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Children and Young People's Workforce Apprenticeship Level 2

Course Details

Are you passionate about a career in childcare? Would you like to play a key role in caring for children, aiding their development and keeping them safe? This framework is designed to introduce and build upon general knowledge and understanding of childcare. This qualification will provide essential knowledge and understanding in all generic areas.

Industry Specific Requirements

Undertake the Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service process and provide the result prior to starting with your employer.

Apprenticeship Framework Components

- Level 2 Children and Young People's Workforce
- Level 2 Award Employment Rights and Responsibilities
- Functional Skills

Programme Content

- Communication with children, colleagues, parents and carers
- Maintain and promote equality, diversity and inclusion
- Understanding child development
- Maintain and development positive relationships
- Safeguarding of children and young people
- Promoting positive behaviour
- Observation and assessment of children
- Promote and maintain a safe, secure and positive environment
- Maintaining basic needs of children
- Plan and implement creative and physical play opportunities

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Functional Skills

Functional Skills are skills that are needed in a range of activities in education and training, work and life in general.

The Functional Skills required for the framework are:

- Maths Level 1
- English Level 1
- ICT Level 1

Successful completion of these functional skills is essential to complete the framework. Not all apprentices need to study their Functional Skills depending on previously gained qualifications. Further advice will be provided at enrolment. If you do not have a Level 2 you will be required to study for this and sit the test.

Duration

The average expected completion time for this framework is 12 months although it can take longer. The duration of your framework will be confirmed at enrolment.

Earnings

The National Minimum Wage for an Apprentice is advertised on <https://www.gov.uk/national-minimum-wage-rates>

Holidays

Holidays will be agreed with your employer. Your minimum entitlement is 20 days per year plus Bank Holidays.

Progression

The majority of our apprentices continue to be employed on a full time basis at the end of the apprenticeship. There are good opportunities for progression to an Advanced Apprenticeship at level 3.

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Off The Job Training

There is a requirement for all apprentices to complete 20% of their time in 'off the job' training. This includes the need to attend Redcar & Cleveland College at least one day a week.

Future Changes

As part of the Apprenticeship Reform, this framework may be changing to the 'Standard for Children, Young People and Families Practitioner'. If you would like more information on this standard please visit: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/apprenticeship-standard-children-young-people-and-families-practitioner>

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