

Existing Qualification Groupings and Designation

QG	Designation
1	Grades not requiring a full School Certificate
2	School Certificate Grades
3	Group I : Full School Certificate (Grade E or above in 5 subjects)
3	Group II : Full School Certificate plus considerable experience
4	Higher Diploma, Diploma and Related Grades
5	Group I : Higher Diploma
6	Group II : Diploma
6	Group III : Form IV plus two years' training or School Certificate plus one year's training
7	Technical Inspectorate and Related Grades - Higher Certificate plus experience
8	Technician, Supervisory and Related Grades
8	Group I : Certificate or apprenticeship plus experience
9	Group II : Craft & skill plus experience, or apprenticeship plus experience
10	Matriculation Grades Pass in two Advanced Level subjects and Grade C or above in three School Certificate subjects
11	Professional and Related Grades
11	Group I : Membership of a professional institution or equivalent
12	Group II : Honours Degree
13	Degree and Related Grades
14	Model Scale 1 Grades
15	Education Grades
16	Other Grades