

BCA College Talk: Exploring BTEC and T Levels for Year 10 and Year 11 Students



This week, students from Year 10 and Year 11 had the exciting opportunity to attend an informative assembly led by representatives from Berkshire College of Agriculture (BCA). The session focused on the more vocational pathways available for students, particularly the BTEC and T Level qualifications, which offer a practical approach to learning and a pathway to successful careers.

The assembly provided a comprehensive overview of the courses offered at BCA.

1. **Land-Based Studies:** Ideal for students passionate about agriculture, animal care, equestrian studies and horticulture.
2. **Sports:** The sports academies in Football, Netball and Golf, offer a direct pathway into semi-professional clubs.
3. **Technical** – including Science Applied Science, Health and Social and Motor Vehicle
4. **Creative** – Performing Arts, Production Arts, Arts and Design
5. **Apprenticeships** with a focus on Agriculture, Horticulture, Land based engineering

There are buses from the Chesham area for students to reach the college.

The assembly was an invaluable opportunity for Year 10 and Year 11 students to learn about alternative vocational pathways with a focus on industry experience.

