

This qualification prepares you to work in a Supervised capacity, with children and their families in a variety of settings and environments within the sector of Children's Services. This qualification is split into three stages: Award, Certificate and Diploma, with the Award and Certificate building towards the Level 2 Diploma.



This course can be offered to Year 10 pupils - with the Award and Certificate stages completed in Year 10 and 11, and the Diploma stage in Year 12.

*(After successfully completing the Certificate stage of the level 2 course in Year 11, students can, if they wish, go on to study the Level 3 Award/Certificate/Diploma course in Year 12 and 13).*

This Award/Certificate/Diploma Level 2 course is equivalent to 5 GCSE's -  
Award - 1 GCSE  
Certificate - 3 GCSE  
Diploma - 5 GCSE

### What will you be studying?

This course looks at different aspects of Child Care. Units of study include the following:

- An introduction to working with children
- The Developing Child
- Safe, healthy and nurturing environments for children
- Children and Play
- Communication and Professional skills within Child Care and Education

The course also includes a period of work experience in a Child Care and Education setting.

### How you will be assessed?

The course is introduced and assessed through the medium of Welsh. The assessment method includes a Multi choice question paper, Assignment tasks, Portfolio and Practice Evidence Records in the placement.

### Progression from this qualification

After successfully completing this course, you can go on to study at a higher level, such as the Award/Certificate/Diploma Level 3 Course in Child Care and Education, or go on to work in a Child Care setting - e.g. Nursery Assistant in a School, Day Nursery or Cylch Meithrin.

# Child Care and Education

## Level 2 Award/Certificate/Diploma

