



SCED2003 Inclusive Approaches to Supporting Learners with SEND (Level 5)

New 30-credit short course developing the knowledge and skills needed to effectively support children and young people with SEND

Through exploration of relevant theory, legislation and policy, this course will develop your knowledge and understanding of special educational needs and disabilities (SEND)

You will explore how SEND might be identified and will develop a range of strategies to support the learning, communication and social inclusion of children and young people with SEND.

You will be supported to undertake analysis of learning environments through reference to good practice principles such as universal design for learning.

This course has been designed with employers to ensure that it provides the knowledge and skills needed in the education, early years and children's services sectors.

Apply at

www.worcester.ac.uk/courses/education-short-courses

Why study a short course?

- Learn new skills and gain professional knowledge needed to work with children in education, early years and children's services.
- Build your portfolio, meet and network with others in education, early years and children's services.
- Try out higher education without committing to a full degree.
- Gain a University of Worcester certificate of credit and potentially use your short course towards a degree in the future.

How will I learn?

You will be taught over 12 weeks beginning with a full day in-person launch conference where you can meet the other students on your course on **23rd September 2023**.

This will be followed by weekly evening live-online teaching sessions: Wednesday (6pm to 8.15pm) from 27th September concluding 13th December 2023.

What entry qualifications do I need?

Your application will be considered on evidence of relevant experience and prior learning. We welcome applications from experienced and mature learners who do not have formal GCSE/A Level qualifications.

Is student finance available for short courses?

Tuition fee loans are available for this short course as part of the government's preparations for the Lifelong Learning Entitlement. You will be eligible for a loan if you live in England, even if you have had student loans for university courses in the past. Further information about short course loans:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/higher-education-short-course-loans>

Bursaries are available if you are in receipt HSEC Tuition fee loan, subject to an application process.

Need more information?

Please contact us if you would like to discuss this short course or are thinking of making an application:

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