

# STUDYING **CHILDCARE** AT **THE ARCH**



Our Childcare programme supports learners to work towards Level 1 or Level 2 Certificates in Caring for Children (QCF).

These qualifications encourage an understanding of the knowledge and the skills needed to care for young children. They cover children's growth, learning and development. There are also units to help with self-development.

They are suitable for anyone who wants to develop parenting and life skills, including those with special educational needs or where English is an additional language.

You should be at least 14 years old. You can usually complete the Certificate in a year.

When studying with us, you will be fully supported by a personal tutor. Your tutor will help with any issues that arise. At The Arch, we firmly believe that every learner should achieve their full potential and will work hard to make sure that this happens. You will therefore be offered enhancement qualifications, including Paediatric First Aid training and the Duke of Edinburgh's Award.

"I never thought I could get a good job in Childcare"

**Matthew Pert**

"I started as a Level 1 learner and am now doing an apprenticeship. I hope to work in a nursery."

**Olivia Clark**

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

All our learners also complete periods of high quality work experience at placements that we arrange with selected employers, including primary schools and nurseries. During this time, you will be fully supported by our team of mentors and tutors.

## **FACILITIES**

Our learners have access to classrooms equipped with state of the art facilities, including a simulated nursery environment and a range of dedicated resources.

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