

The CACHE level 3 Diploma in Early Years Education and Care (Early Years Educator) prepares students to become Early Years Educators, enabling them to work with children from birth to 5 years and gain knowledge of children aged 5 to 7 years.

Upon achievement of this qualification it is intended that students will be able to enter the workforce as early years educators.

COURSE DETAILS

The course is rewarding, challenging and intensive and requires a great deal of commitment and motivation.

You will need to be able to research and work independently both in college and for a substantial amount of time at home.

Time spent working across the age ranges is required for the achievement of this qualification and your Trainer Assessor will need to evidence this, there are required placement hours for each age range.

TIMETABLE INFO

Workbased.

ENTRY GUIDELINES

To study a Level 3 qualification, you will need:

A minimum of 5 GCSEs at Grades 4-9 including English and/or Maths (or L2 Functional Skills in English and/or Maths)

OR

A relevant Level 2 qualification and English or Maths at Grade 4 or above (or L2 Functional Skills in English and/or Maths)

In addition to this, you are required to have 2-3 months, 12 hours per week, experience in a relevant setting, and an agreement from your headteacher, that you can be assessed in your setting by our trainer assessors.

Satisfactory interview and/or assessment

If English is not your first language, you may need an assessment before enrolling on this course. To discuss further, please contact the ESOL department on 0151 551 7144.

EQUIPMENT REQUIRED

To be discussed at interview.

ASSESSMENT METHOD

During your course you will be supported by a trainer assessor who will complete observations at your workplace. Assessment is via e-portfolio. To gain this qualification you will need to:

- Pass all internally assessed units.
- Successful observations in an Early Years setting. (0-5 years)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Vocational competency is gained with children from birth to 5 years and knowledge only with children from 5 to 7 years.

WHERE CAN I PROGRESS TO?

When you have successfully completed your course, you may be able to progress to N100 CACHE Level 4 Early Years Advanced Practitioner.

There are many employment opportunties in the childcare and education sector, such as classroom assistant, nursery nurse and child care practitioner. You will be qualified to supervise children and be well positioned for career progression to management

Explore potential careers via <u>Career Match</u> — it provides current local data on wages and employment prospects.

WHEN DOES THIS COURSE RUN?

CAMPUS	STARTS	ATTENDANCE	COURSE CODE	PLANNED TIME TABLE
	23rd Nov 2024	Delivered On Employer Premises	N090Q001	
If you are aged 10 or every				

If you are aged 19 or over:

Fee: £2600.00

The fee quoted is for the academic year 24/25.

For advice and guidance, please contact Student Services via our online enquiry form

This information was current on 23rd November, 2024 and may be subject to change.