

LEVEL 2 CHILDREN'S CARE, PLAY, LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT: PRACTICE AND THEORY

Why choose Level 2 Children's Care, Play, Learning and Development: Practice and Theory?

This qualification is primarily for those working, or seeking to work, in regulated childcare settings with families and children under the age of 8 and/or NHS children's services for those working with families and children aged 0-19 years. It is primarily aimed at learners studying in a further education setting but may be delivered by a range of learning providers.

What will I study?

Topics include:

- supporting core practice in children's care, play, learning and development
- supporting play, learning, growth and development
- supporting nutrition and hydration in early years
- responding to signs of potential illness and infestation/infection
- children's health, well-being and development, 0-19 years, and factors that support health, well-being and development
- the role and value of social care, education and health services available in Wales to support with children's care, health, well-being and development needs

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It combines both practice units that are assessed within the workplace, with, additional theoretical knowledge.

The knowledge, understanding and skills a learner is required to achieve within this qualification build on the content of the Level 2 Children's Care, Play, Learning and Development: Core qualification.

It is strongly recommended that a learner undertaking this qualification has completed or is currently undertaking the Level 2 Children's Care, Play, Learning and Development: Core qualification.

How will I be assessed?

This qualification is assessed through 90% internal assessment and 10% external assessment.

Candidates must successfully complete:

- an externally set, internally marked set of tasks
- a portfolio of evidence

- a discussion with their assessor
- an external examination

Careers with Level 2 Children's Care, Play, Learning and Development:

Completion of the Level 2 Children's Care, Play, Learning and Development: Practice and Theory qualification will allow learners to work as a qualified Level 2 Childcare worker in a supervised capacity. Learners may also choose to progress to the following qualifications:

- Level 3 Children's Care, Play, Learning and Development: Practice
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- Level 3 GCE in Health and Social Care, and Childcare