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# Training Qualifications UK (TQUK)

- We are regulated by Training Qualifications UK (TQUK) - The fastest growing awarding body in the UK - <https://www.tquk.org>
- All successful learners will be certified by Training Qualification (TQUK) with a fully recognised qualification.
- Training Qualifications UK (TQUK) are Ofqual regulated
- Our approved centre number is: 1709156
- All qualifications are fully recognised and accepted by Ofsted



**TQUK Early Years LV3 Diploma –  
Children's Workforce  
(Early Years Educator) RQF**

Qualification Ref: 601/7670/1  
Credit Value: 62  
UCAS Points: 32

# Qualification Information

The online Early Years Level 3 Diploma is a fully accredited (Early Years Educator course) and the direct replacement for the old NVQ Level 3 qualification.

Aimed at learners currently working or volunteering with children from birth to 5 years in an Early Years setting.

Learners will also gain knowledge of children aged 5-7 years old in a variety of settings including Nurseries and Pre-schools.

This course meets the minimum Ofsted requirements for employment at Level 3 in an early Years setting. (Paediatric First Aid & GCSE/L2 English also required). Suitable for inclusion in staff – child ratios.

Learners must complete 17 mandatory units (See Qualification Spec)

This qualification is suitable for individuals aged 16 years and above who:

- ▶ Currently work in an Early Years setting (Nursery or Pre-school)
- ▶ Currently volunteer in an Early Years setting (Min 7 hours per week recommended)

# Qualification Structure



THIS QUALIFICATION HAS BEEN DESIGNED TO BE FLEXIBLE SO THAT STUDENTS CAN PROGRESS IN THEIR OWN TIME AT THEIR OWN PACE WITHIN THE ALLOCATED 18-MONTH STUDY PERIOD.



STUDENTS WILL STUDY SEVENTEEN LESSONS DURING THE QUALIFICATION. EACH LESSON COVERS A PARTICULAR UNIT RELATED TO THE ROLE OF AN EARLY YEARS PRACTITIONER. THE LESSONS ARE IN PLACE TO ACT AS A GUIDE TO THEIR LEARNING. ALL ACCESSED ONLINE VIA OUR [LASER LEARNING PLATFORM](#).



EACH OF THE LESSONS WILL GIVE THE THE REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE AND UNDERSTANDING TO BE ABLE TO UNDERTAKE ALL ASSESSMENT ACTIVITIES.



TUTOR SUPPORT AND TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENTS BY A COLLEGE ASSESSOR IS ALSO INCLUDED.

# Assessment Activities

Students will be assessed against the learning outcomes (LOs) and assessment criteria (AC) of the seventeen units using some or all of the methods below.

Assessor observation (We come to you)

Witness testimony by a suitably qualified individual in the setting (Min Level 3 in Early Years or above required)

Learner product

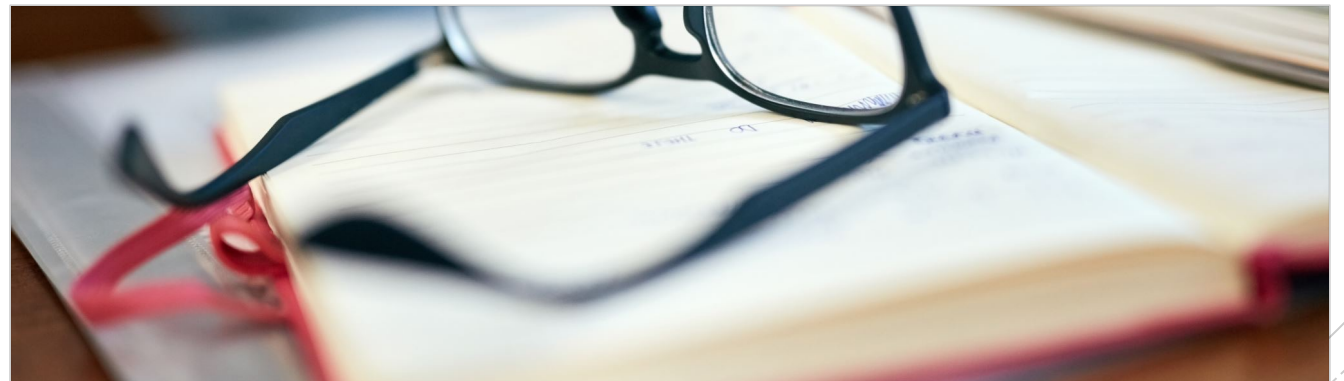
Worksheets

Assignments/projects/reports

Record of oral and written questioning

Learner and peer reports

Recognition of prior learning (RPL)



# Assessment Tips!

Examples from your current practice are encouraged in your work.

It is good practice to include references to wider reading you have undertaken, such as textbooks or website. However, this is not a requirement.

Complete the assessments Holistically in the order that suits your own personal needs.





# Progression Routes

- Early Years Teaching Assistant (Reception only)
- Nursery Assistant
- Pre-School Assistant
- Playgroup Assistant
- Nanny
- Childminder
- Progression to Level 4 Advanced qualifications.