Qualification: BTEC Level 1/2 Technical Award in Health & Social Care  
Exam Board: Pearson  
Level of Achievement: Level 1/2 Pass, Merit, Distinction

What will I learn?

**Component 1: Human Lifespan Development.** Aim: understand how we grow and develop throughout our lives.  
During component 1, students 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 making changes.

**Component 2: Health and Social Care Services and Values.** Aim: get to know how the Health and Social Care sector works and the care values that lie at the core of it  
During component 2, students 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-to-make sure people get the care and protection they need.

**Component 3: Health and Wellbeing.** Aim: help improve some ones’ health and wellbeing  
During component 3, students will learn what ‘being healthy’ means to different people. Explore the different factors that might influence health and wellbeing. Identify key health indicators and how to interpret them. Assess an individual’s health using what they have learned.

How will I be assessed?

**Component 1: Human Lifespan Development**  
- Internally assessed assignments  
- 30% of total marks  
- 30% of Technical Award  

**Component 2: Health & Social Care Services and Values**  
- Internally assessed assignments  
- 30% of the total course

**Component 3: Development through the life stage**  
- Externally assessed assignments  
- 40% of the total course

Future opportunities  
Level 1 at KS4 - Study of Health & Social Care Post 16 through a Technical Certificate.  
Post 16 Level 2 - study in a range of Technical routes.  
A Levels – Level 3 Vocational Qualifications eg. BTEC National in Health & Social Care.

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