



## KS4 Curriculum Overview - Child Development

Your child will study key knowledge, understanding and skills that relate to working in the Child Development sector. They will also have the opportunity to apply what they learn by completing practical activities.

Term	Year 10	Year 11
Autumn 1	<b>Title: Health and wellbeing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Childhood illness</li> <li>Parenthood</li> <li>Preconception health and reproduction</li> <li>Newborn baby</li> </ul>	<b>Title: Learning through play</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stages of play</li> <li>Observation, planning and evaluating activities</li> <li>R059, NEA, task 1 - child observation</li> </ul>
Autumn 2	<b>Title: Development needs and safety</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Development needs birth to five years</li> <li>Safety and how to ensure a safe environment</li> <li>R058, NEA, task 1 - equipment</li> </ul>	<b>Title: Learning through play</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>R059, NEA, task 2(a) - activity plans</li> <li>R059, NEA, task 2(b) - evaluation</li> </ul>
Spring 1	<b>Title: Safe environments and nutritional needs</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>R058, NEA task 2 - safety and accident prevention</li> <li>R058, NEA, tasks 3 – nutritional needs</li> </ul>	<b>Title: Health and wellbeing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Antenatal care, tests and checks</li> <li>Screening and diagnostic tests</li> <li>Delivery choice, a healthy pregnancy</li> <li>Pain relief, labour and birth, assisted delivery.</li> </ul>
Spring 2	<b>Title: Nutritional needs</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>R058, NEA, task 4 - nutritional needs including a practical assessment</li> </ul>	<b>Title: Health and wellbeing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Postnatal care and provision</li> <li>Revision - childhood illness, conditions for development, safety</li> </ul>
Summer 1	<b>Title: Reproduction</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reproductive systems, menstrual cycle</li> <li>Contraception</li> <li>Reproduction, signs of pregnancy</li> <li>Multiple births</li> <li>Development of the embryo and foetus</li> </ul>	<b>Title: Revision</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parenthood, preconception, contraception</li> <li>Reproduction, pregnancy, development of the embryo and foetus</li> <li>Antenatal care, pregnancy, labour and birth</li> <li>Postnatal care</li> </ul>
Summer 2	<b>Title: Development</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Development norms birth to 5 years</li> <li>R059, NEA, task 1 - development norms</li> </ul>	GCSE Public Examinations

The qualification will help your child to develop learning and skills that can be used in other life and work situations, such as:

Research skills	Communication skills
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The NEA set assignment - students will need to complete research about feeding solutions and the nutritional needs of children.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Within the NEA set assignment students will need to make recommendations to the nursery on activities which support development.</li> </ul>

Parents can support their child by encouraging them to regularly check Google classroom for homework and coursework deadlines. Assessment revision lists and resources will also be uploaded to the classroom.