

# Health and Social Care



## **Content**

Students will be equipped with a sound, specialist knowledge along with skills for everyday use. They will use a hands-on approach to assessment which underpins a highly valid method of assessing their skills for the many progression routes available. The course will also challenge all students, encourage independence and creativity, and provide tasks to engage students in future career choices

## **Assessment**

60% coursework  
40% Exam

Component 1: Human Lifespan Development  
Component 2: Health and Social Care Services and Values  
Component 3: Health and Wellbeing

They will investigate how regulatory frameworks aim to protect both individuals and care workers in settings and how procedures that are in place in care settings, aim to promote standards of hygiene and maintain safety and security for all who use or work within the setting.

## **Facilities and Equipment used**

- Equipment to simulate scenarios including specialist care equipment including wheelchairs, blood pressure monitors, empathy belly.
- IT rooms with Internet access to complete coursework

## **Outside Learning Opportunities**

Students are encouraged to develop their understanding of new legislation which impacts on health and social care in the news and may be given the opportunity to explore how local health and social care services are made available in the local community. Students will be encouraged to develop their research skills by conducting surveys or researching specific issues and care settings.

## **Related Careers**

Nursing  
Social Work  
Nursery practitioner  
Working with people with additional needs

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