







## 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, Mrs Proudler and Mr Clarke

## How long is the course?

 The course is for 3 years with assessment taking place in Y10 and Y11





# Is this the right subject for you?

#### You will:

- Learn through investigation
- Develop knowledge and understanding about health, social care across an individuals life stages
- Learn about and understand the world you live in
- Research occupations you may want to work in
  - Be assessed across Y10 and Y11through assignments and an exam



# What will you do?

#### **Component 1:Controlled Assessment**

- 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 on growth and development for 2 life stages set by BTEC under exam conditions but within Y10 lesson time.





#### What will you do? <u>Component 2: Controlled</u> assessment

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 and how these can be demonstrated.



• You will complete a Controlled Assessment under exam conditions but within Y11 lesson time. Written assignment work for this Component and analyse a role play of care values.

## What will you do? <u>Component 3; Exam</u>

- 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 longterm 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 May/June Y11

# What can you do after the course?



- Continue your studies with a level 3 vocational Health and Social course, which can lead to a related degree
- Undertake an Apprenticeship or Employment in a specialised area within the Health, Social Care and early year's fields.



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- 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





For some NHS careers you would be advised to complete Triple Science – Please check by following the <u>link</u>