

# HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE



BTEC:
Level 3
Extended
Certificate

BTEC: Level 3 Diploma



## WHY CHOOSE HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE?

- Last summer we had great Yr13 results:
  - 100% of single students got at least their target grade.
  - 100% of double students got at least their target grade.
- Mixture of exams and coursework.
- Exams taken in <u>January</u> of Year 12 <u>and</u> Year 13.
- Able to <u>resit</u> exams if needed in the summer term.



## WHY CHOOSE HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE?

Complete additional activities to help enrich your learning and add to university personal statements.

For example – Baby First Aid.



H&SC has opened up my knowledge to many different things.

It opens many doors for career opportunities that I didn't even know about before starting.

H&SC and Mrs Palmer has helped me become more organised to keep on top of work with deadlines always being clear. You literally *have* to be organised.

I think H&SC is a great option when picking your Sixth Form courses because it is a well taught, structured and organised lesson that you can have a bit of a laugh in.

It has given me a heightened sense of compassion, as you do not know what other people are going through.

I would advise anyone who wants to take H&SC to work hard from the start, keep on track of your organisation and be motivated to achieve.

A person should choose H&SC as it is a subject that gives you a lot of support, its very interesting and it gives you a lot of skills even if you don't want to go into a health care profession.

It is also a subject you know you will achieve high in if you put the effort in and Mrs Palmer is always offering support and ensuring that you are meeting deadlines to achieve high.

Kasay Leigh Ireland

## WHY H&SC?



- Health and social care is good because you learn about peoples health and how to care about them which is important in life.
- This will help me in the future because it is good to get a job in the health industry and working with different people
- -H&SC is a good subject because it is not all on exams because course work helps if exams are too stressful.

## Why should you choose Health and Social Care?

There are a lot of different topics that are interesting to learn about.

## How will this help you in the future?

Health and Social Care can lead to a lot of different career paths in the future.

## What have I enjoyed learning about?

I have enjoyed learning about the different life factors that can affect different people's development.

#### Advice:

Be able to manage time effectively and stay organised.

I want to go on to become a midwife in the future and health and social has allowed me to learn the skills I will need.

Boys might think it's a girly subject but the skills learnt can help in many different jobs.

WHY H&SC?

Anna Scott

I know Mrs Palmer is always making sure that everything I do is always my best, always making sure deadlines are met.

I was able to take part in a baby first aid course, I now have the skills to give a baby/child CPR.

It's really good to learn about if you're thinking about going into a profession that involves any sort of care (nursing, doctor, carer) and it's just really interesting to see what kind of skills are needed for them.

It's really laid back and the teachers actually care about giving you support and make sure you know exactly what you should be doing. If you meet deadlines you'll be fine.

#### WHY H&SC?

Abigail Dale

#### SINGLE OR DOUBLE AWARD?

- BTEC: Level 3Extended Certificate
- (Single 4 units)
- One of your choices

- BTEC: Level 3
  Diploma
- Double 8 units)
- Two of your choices





### TOPICS COVERED

**Human lifespan development** 

Legislation

**Factors affecting development** 

Job roles

**Primary Care** 

**Special needs support** 

**Secondary Care** 

How the body works

**Treating of disease** 

How to eat a healthy diet

**First Aid** 

**Barriers** 

**Diagnosing disease** 

Aids and adaptations

Research methods

Public health campaigns

**Nature Vs Nurture** 

**Needs assessment** 

Health policies and provision



### CAREER PATHWAYS

**GP** hospital doctor

learning mentor

social worker

**ENT** specialist

care worker

chiropractor

counsellor

physiotherapist

heart specialist

orthodontist

podiatrist

dentist

midwife

surgeon

nutritional analyst

health visitor

cardiologist

dietician

psychologist

radiographer

diabetes nurse

audiologist nurse

teacher

classroom assistant

nursery nurse



## ANY QUESTIONS?

- See Mrs Palmer or Mr Gardner in room D102.
- Or ask any of the Yr12 and Yr13 Health & Social Care students.

