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15 Credits

Work Experience Level 5

What is Work Experience?

Work Experience is an optional module. When you engage in this useful work experience course you will gain relevant knowledge and skills required to engage in a professional workplace. You will be learn about the rights and responsibilities of employees and employers, health, safety and welfare at work, equality legislation and regulations regarding pay and conditions. This course will support you to develop effective written and interpersonal skills relevant to finding and engaging in work with a particular focus on the early learning and care and childcare sector. During this course you will engage in work placement in an early learning and care organisation. It can also be completed as part of the following major award:

- Level 5 Early Childhood Care and Education 5M2009

Who should do this module?

This module is suitable for you if you would like to begin a new and rewarding career in the childcare sector. This module is also suitable for those who may already work in the childcare sector and would like to improve their skills and knowledge.

Upon successful completion of this award you will have the relevant knowledge, skill and competence to participate in the workplace for a limited time, carrying out work-related tasks independently while under general direction.



Programme Contents

- Work-related Issues and Needs
- Challenges and Opportunities
- Rights and Responsibilities of Employers and Employees
- Skills Audit and Career Plan
- Work Experience Material
- Effective Participation in Work Experience
- Effective Communication Skills
- Reflection
- Future Options

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Course Delivery - You have 3 options;

Self-Paced - You can start today

- Enjoy one to one Trainer support through Zoom, choose whether to have your learner pack posted to your home - (€25 optional if opting for the printed pack). 3 x 30 minute check-in / progress sessions with your trainer.

Blended - Learn with a group online

- Each module is delivered over 7 weeks through a blend of hour long online self directed learning and live Zoom sessions. Your learner pack is posted to your home.

Classroom - Traditional location-based training

- Have the course run at your organisation, book a local training room or attend one of our public courses. Each module is delivered in 3 hour sessions over a period of 7/8 weeks. We can tailor the sessions to your organisational requirements.

Entry Requirements

Applicants who hold a Level 4 Certificate / Leaving Certificate (or equivalent) or who have relevant life experience are eligible to apply for this module. Please provide details and attach a copy of either a current CV or Certificate. Learners must reside in Ireland.

Assessment and Certification

Work Experience is assessed through the submission of a portfolio or collection of work and a skills demonstration. Upon successful completion, this module leads to a Level 5 minor award on the National Framework of Qualifications.

Career and Progression Opportunities

The successful completion of this module as part of a major award will allow Learners to pursue a career in the childcare sector. Learners who successfully complete this module may use their credits towards completing a higher level of study in the area of Childcare. If completed as part of a major award, Learners can use the Certificate as the basis for entry into selected courses in Third Level Colleges and Universities.



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