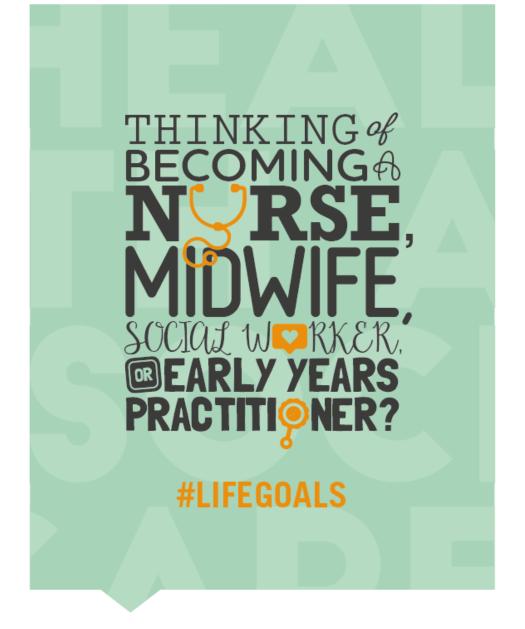
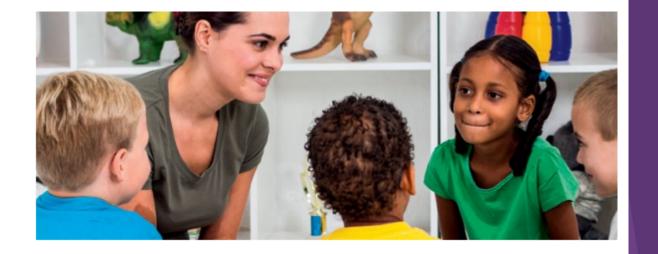
Level 3 Cambridge Technicals - Extended Certificate



CAMBRIDGE TECHNICALS
IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE





Key Stage 5 Health and Social Care is a two-year course starting in year 12 to gain an OCR Cambridge Technicals Level 3 Extended Certificate qualification. It is equivalent to one A-Level.

The qualification is designed with the workplace in mind and developing the knowledge and skills required for employment and for the community as a whole. It's also about developing the behaviours and attributes needed to progress and succeed in education and in work.

The qualification is made up of three internally assessed units of work, which is ideal if you prefer project and research activities, which are assessed by coursework.

There are also three externally assessed units of work which are sat at different points during the course, with opportunities to re-sit.

In year 12 students will complete one internally assessed unit of work:

• Unit 1 - Building Positive Relationships in Health, Social and Child Care.

Students will also be assessed by two external exams:

- Unit 2 Equality, diversity and rights in health and social care. This is sat in January.
- Unit 3 Health, safety and security in health and social care. This is sat in May.



In year 13 students will complete two internally assessed units of work:

- Unit 10 Nutrition for health.
- Unit 17 Supporting people with mental health conditions.

Students will also be assessed by one external exam:

• Unit 4 - Anatomy and physiology for health and social care. This is sat in January.



Do Cambridge Technicals get UCAS points?

A Level		Cambi	Cambridge Technicals Level 3	
Grade	UCAS Tariff Points	Grade	UCAS Tariff Points	
A*	56	Distinction*	56	
Α	48	Distinction	48	
В	40			
С	32	Merit	32	
D	24			
E	16	Pass	16	

What can I do with this qualification?

A qualification in Health and Social Care will provide relevant experiences to allow students to move to a career in Health, Social Care and Early Years but it is also a respected starting point for other careers. It will allow students to progress into further education, higher level apprenticeship or employment.

Career opportunities include Childhood and Youth Studies, Nutrition and Health, all areas of Nursing, Midwifery, Counselling, Paramedic and Ambulance Roles, Social Work, Physiotherapy, Local Authority Services, Education, Welfare and Complementary Therapies.

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