

Health and Social Care	
Teacher in charge of subject	Mrs Howard
Type of qualification	Cambridge Technical Level 3
Exam board and subject code	OCR 05831
Entry requirements	
Specific subject requirement	Grade 4 in GCSE English Language or English Literature
Course details	
<p>This qualification is for learners who want to study health science, social care or childcare. It isn't just about caring for babies or the elderly and the ill; it will provide learners with the skills, knowledge and understanding to progress into Higher Education on a health and social care related programme.</p> <p>You will focus on: building positive relationships in health and social care, equality, diversity and rights in health and social care as well as health, security and safety. Another mandatory unit focuses on anatomy and physiology for health and social care.</p> <p>This content will give you an understanding of health and social care in the wider contexts of different environments and settings where care takes place, the importance of communication as well as the importance of legislation. Students will also develop transferrable skills such as communication, research, planning and organisation.</p>	
Assessment	
<p>This course is based on 360 Guided Learning hours and is equivalent to one A Level. The course is made up of 4 mandatory units plus other optional units to be set by the subject teachers.</p> <p>Mandatory units:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Building positive relationships in health and social care (internally assessed assignment) 2. Equality, diversity and rights in health and social care (externally assessed 1.5hr exam paper) 3. Health, safety and security in health and social care (externally assessed 1.5hr exam paper) 4. Anatomy and physiology for health and social care (externally assessed 2hr exam paper) 	
Career options	
<p>Suitable for a wide range of careers: nursing, care assistant, support worker, dental careers, health care assistant, midwife, occupational therapist, counsellor, probation officer, social worker plus many more.</p>	