



## Fully funded courses and qualifications 2020 - 2021

We are pleased to confirm that we have **another year of funding** for those people living in Calderdale to access a range of short courses and qualifications.

Due to Covid19, the majority of the delivery will be **distance learning** although we hope to be able to meet in groups as soon as it is safe to do so.

### ACCREDITED QUALIFICATIONS – Entry Level 3 and Level 1

We will use Zoom and send all learning materials to your home address so you can complete course work for your accredited learning in your own time.

### SHORT WORKSHOPS

These are delivered in small groups using Zoom and are interactive so you can participate and share your learning

Places are limited so please select which courses you would like to do and email Verity Elliott (see contact details on page 2) and check your eligibility (see page 2).

AUTUMN 2020 – September to December	
<p><b>September 2020</b></p> <p>3 x Zoom workshops:</p> <p>Thursdays 10.30-12.00 24<sup>th</sup> Sept, 8<sup>th</sup> Oct &amp; 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct</p>	<p><b>Entry Level 3 Employability:</b> Learners have the opportunity to complete a short course that looks at some aspects of what is useful for work. They do not need to be in work as the qualification will help demonstrate their understanding for future employment.</p> <p><b>This qualification consists of 3 units -</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Understanding mindset</li> <li>&gt; Work awareness</li> <li>&gt; Problem solving skills for work</li> </ul>
<p><b>October 2020</b></p> <p>5 x Zoom workshops:</p> <p>Thursdays 10.30-12.00 15<sup>th</sup> &amp; 29<sup>th</sup> Oct, 12<sup>th</sup> &amp; 26<sup>th</sup> Nov and 10<sup>th</sup> Dec</p>	<p><b>Level 1 Award Introduction to health, social care and children and young people’s settings:</b> The qualification provides information for anyone considering a career in health and/or social care. It will provide an opportunity for learners to develop some understanding about the health and social care sector before deciding about their career pathways.</p> <p><b>This qualification consists of 4 units related to health and social care, early years and childcare:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Understand the range of service provision and roles</li> <li>&gt; Understand the principles and values</li> <li>&gt; Introduction to communication</li> <li>&gt; Introductory awareness of working with others</li> </ul>

<b>SPRING 2021 – January to March</b>	
<p><b>January 2021</b></p> <p>2 x Zoom workshops</p> <p>Tuesdays 10.30-12.00 12<sup>th</sup> &amp; 19<sup>th</sup> Jan</p>	<p><b>Level 1 Mental health awareness</b> This qualification consist of 1 unit which is all knowledge based. Learners gain an understanding of some of the issues around mental health along with some strategies to support people experiencing mental health difficulties.</p>
<p><b>January 2021</b></p> <p>5 x Zoom workshops</p> <p>Wednesdays 10.30-12.00 13<sup>th</sup> &amp; 27<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10<sup>th</sup> &amp; 24<sup>th</sup> Feb and 10<sup>th</sup> March</p>	<p><b>Introduction to youth work - 5 workshops via Zoom</b> The workshops will help learners gain an overview of the different aspects of working with young people and can lead to further qualifications and career pathways. <b>Workshop topics include:</b> <i>introduction to the youth work sector, delivering a youth work programme, safe practice and working with young people in the local community</i></p>
<p><b>February 2021</b></p> <p>4 x Zoom workshops</p> <p>Wednesdays 10.30-12.00 17<sup>th</sup> Feb, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> &amp; 31<sup>st</sup> March</p>	<p><b>Introduction to child development and family learning – 4 workshops via Zoom</b> These interactive workshops will cover different aspects of children’s development alongside lots of ideas for how to provide learning through play. The sessions will include a mix of theory to support understanding and practical play ideas and activities.</p>
<b>SUMMER 2021 – April to July:</b>	
<p><b>April 2021</b></p> <p>3 x workshops</p> <p>Dates to be confirmed</p>	<p><b>Level 1 Employability</b> This qualification is designed to prepare learners to enter the world of work and to help develop learners’ confidence for employment. <b>This qualification consists of 3 units -</b> &gt; <i>Understanding mindset</i> &gt; <i>Business and customer awareness</i> &gt; <i>Writing a CV</i></p>
<p><b>May 2021</b></p> <p>4 x workshops</p> <p>Dates to be confirmed</p>	<p><b>Introduction to child development and family learning – 4 workshops via Zoom</b> These interactive Zoom workshops will cover different aspects of children’s development alongside lots of ideas for how to provide learning through play. The sessions will include a mix of theory to support understanding and practical play ideas and activities.</p>

**Please feel free to contact Verity if you have any questions:**

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**ELIGIBILITY FOR FULLY FUNDED COURSES:**

*Unemployed and in receipt of JSA, ESA or WRAG, Universal or other State Benefit.*

*OR:*

*Job seeking or working 16 hours or less a week and/or earning below £16,500 annual gross salary.*

*AND:*

*Have lived in the UK or EU continuously for the last 3 years.*

*Learners who haven’t lived in the UK or EU for the required 3 years are eligible if they have refugee status, indefinite leave to remain or other (please enquire for more information).*