



Advanced Diploma Society, Health and Development (Level 3)

WHY TAKE THIS COURSE?

The course has been designed to develop future employees for the children and young people's workforce, health, community justice and the adult social care sector. It combines theoretical study with real work situations. Achieving a Diploma in Society, Health and Development will help you to progress to a range of occupational and professional degree programmes and employment opportunities.

WHAT WILL I STUDY?

This Diploma covers topical themes such as human growth, personal and professional development, health and safety, supporting children and young people's development within and across the diverse sectors. The external assessed modules that you will study include; Health, Wellbeing, and Lifestyles. The internally assessed modules you will study include; Exploring the Sectors, Working Together, Exploring Principles and Values, Are We Communicating, Safeguarding and Protecting the Community, Meeting Needs and Growth and Development. You will also be able to take additional qualifications alongside this programme such as AS/A Levels or a GCSE.

HOW WILL I BE ASSESSED?

By a mixture of examinations and internally assessed coursework modules including an Extended Project and Functional Skills exams in Maths, English and ICT.

WHAT SKILLS AND SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS DO I NEED?

You will need a minimum GCSE pass at grade C in English and Maths to take this course. You must complete a Criminal Records Bureau Disclosure application form and obtain CRB clearance to take this programme.

WHAT CAN I DO NEXT?

Students who take this course usually go on to work within the Health, Social Care or the Justice sector either directly or after completing an appropriate degree.

PRIESTLEY EXTRA

You will have the opportunity to take part in enrichment activities including; Sign Languages, Play Therapy, Holistic Therapies and First Aid. We engage actively in many external visits which form the key element to your course. You will also be invited to take part in international work experiences which include working in orphanages in Moldova and residentials within this country.