BTEC Health and Social Care (Level 3)

Preparing to learn

At the beginning of the year evidence of notes will be checked and you will be given a test to assess your completion of the work.

Think about your experience of the health and care services. Have people you know used them? The answer will be yes. What services have they used? What was the quality of their treatment/care like? What was good what was bad?

Find out what services exist and how they are delivered in the Bradford area. What services are provided to meet the different needs of different groups of people? What barriers are there to accessing services? Are these the same for all service users?



What is it like to work in the health and care sectors? What sorts of jobs exist? What would be rewarding in these jobs? What would be challenging?

Research a theory behind child attachments and research Mary Ainsowrth, watch a clip of her strange situation on you tube. Think about how her research may help social workers and inform their practice.



Find out about KoKo the gorilla and think about how are closes relative could inform our understanding of human development.

Think about what you want to get out of the Health and Social Care course and how it might help you in a future career. Are you really interested in the subject?

Look at UCAS.com – what courses are available? The number of related university courses is huge.

Chomsky

Research Chomsky's Theory of Language. Make notes on the information you find out, these should have a heading; Chomsky's theory. In your notes you should say how Chomsky thinks we learn to speak and what his language acquisition device is.

Bandura

Research Bandura's social learning theory; make a list of the key terms you find with their definitions, this list should include vicarious reinforcement. Outline Bandura's idea of human behaviour. (You could try googling the bobo doll experiment).

Research and make notes on skinners theory of behaviour. Then outline the main differences between bandura and skinner in their explanation of human behaviour.

Piaget

Who is Piaget?

What are the main stages of his development theory?

What age does each stage occur at?

Make a table to outline the stages, ages and features of the stage.

Write an essay of at least 2 sides of A4 that outlines and evaluates Bandura's social learning theory. This must be brought to your first lesson, failure to do so will result in removal form the lesson.

Things for September

Ensure you bring evidence of your notes to your first lesson in September.

Be prepared to sit an assessment in your first lesson based around the reading and tasks you have completed, this is how we will assess the effective completion of your transition tasks.

You will also need to bring a large leaver arch file, a standard A4 file will not be big enough to hold all your notes for the year. You will also need dividers for you folders.

In health and social care you are expected to bring your folder to each lesson.



