

WHY HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE?

The Health and Social Care course provides students with a sound foundation for a career in the allied caring services or as a spring board into further education. The modules of work are designed to develop employment related skills.

The course aims to give students foundation knowledge on legislations, policies and procedures within the Health and Social sector. It covers a diverse selection of topics from Sociology and Psychology to Biology to incorporate all aspects of health and development.

The course prepares students for a range of careers in Health and Social Care contexts such as:

Community Work Health Services Housing Services
Social Work Welfare Work Primary Education

PROGRESSION

Progression through the Advanced GCE either a single or double award, may provide a suitable foundation for study of the subject, or related subjects, in further and higher education in relating the Social Work, Primary Education, Nursing or any Health and Social Care professions

SPECIFIC ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Students must achieve a minimum of 5 GCSEs (Grades A* - C) including English and Maths
- Grade C in English Language, Mathematics and Science

COURSE DETAILS:

Exam Board: WJEC

Single and Double Award AS Year

- Unit 1: Promoting quality care and communication - exam
- Unit 2: Promoting good health - coursework

Double Award AS year

- Unit 3: Child development - coursework
- Unit 6: Understanding common illnesses, diseases and disorders – exam

Single and Double Award A2 Year

- Unit 7: Provision of health, social care and children's service – controlled assessment
- Unit 11: The role of complementary therapies in the care of individuals – coursework

Double Award A2 year

- Unit 8: Understanding human behaviour – exam
- Unit 10: Care for older individuals – coursework



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