

## Level 2 Award in an Introduction to Neuroscience in Early Years (online)

Location	Online
Course Type	Adult
Department	Childcare & Education
Start Date	Thursday 1st August 2024
Duration	Part-time, 1 Year
Time	09:00 - 17:00
Fee	£ 362.00 You may be eligible for support with your tuition fees - please visit the college website - funding and finance page for further information
Course Code	XPQ-AY2A-1200

### Course Overview

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This qualification aims to provide an introduction to the early year's development of the brain in babies and young people from 0 to 7 years old. Through the course you will explore a range of topics including brain development, impact on behaviour, stress response and wider cognitive, social, and emotional development.

The course is delivered remotely and runs over 6 weeks with 4 hours of scheduled contact time each week. You will be assigned a subject specialist course tutor who will deliver the live scheduled sessions. The qualification is internally assessed using a range of methods including written assignments or tasks and weekly support will be available to guide you from the beginning to the completion of your qualification.

### Course Requirements

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There are no specific entry requirements for this qualification however learners should be aged 19 and over, have a genuine interest in this subject and have Functional Skills in English at grade 1 or GCSE grade 3 or above.

## What You Will Learn

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This course is relevant to anyone with an interest in child development and the factors that affect child development and the factors that affect children's behavior, emotional well-being and ability to learn. It is particularly relevant to early years practitioners, teachers and teaching assistants, childminders and those who work in children's services. It should also be a valuable aid to parents and other primary carers.

## Assessment

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All units will be internally assessed using a range of methods including written assignments or tasks such as designing a leaflet or poster, charts, using case studies or a workbook.

## Progression

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This course doesn't lead to a specific job role but provides CPD of new knowledge and skills and supports the practitioner role within the workplace.

On successful completion learners could progress to the following qualification:

Level 2 Diploma for the Early Years Practitioner

Level 3 Certificate in Preparing to Work in Early Years Education and Care.

## Mandatory Units

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Understanding neuroscience in early years

Understanding self-regulation and how to nurture this in children from birth to seven years old

## Contact Details

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