

Suite	Level	Gateway Qualifications	Apprenticeship Routes	Entry Point Job Roles at a Specific Level	Comments
<b>Introductory Vocational and Employability Skills</b>	1	Award/Certificate/Diploma Skills for Childcare  Award in Digital Skills for Work  Award/Certificate in Employability Skills  Award in Improving own Employability Skills  Award in Exploring Enterprise		Early Years Worker (Unqualified)  Volunteer in School (unqualified)  Lunchtime Supervisor  Before or After School Assistant	It is unlikely that you would gain full time paid employment in education settings with this level of qualification – this is an introductory level which is useful as a taster of what working with children could be like.  It may be suitable for those looking to start their career path. Developing underpinning skills such as digital and employability skills will enhance your CV. An enterprise qualification may be useful if you are considering setting up your own business in the future e.g. childminding
<b>Introductory CPD for existing staff</b>	1	Award in Dyslexia Awareness  Award in Dyspraxia Awareness			Suitable for staff supporting or working with individuals with SEND to gain a basic awareness of these subjects

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<b>Intermediate Vocational Skills</b>	2	Award/Certificate/Diploma Skills for Childcare  Award/Certificate/Diploma in Childcare  Certificate/Diploma in Preparing for Further Study in Education	Children and Young People's Workforce (England) (Framework)  Early Years Practitioner (Standard)	Early Years / Teaching Assistant Nursery Assistant Pre-school Assistant Playgroup Assistant Nanny	With this level of qualification you may be able to gain employment within the sector. You may be asked to further improve your skills by completing an apprenticeship or a higher-level qualification when you gain employment.  This is a suitable level if you are thinking of changing careers.
<b>Intermediate CPD for existing staff</b>	2	Award in Safeguarding and Protecting Children and Young People  Award in Dyslexia/Dyspraxia Awareness  Award in Awareness of Asperger Syndrome  Award in ADHD Awareness			Suitable for staff supporting or working with individuals with SEND