

BTEC Tech Award in Health and Social Care (2022)

- This is a Vocational qualification by **Pearson**.
- It is split into 3 components with 60% internally assessed coursework and 40% externally assessed exam
- It will provide a range of scenarios and practical based knowledge to support any future career aspirations.
- You will understand the importance of a range of care values and careers which directly impact the health and well being of individuals within the community.



Component 1: Human Lifespan Development

Aim: To be able to understand how we grow and develop throughout our lives

Assessment: internally assessed assignments

Weighting: 30% of total course

During this component you will:

- Explore how individuals develop physically, emotionally, socially and intellectually over time.
- Investigate how various factors, events and choices impact individuals' growth and development.
- Discover how people adapt to life events and cope with change.



Component 2 - Health and Social Care Services and Values

Aim: To be able to get to know how the Health and Social Care sector works and the care values that lie at its core.

Assessment: internally assessed assignments

Weighting: 30% of total course

During this component you will:

- Learn which health and social care services are available
- Identify why people might need to use these services
- Discover who's involved in providing these services
- Explore what might stop people from accessing the services they need
- Look at the care values the sector has to make sure people get the care and protection they need.



Component 3- Health and Wellbeing

Aim: To be able to understand the factors and actions which can improve a individual's health and wellbeing

Assessment: externally assessed exam, in which students create a health and wellbeing improvement plan for an individual

Weighting: 40% of total course

During this component you will:

- Learn what 'being healthy' means to different people
- Explore the different factors that might influence health and wellbeing
- Identify key health indicators and learn how to interpret them
- Assess an individual's health using what they've learned
- Create a health and wellbeing improvement plan for that person



Careers:

This course is perfect for direct links into study Health and Social Care or Child Development at Level 3. It also allows attendance onto workplace apprenticeships.

Future careers may include:

Nursing	Counselling
Midwifery	Mental Health
Nursery Nurse	Social Worker
Teaching	Support worker
Care worker	Occupational therapist
Psychologist	Biomedical Scientist
Health Visitor	Speech and Language Therapist
Audiologist	

Plus many, many more

