

GETTING AHEAD



Start to develop skills that are relevant to your course before you join HSDC this September!

Early Years Practitioner – NCFE CACHE Level 2 Diploma



In preparation for your journey into Further Education with HSDC Alton, we think it is important that you think and prepare for your learning before you start with us in September 2020.

A Positive Start

To enable you to have a positive start, a better understanding of your 'Child Care' course and the units you will study, we would like you to complete the following work and email it back to us.

Task 1 – Part 1

Using the internet and textbook '*Child Development an Illustrated Guide*' by Carolyn Meggitt.

We look forward to seeing you in September!

For further information about your College and being a student at HSDC, please visit hfdc.ac.uk/Alton



Produce three checklists for children's development from 0 to 5 years.

- One for **Physical Development**
- One for **Cognitive (Intellectual) Development**
- One for **Language Development**

Task 1 – Part 2

Using a child you know, a child on TV or clips from YouTube:

Carry out two observations on the child using the development checklists you have just created.

Simply tick off what you have seen them do.

Task 2

Look at CBeebies bedtime stories on the internet or on CBeebies on the TV at 6.50pm.

View several different presenters and then write a reflection on how they read the story.

Task 3

Write an account of your experiences with children and reflect on what skills you think you have for working with children and what skills you think you may need to improve.

We look forward to seeing you all in September!

For further information about your College and being a student at HSDC, please visit hsdc.ac.uk/Alton

Finally...

If it's easier, take a photo of your work and email this over!

Please email all of your completed work to Jo or Helen.

HSDC Alton
customerservices@hfdc.ac.uk
Jo Cannings
jo.cannings@alton.hfdc.ac.uk
Helen Parratt
helen.parratt@alton.hfdc.ac.uk

We look forward to reading your work and meeting you in
September!



We look forward to seeing you all in September!

For further information about your College and being a student at HSDC,
please visit hfdc.ac.uk/Alton