

Introduction



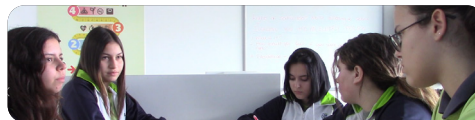
Health and Social Care is a subject whereby students can follow a path of being of service to others. The knowledge, skills and competences acquired can also be used in their daily life when taking care of relatives and other family members. The student has the opportunity to learn by relating to real life situations, hands on activities, practical sessions and the use of professional equipment found in work places.

The subject is offered at SEC (Vocational) and SEAC (Applied) routes. Students start to achieve marks for their certification from Year 9.

Vocational

Unit 1

Effective Communication, Human Development & Holistic Care



- Effective communication skills
- Development & needs of all life stages

Unit 2

Anatomy, Physiology, Health & Safety in Health & Social Care



- The human body
- Health & safety
- Basic first aid

Unit 3

Equality, Diversity & Quality Care



- Promoting anti-discriminatory practices & equality
- Promoting quality care

✓ Assessment

60% coursework, 40% exam

Applied

Unit 1

Looking After Babies, Children & Adolescents



- Baby & child-care
- Vital signs measurements

Unit 2

Working with Vulnerable Adults



- Meeting the needs of adults
- First aid skills

Unit 3

Working in a Health & Social Care Environment



- Effective communication skills
- Care plans and individual services

✓ Assessment

100% coursework

JOBS related to Health & Social Care

- Nurse
- Care Worker
- Physiotherapist
- Psychologist
- Speech and Language Pathologist
- Podologist
- Occupational Therapist
- Child-carer
- Guidance Teacher
- Health & Social Care Teacher

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