



Blue Coat Church of England Academy

Year: 12

Subject: Health and Social Care

Overview

Pearson Level 3 Alternative Academic Qualification BTEC National in Health and Social Care (Extended Certificate)

Unit 1: Human Lifespan and Development

In this unit you will develop your knowledge and understanding of human growth and development across different life stages. You will explore the physical, intellectual, emotional and social development across all human life stages. You will study factors that may influence human growth, development and health. Growth and development could be impacted by a variety of factors, such as lifestyle, environmental and socio-economic. You will study the impact of health inequalities, and how these affect the health of individuals

This unit will be externally assessed through a 90 minute exam. There are 80 marks available

Unit 3: Principles of Health and Social Care Practice

In this unit, you will learn about the values, skills and principles of meeting individuals' care and support needs and how these should be applied in practice. You will look at some of the challenges when personalising care and how legislation, governance and regulation affect the provision of care and support to meet individuals' needs, such as working with vulnerable service users. You will also examine the different factors within society affecting the health outcomes of individuals and the strategies that could be employed to overcome these.

Assessed through coursework internally assessed, externally moderated.

For more information, you can access the specification here: [Pearson Level 3 Alternative Academic Qualification BTEC National in Health and Social Care \(Extended Certificate\) Specification](#)