

Level 3 Award in Education and Training

Introduction to the course

The course prepares learners for teaching or training in a wide range of contexts and does not require learners to be teaching or training while studying the programme. It is, however, open to individuals in a teaching or training role who would like to achieve a formal qualification.

Achieving the qualification will provide sufficient evidence that an individual has acquired the necessary skills and knowledge to enable them to teach or train in the further education and skills sector.

This is a classroom based programme complemented by online materials.

The course is taught by Martine Ellis.

Progression opportunities

Level 5 Diploma in Education and Training.

Cost

£525.00 plus City and Guilds registration fee of £49.50

Course duration

Day: Tuesday evening (6pm-9pm) or Saturday morning (9am-12 noon).

Duration: 14 weeks, plus one week induction.

Campus

Coutanchez and Les Ozouets.

This course replaces PTLLS (Preparing to Teach in the Lifelong Learning Sector).

Course outline

The Level 3 Award in Education and Training is made up of the following units:

- Understanding roles, responsibilities and relationships in education and training (3 credits)
- Understanding and using inclusive teaching and learning approaches in education and training (6 credits)
- Understanding assessment in education and training (3 credits)

To be awarded the Level 3 Award in Education and Training you need to achieve a total of 12 credits.

Learners will be required to participate in an hour's worth of teaching practice which includes delivery and peer observation. Your tutor will support and guide you in preparation for this essential element of the course.

You are expected to complete this course within 14 weeks.

Entry criteria

Entry to this course is on an application basis.

To apply you will need to hold a Level 2 literacy qualification (or equivalent, eg grade C/4 GCSE English). If you do not have this qualification you may still apply. However, it is likely that you will be asked to complete a Level 2 literacy qualification, while we reserve a place for you on a future cohort for this course.

This course involves assignment writing. If you are not familiar with academic writing we can supply an online training package to complete before starting the course. It is possible that you will be offered a place on the course, subject to completing the online learning package.

For more details or how to apply, please contact **Laura Le Maitre** laural@gcfe.net (01481) 737500