

COWLEY

SIXTH FORM COLLEGE

CHILDREN'S CARE, LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Teaching staff

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Overview

The child care industry is a rewarding and exciting sector to work in. This course will help you to develop the qualities required to work in the child care and early years sector. This will include learning about child development, play, physical care needs and health and safety. The course also includes work experience and you will be supported every step of the way by experienced teachers.

In your first year, you will study three units covering aspects of child development, placement experiences and child assessment and observational techniques.

In the second year, you will study aspects of safeguarding, and care skills needed for children.

Students are given access to a wide range of specialist equipment, including interactive babies, pregnancy simulator and model infants exposed to various lifestyle induced disorders.

Work experience

As part of the course, students will take part in 50 hours of work experience over two years. This placement will be in a child care setting, such as a nursery, private day school or children's centre.

Equipment that you will need

Basic stationery: pen, pencil, notepad, lever arch file.



This course offers a chance to go above and beyond your potential as you have support from incredible teachers.

This is an amazing course and it has opened up a wide range of opportunities within the child care sector."



Ebony Jackson

Currently studying:

BTEC Children's Care, Learning and Development
A-Level English
A-Level Psychology



Progression

Past students have gone onto a variety of courses such as Early Years & Education courses at university. From this, many students have continued into professions such as Early Years Educators, Primary school teachers and Paediatric Nurses.