

Health and Social Care

What topics will I study?

- The 6 human life stages
- How people deal with life events
- Factors that affect our growth and development
- How a person should be supported throughout life
- How to use the “care values” in a work setting.
- How to meet the medical needs of an individual

What career opportunities are there?

- Nursing
- Occupational Health
- Psychologist
- Social Worker
- Care Staff
- GP
- Physiotherapist

“I love how this subject deals with real life situations and how it links directly to the job roles I am thinking about for my future”

Bailey, learner who studied Health and Social Care

Subject Overview

Health and Social Care is an ideal qualification for learners who want a broad background in health and social care that will allow them to progress to Further and Higher Education or apprenticeships and employment.

Learners will examine ways to improve physical and mental health and wellbeing using case studies and practical tasks.

For more information about this subject, please speak to Mrs Rowbottom, Curriculum Team Leader!

Child Development

What topics will I study?

- Roles and responsibilities of parenthood
- Reproduction
- Antenatal care
- Preparation for birth
- Postnatal care
- Conditions for development of a child
- Childhood illness and disease
- Child Safety

What career opportunities are there?

- Teaching
- Nursery Worker
- Nanny/ Au Pair
- Maternity Care
- Paediatrician
- Health Visitor
- Midwife
- Social Worker

“My favourite part of Child Development is that each piece of coursework is different, which makes the lessons interesting”

Frankie, learner who studied Child Development

Subject Overview

Child Development is the perfect qualification for learners who wish to work with children in the future. Throughout year 10 and 11 we study the biological development of a baby, from embryo to newborn and onwards until the age of five. We investigate the nutritional requirements of children, developing suitable meal plans.

For more information about this subject, please speak to Mrs Rowbottom, Curriculum Team Leader!