

Field Description	Field Abbreviation	Field Length	Field Type	Field Version
DLHE highest qualification obtained	XOBTND01	3	Char	5.1.1

VALID ENTRIES

D00	Doctorate degree that meets the criteria for a research-based higher degree
D01	New Route PhD that meets the criteria for a research-based higher degree
E00	Doctorate degree that does not meet the criteria for a research-based higher degree
E40	National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) at level E
E43	Highly specialist diploma from a professional body
L00	Masters degree that meets the criteria for a research-based higher degree
L80	Other postgraduate qualification at level L that meets the criteria for a research-based higher degree
M00	Masters degree obtained typically by a combination of coursework and thesis/dissertation, that does not meet the criteria for a research-based higher degree
M01	Taught masters degree designed specifically as a training in research methods and intended as a preparation for advanced supervised research
M02	Masters in Teaching and Learning
M10	Post-experience taught masters degree
M11	Master of Business Administration (MBA)
M16	Pre-registration masters degree leading towards obtaining eligibility to register to practice with a health or social care or veterinary statutory regulatory body
M22	Integrated undergraduate/postgraduate taught masters degree on the enhanced/extended pattern
M26	Integrated undergraduate/postgraduate taught masters degree on the enhanced/extended pattern leading towards obtaining eligibility to register to practice with a health or social care or veterinary statutory regulatory body
M40	Fellowship at level M
M41	Diploma at level M
M42	Advanced professional certificate at level M
M43	National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) at level M
M44	Certificate at level M
M45	Scottish Vocational Qualification (SVQ) 5
M50	Postgraduate bachelors degree at level M obtained typically by a combination of coursework and thesis/dissertation, that does not meet the criteria for a research-based higher degree
M70	Professional taught qualification at level M other than a masters degree
M71	Postgraduate Certificate in Education or Professional Graduate Diploma in Education
M78	Taught qualification at level M (where qualification at level H and/or level M is a pre-requisite for course entry) leading towards registration with the Architects Registration Board (Part 3 qualification)
M79	Level 7 Diploma in Teaching in the Lifelong Learning Sector
M80	Other taught qualification at level M
M86	Taught qualification at level M leading towards obtaining eligibility to register to practice with a health or social care or veterinary statutory regulatory body
M88	Taught qualification at level M (where a qualification at level H is a pre-requisite for course entry) leading towards registration with the Architects Registration Board (Part 2 qualification)
H00	First degree with honours
H11	First degree with honours leading to Qualified Teacher Status (QTS)/registration with a General Teaching Council (GTC)

H16	Pre-registration first degree with honours leading towards obtaining eligibility to register to practice with a health or social care or veterinary statutory regulatory body
H18	First degree with honours leading towards registration with the Architects Registration Board (Part 1 qualification)
H22	First degree with honours on the enhanced/extended pattern but at level H
H23	First degree with honours and diploma
H41	Diploma at level H
H42	Certificate at level H
H43	National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) at level H
H50	Postgraduate bachelors degree at level H
H60	Graduate diploma/certificate at level H
H61	Graduate diploma/certificate at level H but where a previous qualification at level H is a pre-requisite for course entry
H62	Pre-registration graduate diploma/certificate leading towards obtaining eligibility to register to practice with a health or social care or veterinary statutory regulatory body
H70	Professional qualification at level H other than a first degree with honours
H71	Professional Graduate Certificate in Education
H78	Other qualification at level H (where other qualifications at level H are a pre-requisite for course entry) leading towards registration with the Architects Registration Board (Part 3 qualification)
H79	Level 6 Diploma in Teaching in the Lifelong Learning Sector
H80	Other qualification at level H
H81	Other qualification at level H but where a previous qualification at level H is a pre-requisite for course entry
H88	Qualification at level H (where another qualification at level H is a pre-requisite for course entry) leading towards registration with the Architects Registration Board (Part 2 qualification)
I00	Ordinary (non-honours) first degree
I11	Ordinary (non-honours) first degree leading to Qualified Teacher Status (QTS)/registration with a General Teaching Council (GTC)
I16	Pre-registration ordinary (non-honours) first degree leading towards obtaining eligibility to register to practice with a health or social care or veterinary statutory regulatory body
I60	Graduate diploma/certificate at level I
I61	Graduate diploma/certificate at level I but where a previous qualification at level I or H is a pre-requisite for course entry
I70	Professional qualification at level I other than an ordinary (non-honours) first degree
I71	Qualified Teacher Status (QTS)/registration with a General Teaching Council (GTC) only
I74	Teaching certificate (trained through the medium of Welsh)
I79	Level 5 Diploma in Teaching in the Lifelong Learning Sector
I80	Other qualification at level I
I81	Other qualification at level I but where a previous qualification at level I or H is a pre-requisite for course entry
J10	Foundation degree
J16	Foundation degree which on completion meets entry requirement for pre-registration health and social care qualification
J20	Diploma of Higher Education (DipHE)
J26	Diploma of Higher Education (DipHE) leading towards obtaining eligibility to register to practice with a health or social care or veterinary statutory regulatory body
J30	Higher National Diploma (HND)

