

# L2 Certificate for the Children and Young People's Workforce



The L2 certificate is a progressive qualification that is intended to lead the learner into the L3 diploma and should not be seen as an exit point from learning. The certificate will prepare younger learners and those with limited or no previous experience in early years to progress to L3 responsibilities.

## Entry requirements

Ideally you will hold GCSE Mathematics, English Language and ICT (Grades D-G) or L1 equivalencies

## Work based course

Employed or voluntary = minimum 6 hours per week in setting

## What is this course about?

Completing this course successfully will increase your understanding of issues about children and their development and learning.

## What will I study?

To achieve this course you must complete a total of 35 credits made up in the following way:

31 credits from mandatory units including:

- Introduction to communication
- Introduction to personal development
- Introduction to equality and inclusion
- Child and young person development
- Safeguarding the welfare of children and young people
- Contribute to children and young people's health and safety
- Support positive behaviour
- Contribute to positive environments
- Understand partnership working
- Maintain and support relationships with children and young people
- Paediatric 1st Aid
- A minimum of 4 credits from a range of 16 optional units including: SEN, children's play, creative development (L2 or L3), support meals and snack times, duty of care, speech, language and communication needs, positive outcomes.

## How will I learn?

This is a work based course and therefore very practical. The course is on a part time study basis with taught workshops plus work based observations by your assessor and a choice for some units of written assignments or portfolio routes.

## Career prospects

This course is suitable for those interested in working with young children in a variety of settings in a supervised job role. This is a progressive qualification and as such it is expected that you would continue on to complete the L3 qualification.

**Course start date:** Enrolling now

**Time:** 09.30-2.30pm

**Venue:** Chequers Bridge Centre, Painswick Road, Gloucester, GL4 6PR

**Cost:** £1,200(see the training programme for more details about eligible funding)

**Course Code:** 4227 -01 (City and Guilds)

**Course Length:** 9 months – 1 year

**To apply:** Complete the application form for NATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS from the website

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Enquiries for funding or further course information. telephone 01452 541244 or email as above.