

# BTEC HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE

## OVERVIEW

This course has been specifically designed to allow students to engage in a broad investigation of various aspects of the health and social care sector. It is intended for students that wish to progress into higher education as a pathway to employment. It will help to prepare students who wish to pursue a career in any of the health or social care related services.

The course encompasses academic challenge and rigour through examination and coursework. Whilst work placement is no longer a compulsory element of the course, students are actively encouraged to seek some practical high-quality voluntary work placement. This provides them with invaluable knowledge and experience of working in the Health and Social Care sector.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Generic College entry requirements

## ASSESSMENT

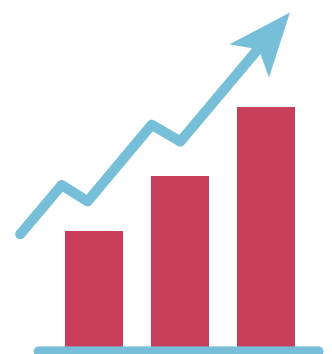
- Unit 1 – External Assessment (Exam) = 25%
- Unit 2 – External Assessment (Exam) = 25%
- Unit 3 - Internal Assessment (coursework portfolio) = 25%
- Option unit - Internal Assessment (coursework portfolio) = 25%

## COURSE UNITS


- Unit 1 – Human Lifespan and Development
- Unit 2 – Human Biology and Health
- Unit 3 – Principles of Health and Social Care Practice

PLUS one option unit to be decided from the following:

- Health, policy & well-being
- Promoting Health Education
- Safe Environments in health and social care
- Health science



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