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Child, Health and Social Care

Subject Area	Early Years & Childcare
Course Type	School Leavers
Study Level	Entry Level 3
Delivery Mode	Full-time
Location	David Hockney Building
Duration	1 Academic Year
Start Date	September 2025
Course Code	

Course Summary

This course gives you an understanding of child, young person and adult development. You will also develop knowledge in children, young people and adult health and wellbeing. You will have creative, exciting and practical opportunities to develop caring skills, through the use of interactive babies, demonstrations and creative activities. Please note that a uniform is required for this course, click here to purchase.

What You Will Learn

As part of the course, you will develop your personal development skills, including working with others, communication, study skills and employability skills. You will also study English and Maths and have a personal tutor who will support you throughout the course. The course is highly personalised and learning activities are designed to enable you to work towards individualised targets that are meaningful and in keeping with your own goals and aspirations. You will:

- Develop work-related skills relevant to the physical and emotional needs of young children and adults
- Learn about dietary, exercise health and safety and emotional needs of children and adults
- Learn about development from birth to old age and the role of the practitioner

Modules

Learners will study 3 core Employability units and 3 sector specific units over the duration of the course. The course is based on a Programme of Study, which consists of:

- Vocational activities linking to the chosen area of work
- A City & Guilds Employability Award
- Maths and English
- A tutorial programme
- Work experience

Entry Requirements

There are no formal entry requirements for this course, apart from an interest in the specified subject and the ability to commit to positive behaviours and attendance.

Assessment

You will be assessed through a range of methods that include coursework, assignments and presentations.

Progression

This qualification is ideal to enable learners of all abilities to access a qualification and grow in confidence. It also provides learners with a perfect opportunity to progress onto further educational pathways specialising in childcare or health and social care.