

Qualification factsheet

Qualification overview

Qualification title	NCFE CACHE Level 2 Award in an Introduction to Neuroscience on Early Years		
Qualification number (QN)	603/5216/4		
Total qualification time (TQT):	120	Guided learning hours (GL)	105
Entry requirements:	Learners should be a minimum of 16 years of age.		

About this qualification

This qualification's aim is to provide an introduction to the early development of the brain in babies and young children from birth to 7 years of age. It looks at how the social brain develops, the limbic system and self-regulation.

This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 or above who are interested in working in the early years sector. No previous experience of working in an early years setting is required.

Qualification structure

This qualification has 2 mandatory units.

Mandatory units

J/617/8537 Understanding neuroscience in early years
L/617/8538 Understanding self-regulation and how to nurture this in children from birth to seven years

Assessment

Both units will be internally assessed.

Progression opportunities

Learners could progress to the following qualifications:

- Level 2 Diploma for the Early Years Practitioner
- Level 3 Certificate in Preparing to Work in Early Years Education and Care

This qualification doesn't lead to a specific job role but it provides continued professional development of new knowledge and skills and supports the Practitioner role in the workplace. Also, when undertaken in conjunction with our Level 2 Diploma for the Early Years Practitioner, it provides an overall package that allows for further progression in the early years sector



Contact us

NCFE
Q6
Quorum Park
Benton Lane
Newcastle upon Tyne
NE12 8BT

Tel: 0191 239 8000*

Fax: 0191 239 8001

Email: customersupport@ncfe.org.uk

Website: www.ncfe.org.uk

NCFE © Copyright 2021 All rights reserved worldwide.

Version 1.0 September 2021

Information in this qualification factsheet is correct at the time of publishing but may be subject to change.

NCFE is a registered charity (Registered Charity No. 1034808) and a company limited by guarantee (Company No. 2896700).

CACHE; Council for Awards in Care, Health and Education; and NNEB are registered trademarks owned by NCFE.

All the material in this publication is protected by copyright.

**** To continue to improve our levels of customer service, telephone calls may be recorded for training and quality purposes.***