

# 'Making the most of your FE College'

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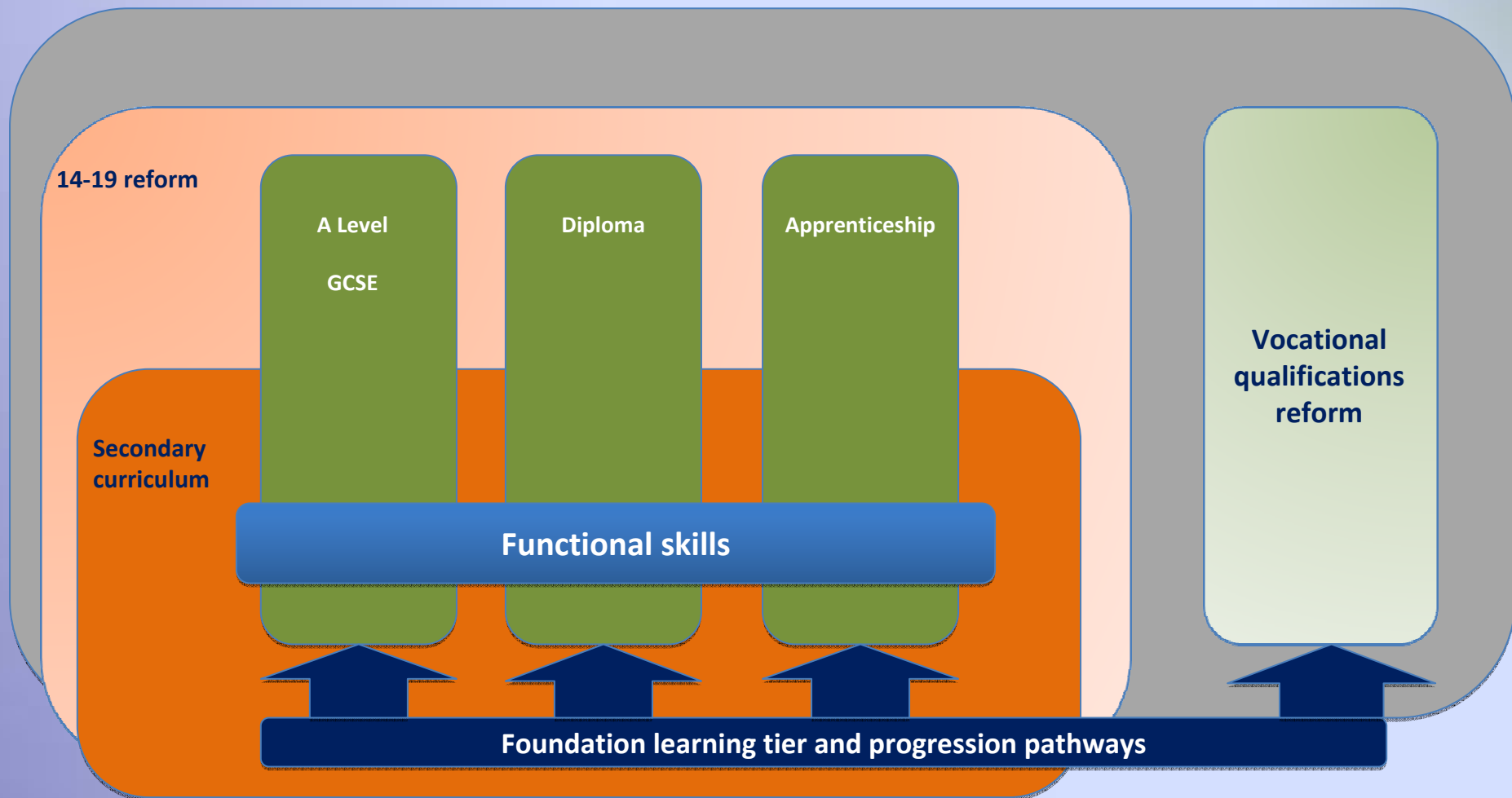
# Opportunities for joint working

- *Enhanced appropriate learning opportunities for young people*
- *Progression planning across the range of levels from foundation learning to Level 4 and HE*
- *14-16 Foundation Learning/ Qualification Credit Framework (QCF)*
- *14-16 Level 1 and 2 projects – Stretch and Challenge*
- *16+ Extended Projects*
- *NEET prevention*
- *16+ potential - joint transition year projects*
- *Professional development for staff*

# FE Partnership relationships with schools

- *Shared funding source for 16-19 provision from 2010*
- *14-16 increased flexibility vocational offer - new Foundation Learning provision.*
- *14-19 Diplomas*
- *Extended Projects*
- *16-18 Apprenticeships, Young Apprenticeships*
- *16-18 FE provision: vocational pathways and specialisation*
- *Progression pathways – mapping provision across geographical areas*
- *HE in FE colleges – availability of local university offer*

# 14-16 Foundation Learning Qualification Credit Framework



NEW: QCF CREDIT BEARING UNITS AND QUALS WITH STANDARD TITLES ACROSS ALL AWARDING BODIES :

Awarding body>>Level>>Qualification or course type>>Subject title e.g:

Edexcel Level 1 BTEC Certificate in Public Services

## Qualifications and Credit Framework

- 14-19

- Adult & Employer Responsive

Secondary curriculum

Vocational Units, Awards & Certs. E3 & L1

Work Skills

Functional Skills

Vocational qualifications reform

Foundation learning tier and progression pathways

NEW QUALS for PROSPECTUS: NVQs will only be available in the workplace 'work-based'. NVQs converted to QCF for use by Colleges and Skills Centres e.g: VCTC Level 2 Certificate (NVQ) in Beauty Therapy.

# Stretch & Challenge

- Specialisation
- Personalisation
- Level 1 and Level 2 Project qualifications
- Level 3 Extended Project qualification (UCAS points)

# **Early interventions (NEET prevention)**

## **Transition year at age 16**

**(example: Castle Community School/South Kent College)**

## **Professional Development**

**(e.g. East Kent Professional Development Centre)**

# Next Steps

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