

Support Teaching & Learning Level 3

Wednesday

Course Options

6pm - 9pm

15/9/2021 – 25/5/2022

Course Information

This qualification provides an in-depth understanding of the knowledge and skills required when working directly with children or young people in primary, secondary, sixth form or special schools. It covers all aspects of Specialist Support including planning, delivering and reviewing assessment strategies to support learning alongside the teacher. This includes bilingual and special needs support, and personal development and reflective practice. It is suitable for anyone working in roles that offer specialist support for pupils' learning. This course usually takes a year to complete.

Entry requirements

You should be at least 18 years old. You need to have a good level of literacy and ideally have a relevant level 2 qualification. You should also be in paid employment and have 18 months experience of working within a classroom.

How will I be assessed?

It will be assessed by your tutor or assessor using a range of methods. This could include direct observation in the workplace, a portfolio of evidence, written assignments or a task set by Cache.

Initial assessment

All students are required to complete an initial assessment. We will send you a link to complete this via our online BKSB platform, please ensure this is completed prior to completing the enrolment process. If you are unable to do this at home, let us know and we will arrange for you to use a computer in college.

How much home study will I have to do?

You will need to do approximately 4 hours of home study per week.

How will I be taught?

You will need to be in a paid employment within a classroom environment for at least 12 hours per week as you need to show competence in both knowledge and skills. You will also require the support of a workplace mentor during the course. Teaching will be fairly formal but with an emphasis on building

on the knowledge that you already have. Delivery includes:

- Tutor-led sessions
- Tutorials and discussions
- Individual, paired and group tasks

How much does the course cost?

Age 24 or over —there is a £2225 course fee and £132 exam fee. You are able to apply for an Advanced Learning Loan and can finance the £2225 course fee from this loan. Loans will need to be repaid but repayments will not start until you earn more than £25,725 per year. Loans are not income dependent and there are no credit checks. For more information visit www.gov.uk/advanced-learning-loans.

Additional costs

£10 non-refundable administration fee which provides you with an ID badge and printing credit to use in college. You will need to buy a text book which the tutor will advise you of at the first class. You will need paper and a pen.

Parking

Parking during the college day is limited, there is plenty of free parking in the surrounding roads if you are unable to park onsite. For evening courses we recommend you use our White's Rd entrance SO19 7NS and enter via the sports centre reception after your first day. On your first day please come to the main college reception we will be here to greet you and show you where to go.

Expectations

We expect you to aim for 100% attendance and attendance is recorded for every timetabled session. Students are automatically withdrawn if they have not attended for 4 consecutive weeks. If a student's attendance falls below 80% their place on the course and their exam entry will be at risk. We place considerable emphasis on excellent attendance and punctuality and ask you to respect and adhere to these values to ensure academic success. Any health concerns will be treated sympathetically and if necessary we will consider implementing the college's Fitness to Study Policy.

To enrol please apply via our website www.itchen.ac.uk

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Adult Education team on 02380 446156 or email acet@itchen.ac.uk