

Preparing to Work in Schools

Qualification facts



# About this qualification

This qualification prepares learners for further learning and training whilst developing an understanding of the teaching and learning environment in a school setting. It covers areas such as how to support the well-being of a child or young person and child and young person development.

This qualification is aimed at a range of learners who are thinking of working in a school setting including: young people, mature learners, learners with special educational needs or where English is an additional language.

# Entry requirements

Learners must be at least 16 years old. We do not set any other entry requirements but Centres may have their own guidelines.

# Experience in the workplace

This is a knowledge-only qualification. Learners do not need to be working or undertaking practical placements to take this qualification.

### Mandatory units

Unit ref.	Unit no.	Unit title	Unit type	Level	Credit	Guided Learning
A/616/5431	PWS1	Understand schools as organisations	Knowledge	1	1	10
F/616/5432	PWS2	Understand how to keep children and young people healthy, safe and well	Knowledge	1	4	30
J/616/5433	PWS3	Understand how to communicate with children, young people and adults	Knowledge	1	1	7

Total guided learning hours: 47 hours Total qualification time: 57 hours

## Assessment

This qualification will be internally assessed using a range of methods, which could include written assignments or tasks such as designing a leaflet or booklet, charts or diagrams, or setting up an information board.

# For more information

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

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