

CERTIFICATE LEVEL 2

# Understanding Specific Learning Difficulties

**START DATE**

Flexible

**DURATION**

12 weeks

**LEVEL**

Level 2

**STUDY MODE**

Distance learning

**AWARDING BODY**

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This certificate in level 2 understanding specific learning difficulties aims to help develop knowledge of several different specific learning difficulties, how they are diagnosed and how individuals can be supported. It also covers how to understand the positive aspects and strengths of individuals with specific learning difficulties in addition to exploring the barriers they may face.

## What will I study?

### Unit 1: Signs, symptoms and diagnosis of Specific Learning Difficulties

Section 1: Know common Specific Learning Difficulties

Section 2: Recognise signs that might indicate a Specific Learning Difficulty

Section 3: Understand the importance of a professional diagnosis of a Specific Learning Difficulty

Section 4: Understand the process of achieving a diagnosis of a Specific Learning Difficulty

### Unit 2: Sources of information, support, legislation and guidance relevant to Specific Learning Difficulties.

Section 1: Understand legislation and guidance that is relevant to individuals with Specific Learning Difficulties

Section 2: Understand roles and responsibilities if those involved in protecting the rights of individuals with Specific Learning Difficulties

### Unit 3: Living with a Specific Learning Difficulty

Section 1: Understand the experiences of those living with a Specific Learning Difficulty

Section 2: Understand how society impacts upon a person with a Specific Learning Difficulty

Section 3: Understand the positive contributions that can be made by individuals with a Specific Learning Difficulty in different environments

Section 4: Understand the impact of an individual's Specific Learning Difficulty on those around them

### Unit 4: Best practice relating to Specific Learning Difficulties.

Section 1: Understand the best practice in providing support to individuals with Specific Learning Difficulties

Section 2: Understand the best practice in protecting individuals with Specific Learning Difficulties

## What can I do after this course?

You may wish to complete further distance learning courses in Awareness of Bullying in Children and Young People, Understanding Autism, Level 2 Certificate in Special Educational Needs and Disability or Understanding Distressed Behaviour in Children.

## Entry requirements

There are no specific entry requirements however learners should have a minimum of level two in literacy and numeracy or equivalent.

## Assessment

The course is delivered via distance learning, supported by a range of interactive online resources. Work is assessed by the tutor throughout the programme from induction to completion.

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