

Level 1 Award in Preparing to Work in Schools

Location	Stretford Campus
Course Type	Adult
Department	Childcare & Education
Start Date	Friday 1st May 2026
Duration	Part-time, 11 Weeks
Time	09:30:00 - 14:30:00
Fee	£ 141.00 You may be eligible for support with your tuition fees - please visit the college website - funding and finance page for further information
Course Code	TPQ-AY1A-1200

Course Overview

This qualification prepares learners for further learning and training whilst developing an understanding of the teaching and learning environment in a school setting. It covers areas such as how to support the well-being of a child or young person and child and young person development.

Course Requirements

No formal qualifications are required, a commitment to the course, and interest in studying English and or maths if not already achieved grade 4/C at GCSE

What You Will Learn

This qualification is aimed at a range of learners who are thinking of working in a school setting including: young people, mature learners, learners with special educational needs or where English is an additional language.

Assessment

This qualification will be internally assessed using a range of methods, which could include written assignments or tasks such as designing a leaflet or booklet, charts or diagrams, or setting up an information board.

Progression

Students can progress onto the Level 2 Award in Support Work in Schools and Colleges or the Level 2 Certificate in Supporting Teaching and Learning.

Career Options

With further study - working in schools, Teaching Assistant, Care Worker

Mandatory Units

To achieve the Award the learner must complete 3 mandatory units.

Contact Details

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