

Health and Social Care BTEC

<u>Course Title:</u> Health and Social Care BTEC	LARS/QAN Code: 601/7197/2
<u>Level:</u> Three	<u>Awarding Organisation:</u> EDEXCEL
<u>Delivery:</u> Classroom based	<u>Start Date:</u> September
<u>Location:</u> Headlands School	Url: http://www.headlandsschool.co.uk/
<u>Cost:</u> Covered by EFA funding	<u>Duration:</u> 2 years
<u>Full-time or Part-time:</u> Full-time	<u>Attendance:</u> Daytime
<p><u>Who is the course for:</u> Students who have an interest in working professionally with people. This could be in early years work with children as a primary teacher or children’s nurse; it might be in adult health services as a paramedic, midwife, physiotherapist or adult nurse, or in social care services as a social worker. It might be in some other career such as operating department practitioner or occupational therapist. A genuine interest in how we develop and how a variety of factors affect us as individuals and how we can support society</p>	
<p><u>Entry requirements:</u> Standard entry requirement for Vocational programme.</p>	
<p><u>What you’ll learn:</u> The content of this qualification has been developed in consultation with higher education to ensure it supports progression towards higher study. In addition, employers and professional bodies have been involved, in order to confirm that the content is also appropriate for those interested in working in the sector. Students will complete the following mandatory units:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human Lifespan Development (Exam year 12) • Working in Health and Social Care (Exam Year 13) • Meeting Individual Care and Support Needs. <p>Our option topic is</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physiological disorders. 	
<p><u>How you’ll learn:</u> Health and Social Care students learn through practical tasks, self-supported study, research in groups or pairs, and formal teaching. You will also have the opportunity to meet people who are working in the industry. There will be a mixture of theory lessons led by teachers with the coursework time needed. In order to complete the coursework components of the qualification we regularly need to use laptops and students may wish to purchase their own to connect to the google classroom. WORK EXPERIENCE AND ENRICHMENT we encourage all our health and social care students to apply to the Bridlington Health Academy programme.</p>	

How you'll be assessed:

Informal assessment will be ongoing throughout the course, using homework, timed essays and pre-public exams.

Formal assessment will be completed at the end of unit 1 in year 12 and unit 2 in year 13. In addition to this there are two units of coursework which will be internally assessed and a sample sent to externally verify.

Where next:

Students have gone on to study and work in a variety of areas from this course ranging from Nursing, Social Work, Occupational Therapy, Primary school teaching, Care home work. It is a vocational course so it concentrates on the world of work and gaining the skills needed to enter a caring profession.