

# Understanding Autism

## Course Overview

This qualification develops knowledge and awareness of autism, a spectrum condition that affects how a person communicates with others and how they interpret the world around them.

## Business Benefits

- Gain assurance that employees know how legislation and guidance underpins support
- Improves your team's understanding of autism theories
- Ensures team members know how to support positive behaviour
- Create an understanding workforce which is aware of elements of living with autism
- Reduces risk of malpractice and negligence

## Course Duration

6 - 12 Weeks



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## What is the cost?

Due to the availability of government funding, this qualification is available at no cost. Funded places are limited so please book early to secure your place.

## Learner Benefits

- Achieve a nationally recognised level 2 qualification
- Furthers personal and professional development
- No need to formally attend a college
- Receive a set of high-quality learner support materials
- Receive support from a dedicated team

## Awarding Body

NCFE / CACHE / TQUK

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## Course Content

- Learn how individuals with autism process sensory information
- Understand the characteristics that may be present in individuals with autism
- Understand the conditions that commonly occur with autism
- Learn the common misconceptions surrounding autism
- Learn how speech, language and communication may differ in people with autism
- Recognise how legislation and guidance underpins support

## What you will learn

- Introduction to Autism
- Using a Person-Centred Approach to Support Individuals with Autism
- Communication and Social Interaction in Individuals with Autism
- Sensory Processing, Perception and Cognition in Individuals with Autism
- Supporting Positive Behaviour in Individuals with Autism
- Supporting Individuals with Autism to Live Healthy and Fulfilled Lives

## How is it delivered?

Alongside the learning materials, you will have the support of a knowledgeable assessor/tutor who will give you advice and guidance on the course content as well as providing robust feedback on the work you complete.

The course is usually delivered over a period of 6 to 12 weeks.

Successful completion of this course ensures that the learner has fully understood these important principles and evidences knowledge of the subject area.

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