



Excelon
Learning

Qualification

Level 2 Diploma Introducing Caring for Children and Young People (603/3477/0)

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Course Description

The **Level 2 Diploma Introducing Caring for Children and Young People** is a comprehensive introductory qualification designed to develop learners' knowledge, understanding, and awareness of caring for children and young people across early years and childcare contexts.

This qualification provides a broad foundation in safeguarding, child development, parenting responsibilities, health and safety, play, inclusion, and supporting children with additional needs. It supports learners to understand children's welfare, wellbeing, learning, and development, while recognising professional boundaries and responsibilities. The course prepares learners for further study or progression into childcare, education, or family support roles.

Course Structure

The **Level 2 Diploma Introducing Caring for Children and Young People** consists of **thirteen mandatory units**:

**UNIT
01**

**Safeguarding the
Welfare of
Children and
Young People**

**UNIT
02**

**Accident
Prevention and
Fire Safety when
Babysitting**

**UNIT
03**

**Caring for Young
Children in a
Babysitting
Environment**

**UNIT
04**

**Rights and
Responsibilities in
Relation to
Parenting**



**UNIT
05** Parenting and
Healthy Lifestyles

**UNIT
06** Parenting a
Young Baby

**UNIT
07** Craft Activities
with Young
Children

**UNIT
08** Respecting and
Valuing Children

**UNIT
9** Importance of
Play for Early
Learning

**UNIT
10** Young Children's
Development

**UNIT
11** Sharing Learning
Experiences with
Children

**UNIT
12** Supporting
Children's
Development

**UNIT
13** Support Children
with Additional
Needs



How We Support You – Our Support and Delivery Model

Our courses are designed to be accessible, supportive, and suitable for learners at all levels. All learning materials are written in clear, straightforward language to help learners build understanding and confidence.

Courses are delivered entirely through **self-paced distance learning** via our online platform, enabling learners to study flexibly alongside work, education, or personal commitments.

Learners have continuous access to tutor support throughout their course. Tutors can be contacted via the VLE or email, with responses typically provided within 24 to 48 hours.

Additional **on-demand support sessions** may be arranged where required. Regular **live webinars** are also offered, subject to tutor availability, providing opportunities for engagement, questions, and reinforcement of learning.

Assessment Process

Assessment is completed through:

Written assignments

There are **no formal examinations**. Assessment focuses on demonstrating understanding, awareness, and the ability to apply knowledge appropriately.

Course Duration

The course offers **309 Guided Learning Hours (GLH)** and is delivered through flexible, self-paced learning. It can typically be completed within approximately **9 months**, depending on the learner's own pace. Course access expires after one year, and a re-enrolment charge is applicable.



Our Process

01.

Choose & Pay for Your Course Online

Select your desired course and payment method online. Opt for either full payment or convenient monthly instalments where available. Complete your payment after filling out the application form.

02.

Fill Out the Enrolment Form

After payment, you will be prompted to complete the enrolment form. This form gathers all necessary details required for your registration with the awarding organisation.

03.

Access the VLE – Moodle

Start your course on our user-friendly Virtual Learning Environment (VLE). Here, you will find all learning materials, resources, and guidance required to support your studies. Your dedicated tutor will guide you through the process and provide feedback throughout your learning journey.

04.

Submit Assignments & Receive Feedback

Engage in the learning process by submitting assignments through the VLE. Your assigned tutor will provide constructive feedback to help you refine your work and make progress in your studies.

05.

Successfully Complete Assignments

Work diligently to complete all required course components and assessment tasks. Your commitment and effort will contribute to successful course completion.

06.

Obtain Your Accredited Certificate

Upon successfully completing the course, your work will undergo internal quality assurance and external verification. Once approved, you will receive an Ofqual-regulated accredited certificate recognising your achievement.



Course Brochure Takeaways

A nationally
recognised
Level 2
qualification

Comprehensive
introduction to
caring for children
and young people

Flexible online,
self-paced
study

No exams or
placement
requirements

Strong
foundation
for progression into
childcare, education,
or family support
roles

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