

# **Early Years and Education**

## **Foundation Degree in Early Childhood Studies**

Campus: North Notts College Code: NHECP001 Type: Part Time

The course will provide an innovative response to specific sector needs for the professional development of childminders, pre-school learning leaders and early years practitioners. It can also allow progression to study the BA (Hons) Early Childhood Studies (Top up).

#### Why Study With Us?

We have an excellent reputation within the early years and childcare sectors. Our highly-skilled and experienced staff team, and links with employers in this sector, will support you to achieve your full potential.

This course is validated by the University of Hull.

#### **Modules Covered**

Level 4 Academic Study Skills Early Childhood Development Professional Reflective Practice: Listening to Young Children Safeguarding and Promoting the Well-being of Young Children Natural Play Social Inclusion and Early Childhood Education Level 5 Approaches to Research in Early Childhood Studies Inclusive Strategies for Children with SEND Professional Reflective Practice: Transitions Professional Reflective Practice: Critical Reflection and Alternative Pedagogies Action Research Project Professional Reflective Practice: Learning Journey

#### **Entry Requirements**

A relevant Level 3 qualification in Early Years with license to practice status GCSE maths and English at grade C/4 or above or equivalent Hold a current Enhanced DBS Be employed within the sector in a relevant setting and role ICT access and skills to support online learning elements of the programme All applicants who are non-native English speakers, or who have not studied the final two years of school in English, must have an IELTS score of 6.0 or above

### **How To Apply**

You can apply using our online application form and clicking the Apply Now button at the top of the page.

#### **Career Opportunities**

Upon successful completion of this course you could go into employment as a Nursery Manager, Pre-School Leader, Teaching Assistant, Early Years Practitioner or a Family Support Worker.

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