

Level 3 Health and Social Care OCR

Curriculum Leader: Mrs Halford

Course Overview:

This qualification is aimed typically at students who are seeking a career in Health, Social Care or Early Years related areas. Health and Social Care is a varied and interesting course where students get to study a range of different topic areas. The course is challenging, requires you to be actively involved and will provide you with a range of skills to prepare you for further education or employment.

Level 3 Cambridge Technical Extended Certificate in Health and Social Care

3 externally examined units

Unit 2 Equality, diversity and right in health and social care (90 minute exam)

Unit 3 Health, safety and security in health and social care (90 minute exam)

Unit 4 Anatomy and physiology for health and social care (120 minute exam)

3 coursework units externally moderated at the end of Year 13

Unit 1 Building positive relationships in health and social care
Unit 17 Mental health conditions
Unit 24 Public health

Over the two year course we typically complete Units 1, 2 and 3 in Year 12 and Units 4, 17 and 24 in Year 13.

Works well with:

- Biology
- Business
- Physical Education

Progression Opportunities:

Health and Social Care can lead onto a variety of paths, including apprenticeship, employment or university. The course supports learners in understanding how to support vulnerable people, how needs can be catered for and care can be provided in a dignified way.