The aim of this qualification is to prepare you to work with children between birth and five years with knowledge of children up to seven years.

COURSE DETAILS

The course is rewarding, challenging and requires a great deal of commitment and motivation. Workplace experience is an integral part of the courseln order to aid holistic delivery and assessment the units are structured around the following four themes:

- Theme 1: Introducing the role of the Early Years Practitioner
- Theme 2: Legislation, frameworks and professional practice
- Theme 3: Play, development and learning for school
- Theme 4: Professional development

TIMETABLE INFO

Workbased.

ENTRY GUIDELINES

To study a Level 2 qualification, you will need:

A minimum of 4 GCSEs at grade 3, including English and Maths (or L1 Functional Skills in English and Maths)

OR

A relevant Level 1 qualification with GCSE English and Maths at grade 3 or above (or L1 Functional Skills in English and 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

Throughout your course you will be supported by a Trainer Assessor who will complete observations at your workplace, you need to attend placement a minimum of 12 hours per week. Assessment is via e-portfolio.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Purchase of course text books is recommended. Your trainer assessor will identify your particular learning and support needs in order to assist you in your studies.

WHERE CAN I PROGRESS TO?

When you have successfully completed your course you may be able to progress (although not automatic and ensuring Level 3 entry requirements are met) into the CACHE Level 3 Early Years Educator qualifications and other Level 3 qualifications relating to childcare.

There are also many employment opportunities in the Childcare and Education sector, such as Early Years Practitioner, Classroom assistant, Pre-school assistant and Nanny.

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
	30th Mar 2025	Distance Learning	N093Q001	
If you are aged 19 or over:				
Fee: £640.00				
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 30th March, 2025 and may be subject to change.