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# LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

A Level	(General Certificate of Education) Advanced level
BAME	Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic
BME	Black and Minority Ethnic
FA	English Football Association
GCSE	General Certificate of Secondary Education
GNVQ	General National Vocational Qualification
NVQ	National Vocational Qualification
PFA	Professional Footballers' Association
UEFA	Union of European Football Associations
YT	Youth Training programme
YTS	Youth Training Scheme



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