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Pathways to Vocational Studies Entry Level 3

This BTEC Entry 3 qualification is designed for young people aged 16-18, or up to 24 with an EHCP who have Special Education Needs and/or a Learning Difficulty.

The program is personalised, and the assessments will be based on individual needs and abilities. The focus is on transition to adulthood including progressing onto mainstream courses.

Sector Overview

Post 16 SEND provisions offer a range of courses to young people who have special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) which will help to prepare them for adulthood by improving independent living skills and developing employability. A person-centred approach is used to create an individualised programme of study that caters for the student's needs and helps them to achieve their goals.

• Entry Requirements

The entry requirements for this course are:

Working towards Entry 3

What will I study?

This course consists of the following modules:

- Maths and English
- Personal, social and health education (PSHE)
- o Enrichment
- Tasters in the wider college
- BTEC vocational study qualification at Entry Level 3

How will I be assessed?

You will be assessed via:

- o Interview with Parent/Carer support
- A written task (if possible)
- Assessment of English and Math (if possible)

These are completed in a supportive and informal manner.

Enrichment

Pathways to Vocational Studies learners will participate in enrichment sessions such us cooking, art, trips or sport/fitness programmes in the College's Student Common Room, Sports Hall or at the local YMCA Leisure Centre.

Work Experience

You will be offered opportunities to actively engage and take part in experiential events to improve your personal development.

Progression opportunities

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Successful completion of this course will lead to:

- Level 1 mainstream course at Waltham Forest College
- o Bridge the Gap Level 1

Alumni

Learner, Mohammed Z - 'When I first enrolled at Waltham Forest College, I was nervous and timid. Now that I've grown more self-assured, I can talk to other students during lunch and break times. My maths and English knowledge have improved, and I now receive weekly VI support from a specialist because of my visual impairment. I am pleased to be moving onto a mainstream course for the upcoming academic year.' Waltham Forest College is a vibrant and aspirational college and will support you to reach your career aspirations. Last year 96% of learners progressed onto a positive destination either to higher levels of study, employment, or an Apprenticeship.

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