

**COURSE OVERVIEW****OCR Cambridge National Level 1/2 in Health and Social Care**

Students undertake a variety of topics to provide insights into the work and people who access services in the Health & Social sector.

The courses that we offer provide students with the opportunity to gain a qualification that allows them to develop academically and link theory to practice in the field of work. The course is graded pass to distinction at Level 1 and pass to distinction at Level 2.

The course is structured as follows:

Unit RO21	Essential Values of Care for use with Individuals in Care	External exam to be sat end of year 10 25% of qualification
Unit RO22	Communicating with Individuals in Health & Social Care	Coursework and practical assessment 25% of qualification
Unit RO27	Creative Activities to Support Individuals in Health, Social and Early Years settings	Coursework and practical assessment 25% of qualification
Unit RO23	Understanding Body systems and disorders	Coursework and practical assessment 25% of qualification

**REVISION**

Coursework will be written in school with some allowed at home, but preparation for all coursework will be expected to be done at home. Deadlines for coursework must be met throughout the year. Revision for the exam will be done in the second half of year 10. Guidance will be given to all students during the course that will assist them in meeting the exam board criteria.

**OTHER CURRICULUM ACTIVITIES**

We are unable to hold any other curriculum activities at this time but will look to hold after school sessions for coursework and revision in the future.

**HOW TO HELP YOUR CHILD IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE**

- Encourage your child to notice issues being discussed in the subject in the news and in their everyday lives
- Encourage your child to volunteer or seek part-time employment in a health or care environment
- Open up conversations with friends or members of the family who receive care and link to the topics being studied

**USEFUL RESOURCES**

Visit the **OCR Exam Board website** for detailed information on the course.

<https://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/cambridge-nationals/health-and-social-care-level-1-2-j801-j811/>