



Level 4 Certificate for the Advanced Practitioner in Schools and Colleges

Qualification facts

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About this qualification

This Level 4 qualification aims to provide professional development opportunities for practitioners working in the school and college workforce. This qualification will embrace the wealth of experience, proven knowledge and skills of the learner in a teaching and learning environment. It will challenge the learner in both daily practice and theoretical understanding.

Learners will acquire and use skills of leadership, mentoring, coaching and reflection as they complete the qualification through work-based learning opportunities.

Upon achievement of this qualification, the learner will be equipped as an Advanced Practitioner. The Advanced Practitioner will use crucial leadership skills to mentor others across all roles and responsibilities in the school or college workforce.

Entry requirements

Learners must be at least 18 years old and employed in a suitable role within a school or college. Previous Level 3 study is a clear advantage but wealth of experience, knowledge and understanding working in schools or colleges is a requirement for this CPD qualification. Your training provider will be able to offer you discreet advice in relation to your suitability for entry.

We do not set any other entry requirements but Centres may have their own guidelines.

Experience in the workplace

Learners will need to be working or on a practical placement for the duration of the course in a learning environment (school or college) as they need to show competence in both skills and knowledge.

Mandatory units

Unit ref.	Unit no.	Unit title	Unit type	Level	Credit
F/616/5415	APSC4C1	Enabling Individuals to Learn	Knowledge	4	4
M/616/5412	APSC4C2	Understand How to Support Children and Young People to Improve Their Mental Health and Well-Being	Knowledge	4	4
M/616/5409	APSC4C3	Working with Others to Support Individuals with Additional Needs and Disability in a School or College	Knowledge	4	4
H/616/5407	APSC4C4	Working with Families and Other Professionals in a School or College Setting	Knowledge / Skills	4	4
R/616/5404	APSC4C5	Implementing Change in School or College Setting	Knowledge / Skills	4	5

Total guided learning hours: 155 hours

Total qualification time: 205 hours

Assessment

All units will be internally assessed using a range of methods which could include:

- direct observation within the workplace
- written assignments and professional discussion in line with the Assessment of Learning provided for each unit.

For more information

Full details of this qualification can be found on our website www.cache.org.uk

