

What does the course offer me?

The course provides opportunities for you to:

- Extend and apply your skills, knowledge and understanding of the development and care of children from conception to the age of five years.
- Develop your knowledge and understanding of human needs within a diverse society.
- Examine issues that affect the quality of human life including an appreciation of diversity.
- Be inspired, moved and changed by studying a broad, coherent, satisfying and worthwhile course.

How will I Learn?

The course is divided into 6 compulsory core areas of study designed to promote an understanding of the social, emotional, physical, and intellectual development of the child which is inter-linked through the study of the family, community and the responsibilities of parenthood.

There will be two lessons a week. The controlled assessment tasks and the written paper will be based on the areas of study.

How will I be assessed?

- **Coursework** (60%) – two Controlled Assessment Tasks.
Task 1 (30%): **Child Study**- Investigation and production focusing on a child's development.
Task 2 (30%): **Child Focused Task**- Food and health related task.
- **Examination** (40%) – A written paper lasting 1½ hours.

Remember!

- We are looking for imaginative, innovative, creative and hard working individuals.
- There is a strong emphasis on controlled assessment tasks. Preparation work for the tasks will be completed as homework every week without fail.

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