



**An Introduction to BTEC**  
**HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE**  
Tech Award Level 1/2



# What is Health and Social Care?

- '*Health care*' will obviously incorporate staying healthy and remaining without infection or diseases
- People who work in health care are normally looking after patients who have, or may have, a medical problem.



# What is Health and Social Care?

- ‘*Social care*’ describes the activities, services and relationships that help people to be independent, active and healthy.



# Who are the teachers?

- Mrs Evans, Miss McNally and Mr Clarke



# How long is the course?

- The course is for 3 years



# Is this the right subject for you?

## You will:

- Learn through investigation
- Develop knowledge and understanding about health, social care and early years
- Complete assignment and practical work
- Learn about and understand the world you live in
- Research occupations you may want to work in





# What will you do?


## Component 1: Coursework

- This Component helps you understand how people grow and develop, as well as the personal relationships people have during their lives.
- You will look at how people progress from birth right through to later adulthood.
- You will complete a Controlled Assessment which will become your Portfolio for this Component.



# What will you do?

## Component 2: Coursework

- In this unit you will study and practically explore health and social care services and how they meet the needs of real people.
  - You will also look at the Care Values, there are seven
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- You will complete a Controlled Assessment written assignment work for this Component and there's a practical element

# What will you do?

# Year 11

## Component 3; Exam

- You will study the factors that affect health and wellbeing.
  - You will learn about physiological disorders and lifestyle indicators.
  - You will also learn how to design a health and wellbeing improvement plan to include short and long-term targets
- This Component builds on the knowledge, understanding and skills you gained from Components 1 and 2.
  - This is a 2 hour exam taken in year 11 in February and a resit in May





# What can you do after the course?



- Continue your studies in our 6<sup>th</sup> Form on the BTEC National Level 3 course, Extended Diploma.
- Undertake an Apprenticeship or Employment in a specialised area within the Health, Social Care and early year's fields.



# Stop and think moment

*Why might  
elderly  
people need  
looking  
after?*



- Adult care worker
- Occupational Therapist
- Art therapist
- Pharmacy Technician
- Children's Nurse
- Play Worker
- Children's Social Worker
- Nursery nurse
- Victim support worker

# Job types:

- Counsellor
- Probation Officer
- Dietician
- Speech Therapist
- Educational Psychologist
- Social Worker
- Healthcare Assistant
- Nurse / Midwife
- Youth offending Team Worker
- Youth Worker



# What's the difference?

List 3 Health  
Care workers  
List 3 Social  
Care workers

# True and False Quiz

Read the  
statements  
carefully and  
*complete the  
quiz*



# **Task: Why do you want to study Health & Social Care?**

Complete a written piece explaining why you think you might want to come into Health & Social Care

