

# **TRAVEL & TOURISM**

## WHAT WILL I STUDY?

Through your studies you will look at a wide variety of subjects relating to the Travel and Tourism industry.

You will learn about how the industry works and the employment opportunities available.

You will develop the skills required in the Travel and Tourism, helping you to develop a range of teamwork, professional and personal life skills needed for a career in this industry. The course will help you develop your skills in customer relations and service, research, teamwork, independence and your general awareness and knowledge of the World around you.

For the first year, you will take modules in:

- Unit 1: The world of Travel & Tourism
- Unit 3: Principles of Marketing in Travel & Tourism

In the second year, you will take modules in:

- Unit 2: Global Destinations
- Unit 9: Visitor Attractions

### Why take this course?

- You imagine yourself working with the general public?
- You're interested in a career in the Travel industry?
- You like a challenge?

The topics that you will study are interesting and fun and enable you to really excel in both academic and practical ability. In this safe and supportive environment, you will discover things about yourself that you never knew existed.

## **ASSESSMENT**

#### Year 12 Assessment

- Unit 1: Written examination 1.5 hours. 75 marks.
- Unit 3: Internally marked unit through 2 assignment

#### Year 13 Assessment

- Unit 2: Synoptic examination based on materials studied 2 weeks prior to the examination 3 hours. 60 marks
- Unit 9: Internally marked unit through 3 assignments

# HOURS OF STUDY (FORTNIGHTLY)

9 hours of lesson time6 hours independent learning

# **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

Five GCSEs, or equivalent, grade 4 or above are required for entry into Sixth Form to study Level 3 BTEC courses.

Grade 4 or above is required in GCSE English Language.



# **CAREER OPPORTUNTIES**

BTEC Travel & Tourism provides a variety of career opportunities within the Travel & Tourism industry. This includes everything from working in a Travel Agency, to holiday rep, flight crew, Tour quide and so on.

The course will also allow students to progress on to Higher Education