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Skills for Employment

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Subject Area	Preparing for Learning & Work – Foundation Learning
Course Type	Entry Level
Study Level	Entry Level 3
Delivery Mode	Full-time
Duration	35 Weeks
Start Date	September 2025
Course Code	PA000783

Course Summary

Our courses within Skills for Employment offer school leavers, aged 16-25 with Education Health Care plans, the next step in their learning experience, based within a discreet provision in the College environment.

If you have learning difficulties and/or disabilities and want to become more confident and independent in life, our study programmes have been designed to help you develop your skills in a number of different areas to support you in growing your skills, knowledge and independence to take part in life, learning and work activities.

The Entry 2 & Entry 3 Skills for Employment course is for students who want to improve their independence and employability skills. The course offers a practical and classroom-based curriculum involving community activities and work experience. Students also have the option of taking part in vocational tasters in readiness for their next steps into vocational study programmes.

What You Will Learn

- Independence and employability skills for life and work
- Practical experience through community activities and work placements
- Personal and social development to build confidence
- Vocational tasters to explore future career pathways
- Skills in communication, teamwork, and problem-solving
- Preparation for progression into further vocational study
- Participation in enrichment activities like residentials, trips, and outdoor adventures

Modules

The course is based on a Programme of Study, which consists of a City & Guilds Employability Award, maths and English, a tutorial programme, enrichment and experience of work. Learners will study core Employability skills over the duration of the course.

- Team Working
- Personal presentation
- Enterprise

Entry Requirements

- To be able to work towards Entry level 2 or 3 in number and communication skills
- Be able to participate in community-based group activities
- Please note if you have an EHCP, the college must have a consultation to assess if we are able to meet your needs.

Progression

Other Foundation Learning courses, community provision. Entry 3 courses, DFN Project Search supported internship.