



BTEC Level 2 Diploma Public Services

WHY TAKE THIS COURSE?

The level 2 Diploma in Public Services will give you a real insight into services, such as the Police, Fire and Rescue and the military. The course will challenge you physically and mentally and will help you to decide which career path to follow. The course is also designed to help students develop personally and acquire a wide range of abilities, such as presentational and organisational skills.

WHAT WILL I STUDY?

You will study a range of units, some practical such as Land Navigation and Sport taught outside the classroom, whilst inside the classroom you will be able to learn about public service skills and the effects crime can have on society.

HOW WILL I BE ASSESSED?

You will be assessed through a number of written assignments and practical activities including presentations, map reading and fitness performance. Coursework deadlines are important and are set regularly throughout the year.

WHAT SKILLS AND SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS DO I NEED?

You should be willing to show real commitment to participation in course activities and assessment. You will need to be determined, and open to new experiences, and be able to demonstrate a genuine interest in the Public Services. You need at least one grade C or above and mainly Ds at GCSE.

WHAT CAN I DO NEXT?

Students who obtain an overall Merit can look forward to progressing on to our Level 3 programme, whilst others may wish to apply to any of the public services. You may also choose to study AS levels as your next step.

PRIESTLEY EXTRA

As part of the course you can expect to meet a range of public service personnel. We have many representatives from the Navy, The Royal Marines and The Prison Service, to name but a few. We also visit the various services around the region bringing learning to life for our students. The course also includes a number of expeditions.