J41	Diploma at level J
J42	Certificate at level J
J43	National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) at level J
J45	Scottish Vocational Qualification (SVQ) 4
J80	Other qualification at level J
C20	Certificate of Higher Education (CertHE)
C30	Higher National Certificate (HNC)
C41	Diploma at level C
C42	Certificate at level C
C43	National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) at level C
C77	Level 4 Preparing to Teach in the Lifelong Learning Sector
C78	Level 4 Certificate in Teaching in the Lifelong Learning Sector
C80	Other qualification at level C
\$\$\$	Qualification not required for the Destinations of Leavers from Higher Education Survey
—	No qualification awarded or no link to Student Record

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

From 2011/12 the Student record QualificationsAwarded.QUAL coverage included in the Destinations of Leavers from Higher Education (DLHE) record has increased. Further details are available via the DLHE 2011/12 Coverage of the record documentation on the HESA website www.hesa.ac.uk/C11018/coverage.html.

DEPENDENT FIELDS

XDLEV301
XDLEV501
XDLEV601
XPDLHE02

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

An instance may have none, one or two occurrences of the QualificationsAwarded entity associated with it.

One occurrence of the QualificationsAwarded entity

Where an instance has one occurrence of the QualificationsAwarded entity and the QualificationsAwarded.QUAL is listed in the ranking table below, the QualificationsAwarded.QUAL is returned.

Where an instance has one occurrence of the QualificationsAwarded entity and the QualificationsAwarded.QUAL is not listed in the ranking table (i.e. a qualification that does not qualify for DLHE), \$\$\$ is returned.

Two occurrences of the QualificationsAwarded entity

Where an instance has two occurrences of the QualificationsAwarded entity and both QualificationsAwarded.QUALs are listed in the ranking table and are not identical, a ranking number is assigned to both occurrences of QualificationsAwarded.QUAL for that instance. The QualificationsAwarded.QUAL with the ranking number nearest zero is returned for that instance.

Where an instance has two occurrences of the QualificationsAwarded entity and both QualificationsAwarded.QUALs are listed in the ranking table and are identical, the qualification with the lowest Cyy051_QUALIFICATIONS AWARDED.QUALAWARDKEY is returned.

Where an instance has two occurrences of the QualificationsAwarded entity and one QualificationsAwarded.QUAL is listed in the ranking table, but the other is not, only the listed QualificationsAwarded.QUAL is returned (i.e. treated as per the ranking number nearest zero).

Where an instance has two occurrences of the QualificationsAwarded entity and neither of the QualificationsAwarded.QUALs are listed in the ranking table, \$\$\$ is returned.

No occurrence of the QualificationsAwarded entity

Where an instance has no QualificationsAwarded.QUAL entity, three underscores are returned.

Qualifications Awarded. QUAL	Ranking number
D00	001
D01	002
E00	003
E43	004
L00	005
M00	006
M01	007
M02	008
M10	009
M11	010
M16	011
M50	012
M71	013
E40	014
L80	015
M40	016
M41	017
M42	018
M43	019
M44	020
M45	021
M70	022
M78	023
M79	024
M80	025
M86	026
M88	027
M22	028
M26	029
H00	030
H11	031
H16	032
H18	033
H22	034

Qualifications Awarded. QUAL	Ranking number
H23	035
H50	036
I00	037
I11	038
I16	039
H41	040
H42	041
H43	042
H60	043
H61	044
H62	045
H70	046
H71	047
H78	048
H79	049
H80	050
H81	051
H88	052
I60	053
I61	054
I70	055
I71	056
I74	057
I79	058
I80	059
I81	060
J10	061
J16	062
J20	063
J26	064
J30	065
J41	066
J42	067
J43	068
J45	069
J80	070
C20	071
C30	072

Qualifications Awarded. QUAL	Ranking number
C41	073
C42	074
C43	075
C77	076
C78	077
C80	078

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