

The remaining 40% is due two months into the programme, from the confirmed programme start date.

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Your programme at a glance

Aim of the QUALIFI Level 5 Extended Diploma in Networking and Cyber Security
The aim of the QUALIFI Level 5 Extended Diploma in Networking and Cyber Security is to provide learners with an extended range of understanding of networking and cybersecurity.

The units for this qualification have been taken from existing Qualifi qualifications: Qualifi Level 4 Diploma in Cyber Security (603/3331/5) Qualifi Level 4 Diploma in IT - Networking (603/4782/X) Qualifi Level 5 Diploma in Cyber Security (603/4139/7) Qualifi Level 5 Diploma in IT - Networking (603/4792/2) It is envisaged that learners who successfully complete these qualifications will have gained a broader understanding of cyber security and how to implement networking systems to remove any such risks.

Successful completion of the QUALIFI Level 5 Extended Diploma in Networking and Cyber Security provides learners with the opportunity to progress to further study or employment.

Am I eligible for this programme?

Age 18+; centre reviews readiness and support needs. Non-native English speakers require IELTS 6 or equivalent; normally two references, preferably including one academic.

Modules and course outline

UNIT	MODULE / SUBJECT
01	Cyber Security Threat and Risk
02	Network Security and Data Communications
03	Database Security and Computer Programming
04	Incident Response, Investigations and Forensics
05	Security Strategy: Laws, Policies and Implementation
06	Physical IT Networking
07	Cryptography
08	Digital Investigations and Forensics
09	System Administration
10	Network Routing and Switching
11	Network Design and Administration

Assessment and assignments

Are based on Learning and Assessment Criteria as its in the course specifications. Summative assessment is used to evaluate learner competence and progression at the end of a unit or component. Summative assessment should take place when the assessor deems that the learner is at a stage where competence can be demonstrated. Formative assessment is an integral part of the assessment process, involving both the tutor/assessor and the learner about their progress during the course of study.

Formative assessment takes place prior to summative assessment and focuses on helping the learner to reflect on their learning and improve their performance and does not confirm achievement of grades at this stage Learning Outcomes: External Quality Assurance Arrangements All centres are required to complete an approval process to be recognised as an approved centre. Centres must have the ability to support learners. Centres must commit to working with QUALIFI and its team of External Quality Assurers (EQAs).

Approved centres are required to have in place qualified and experienced tutors and all tutors are required to undertake regular continued professional development (CPD). Approved centres will be monitored by QUALIFI External Quality Assurers (EQAs) to ensure compliance with QUALIFI requirements and to ensure that learners are provided with appropriate learning opportunities, guidance and formative assessment. QUALIFI's guidance relating to invigilation, preventing plagiarism and collusion will apply to centres. Unless otherwise agreed, QUALIFI: sets all assessments. moderate's assessments prior to certification.

awards the final mark and issues certificates. There are mandatory and optional units for this qualification. All units cover a number of topics relating to learning outcomes. Each unit has the equivalency of 20 credits. Units Mandatory Cyber Security Threat and Risk Network Security and Data Communications Database Security and Computer Programming Incident Response, Investigations and Forensics Security Strategy: Laws, Policies and Implementation Physical IT Networking Cryptography Digital Investigations and Forensics System Administration Network Routing and Switching Network Design and Administration

University top-up and career pathway

Progress to a relevant Level 6 qualification or degree completion route, subject to the receiving institution's admission and credit decisions; or related employment.

The rationale of the Diploma is to provide a career path for learners who wish to develop their core capabilities within the cyber security and risk management sector. The outcome of the Diploma, which is a recognised UK Qualification, is for learners to develop the cyber security skills required by organisations globally. It is also to provide a pathway via learner credits and potential direct entry into related Level 7 Cyber Security and/or Risk Management Degree programmes.

All QUALIFI programmes create learning that advances the thought leadership of organisations, offering conceptual and practical insights that are applicable in the companies of today and tomorrow. Furthermore, we look to develop the cyber security team leaders, managers and leaders of the future through the creation and delivery of learning appropriate for that industry. The qualification will: advanced levels of higher education learningprepare learners for employment; and support a range of senior IT and Digital, Data and Security roles in the workplace



Professional registration or employment may require additional qualifications or experience. Completion does not guarantee a job or a university place.

Programme fee and payment plan

The total programme fee is £3,500. Pay 60% (£2,100) upon enrolment. The remaining 40% (£1,400) is payable two months into the programme, measured from the confirmed programme start date.

What is included in the cost?

All course material, including online modules and written assignments. Personal tutor support with 1-2-1 Zoom sessions
Dedicated student support
Access to an online social learning forum
Assignment marking and feedback.

Promotional items, funding, resubmissions and additional support must be confirmed in writing for the exact offer. No automatic monthly-payment arrangement is created by the on-site checkout.

Learning, support and enrolment

Access your studies in LCSM Learn

The administrator or authorised staff member creates your student username and password, approves your access and assigns your enrolled programme. Student accounts cannot activate themselves.

Open Student login on this site, complete the secure account sign-in and enter the username and password assigned by staff. You can access only the learning resources and courses assigned to your account.

If you cannot sign in or have forgotten your assigned details, ask college staff to check your access or reset your credentials. Do not share your password. Payment confirmation is separate from account activation.

Assignments, knowledge checks and certificates

Each available unit knowledge check contains 20 multiple-choice questions based on its lecture notes. Complete the lesson, then answer all 20 questions. The pass mark is 80% (16 correct answers). Feedback is available after submission and another attempt is available after the retry interval.

A passing unit check generates an LCSM unit-completion certificate that the student can open or download as a PDF. This is a supplementary learning record, not a Qualifi qualification, university award or substitute for formal assessment and awarding-body verification.

Use the on-site basket and checkout

Add your exact programme to the basket on this site. Review the full fee, 60% enrolment amount and 40% remaining balance. Continue to the on-site checkout, enter the requested billing and learner details and check the terms and privacy policy.

Online payments are available only when the college has activated its secure payment gateway. PayPal and eligible debit or credit-card options then appear through the payment provider. The basket, billing form and order confirmation remain on this site; the provider handles payment details in its secure payment window.

A payment is confirmed only after the provider confirms the correct amount. Save your order reference and confirmation. If payment is cancelled or not confirmed, your basket remains available; use Check a recent payment in checkout or contact admissions. If the gateway is awaiting activation, contact admissions before attempting payment. No automatic monthly debit

is created by this checkout.

Your next steps

01 Apply

Use the application form on this site and provide the documents requested by admissions.

02 Review your offer

Confirm the exact award, eligibility, study arrangements, fee inclusions and programme start date.

03 Pay 60% on enrolment

Use the on-site basket and checkout when the college activates its secure gateway. Save your order reference.

04 Receive staff-assigned access

The administrator or authorised staff member assigns your student credentials and enrolled programme.

05 Pay the 40% balance

Your remaining balance is due two months into the programme, from the confirmed start date.

Sample certificates

Request an approved sample for your exact qualification from admissions. Samples are illustrative; unit-completion learning records are separate from formal qualification certificates.

Your next chapter starts here.

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Information and award references

Qualification number: 610/3042/9. The current programme page on this site contains the awarding and progression references. Learning and payment guidance in this brochure reflects the current LCSM portal and the fee schedule supplied by the college on 24 October 2026. Confirm the current specification and written offer before enrolment.