

# Fingal Adult Guidance Service

We offer information on:

Study  
Skills

Learning  
Styles

Funding &  
Grants

Useful  
Contact  
Details

FETAC  
(Further Education  
& Training Awards  
Council)

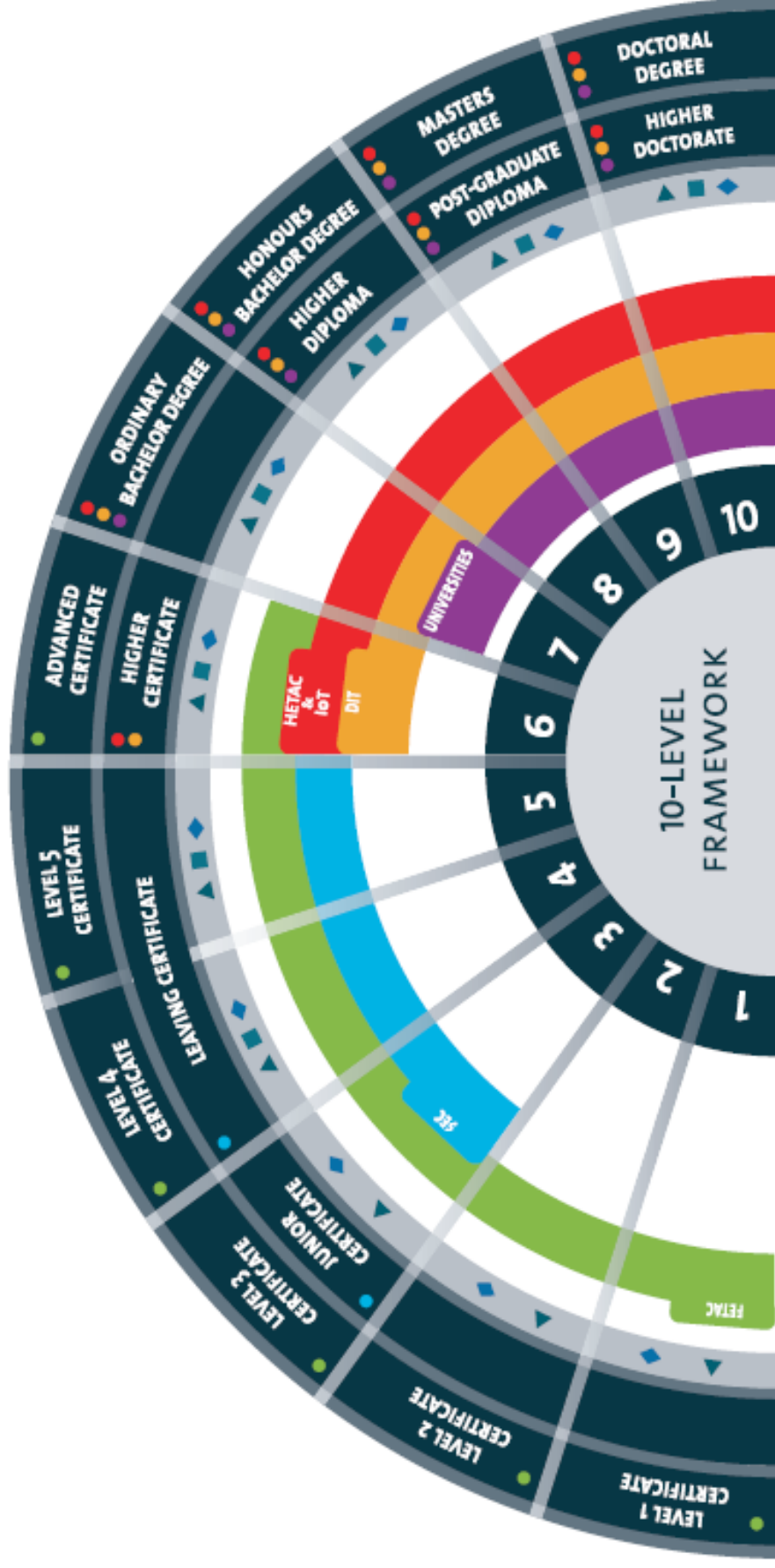
What Can I  
Do Next?

Courses  
Part-time &  
Full-time

Please call in for a chat or we can meet you  
in Swords, Balbriggan or Darndale!

# FETAC

(The Further Education and Training Awards Council) is the national awarding body for further education and training in Ireland.



## AWARDING BODIES

- FETAC - Further Education and Training Awards Council
- SEC - State Examinations Commission (Department of Education & Science)
- HETAC - Higher Education and Training Awards Council
- IoT - Institutes of Technology (make their own awards at specified levels under Delegated Authority from HETAC)
- DIT - Dublin Institute of Technology
- Universities

## AWARDS IN THE FRAMEWORK

There are four types of award in the National Framework of Qualifications:

- Major Awards: are the principal class of awards made at a level
- Minor Awards: are for partial completion of the outcomes for a Major Award
- Supplemental Awards: are for learning that is additional to a Major Award
- Special Purpose Awards: are for relatively narrow or purpose-specific achievement

## **What services do we provide?**

### **The Guidance service offers:**

- Assistance on returning to education
- Help to match your skills and interests with courses and careers
- Support on planning for the future

### **The Information service offers information on:**

- Full time, part time and distance learning courses
- Community based courses
- Choice of careers
- Grants and funding available
- Filling out application forms

### **Our service is:**

- Free of charge
- Confidential
- Friendly
- Supportive
- One-to-one or group based
- Provided in outreach centres

**For further information please contact:**

## **Fingal Adult Guidance Service**

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**We Are Here**



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