

Health & Social Care

BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma

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Course Outline:

Welcome to the dynamic world of health and social care! Whether you dream of launching your career immediately, prefer the hands-on approach of an apprenticeship, or aim to advance your education at university, our course paves the way for your path to success in the Health and Social Care sector.

What sets our qualification apart is an unwavering commitment to real-world learning: expertise in health and social care requires more than just theory. That's why both our internally and externally assessed units come alive with applied learning experiences, immersing you in work-related scenarios in a range of settings.

Our curriculum will empower you to uncover the mysteries of human lifespan development and master the complexities of compassionate care and support for individuals with unique needs. We will also study physiological disorders, gain valuable insights into dementia care, unlock the secrets of mental health well-being, and explore psychological perspectives. You'll study biomedical science and genetics, providing a strong scientific foundation.

The course consists of 100 hours of work experience placements, learning from the best in the field. These real-world encounters enrich your learning substantially. You'll have the chance to put everything you've learned into action across a variety of settings, from hospitals to community centres.

The course consists of four externally assessed units, and nine internally assessed units. These practical assessments will push your boundaries, sparking your creativity and problem-solving skills.

Are you ready to take the first step towards a career that's not just a job but a calling? If so, sign up for Health and Social Care and take the first step towards a rewarding, brilliant career.



Progression Post-18

This course is equivalent to three A-Levels with equivalent UCAS points, recognised by all universities and apprenticeship providers, leading to courses like:

- BSc Nursing
- BSc Social Work
- BSc Physiotherapy
- BSc Occupational Therapy
- BSc Speech Therapy
- BSc Health and Social Care
- BSc Midwifery
- BSc Radiography
- BSc Paramedic Science

The course may lead to apprenticeships, such as:

- Early Years Provision
- Care Worker
- Teaching Assistant
- Health Care Support Worker

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External Units 43% Internal Units 57% Coursework Examination Board: Pearson