



Child Development and Care KS4 Curriculum Overview 2019 – 20

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Exam board and syllabus name: NCFE CACHE Level 2 Technical Award in Child Development and Care		Coursework 50%	Final examination 50%	
Year 10				
Term	Unit/topic	Knowledge	Skills	Assessment
Autumn term 1	Unit 2 – Areas of development	Physical, Intellectual, Language, Emotional and Social Development	AO1 – Recall of knowledge and understanding. AO2 – Application of knowledge and understanding. AO3 – Analysis to demonstrate knowledge of concepts and theories.	Unit 2 Task 1 Coursework
Autumn term 2	Unit 2 - Observations	Types of observation (how they are carried out, advantages and disadvantages), Why we do them	AO1 – Recall of knowledge and understanding. AO2 – Application of knowledge and understanding. AO3 – Analysis to demonstrate knowledge of concepts and theories.	Unit 2 Task 2 Coursework
Spring term 1	Unit 2 – Factors affecting development and Supporting development	Biological and environmental factors, routines, play activities	AO1 – Recall of knowledge and understanding. AO2 – Application of knowledge and understanding. AO3 – Analysis to demonstrate knowledge of concepts and theories.	Unit 2 Task 3 Coursework



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Spring term 2	Unit 2 – Transitions	Expected and unexpected transitions, effect on children, how to support children through transitions	AO1 – Recall of knowledge and understanding. AO2 – Application of knowledge and understanding. AO3 – Analysis to demonstrate knowledge of concepts and theories.	Unit 2 Task 4 Coursework
Summer term 1	Unit 1 – Study skills and Childcare setting	Learning styles, study skills, various childcare settings	AO1 – Recall of knowledge and understanding. AO2 – Application of knowledge and understanding. AO3 – Analysis to demonstrate knowledge of concepts and theories.	Mock exam
Summer term 2	Unit 1 – Working in a Childcare setting	How to prepare for working in a setting, key responsibilities of the early years worker	AO1 – Recall of knowledge and understanding. AO2 – Application of knowledge and understanding. AO3 – Analysis to demonstrate knowledge of concepts and theories.	Mock exam
Year 11				
Term	Unit/topic	Knowledge	Skills	Assessment
Autumn term 1	Unit 1 – Working in a Childcare setting	Key responsibilities of the early years worker. Revision of units 1 and 2	AO1 – Recall of knowledge and understanding. AO2 – Application of knowledge and understanding.	External Exam (Unit 3 – based on topics of Units 1 and 2)



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			AO3 – Analysis to demonstrate knowledge of concepts and theories.	
Autumn term 2	Unit 1	Review study skills and settings (Coursework)	AO1 – Recall of knowledge and understanding. AO2 – Application of knowledge and understanding. AO3 – Analysis to demonstrate knowledge of concepts and theories.	Unit 1 Tasks 1 and 4 Coursework
Spring term 1	Unit 1	Review Preparing to work in a Childcare setting (Coursework)	AO1 – Recall of knowledge and understanding. AO2 – Application of knowledge and understanding. AO3 – Analysis to demonstrate knowledge of concepts and theories.	Unit 1 Task 2 Coursework
Spring term 2	Unit 1	Review Key responsibilities (Coursework)	AO1 – Recall of knowledge and understanding. AO2 – Application of knowledge and understanding. AO3 – Analysis to demonstrate knowledge of concepts and theories.	Unit 1 Task 3 Coursework
Summer term 1				
Summer term 2	Most of this half term is made up of study leave and GCSEs.			