

Understanding Autism Level 3 Certificate

About the Course

Autism is described by The National Autistic Society as a complex, lifelong developmental disability that typically appears during early childhood and can impact a person's social skills, communication, relationships, and self-regulation. Individual preference regarding terminology used for an individual on the autism spectrum may vary and must be valued and respected.

This 36-week qualification is designed for learners who want to increase their knowledge and understanding of autism.

- Autism in context
- Positive behaviour support for individuals with autism
- Understand support and management of transitions for individual with autism.
- Therapeutic interventions and support available and co-occurring conditions.
- Communication and social interaction with individuals with autism
- Safeguarding and resilience in autism.

Please note: To successfully complete this course you must commit to 100% attendance and punctuality.

What is needed for the course?

- You will need an initial assessment, where we will ask you to complete some tasks.
- We will also ask you some questions to be able to support you better with your studies.
- You need to have writing skills at English Level 2 or above.
- You will need internet access and an electronic device.
- There is approximately 4 – 6 hours of homework per week.

There are no specific recommended prior learning requirements for this qualification.

If you need any additional support, please call us: 02085836000.

Progression Pathway

Level 3 certificate in understanding autism.

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NCFE CACHE Level 3 diploma for the children's workforce (Early Years Educator)

Job opportunities

By completing the qualification, learners will develop in-depth knowledge and understanding of autism, which could support progression onto appropriate qualifications, and into relevant employment, in the health and social care sector.

We can also provide you with information, advice and guidance for employment or further learning.

- ▶ Please speak with your tutor or
- ▶ Call 020 8583 6174 to speak to an advisor or
- ▶ Email work@hounslow.gov.uk or
- ▶ Visit www.workhounslow.co.uk