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Apprenticeship Framework in Children's Care Learning and Development

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OVERVIEW:

This Framework specifies the standards and criteria for the delivery of Level 2 & 3 training provision within the Childcare Services sector. Successful completion of the provision will lead to the award of a designated/regulated qualification(s) within the sector.

The Level 2 Apprenticeship is suitable for a variety of roles, including Nursery Assistant, Playgroup Assistant, Crèche Assistant and Early Years Health Support Assistant.

The Level 3 Apprenticeship is suitable for a variety of roles, including Nursery Practitioner, Child Minder and Crèche Leader.

MANDATORY OUTCOMES

Achievement of these qualifications will be assessed by verification through the appropriate awarding body. Participants must complete:

- Either a competence and a knowledge qualification or a combined competence and knowledge based qualification from one of the following pathways.
- Essential Skills and the Employment Rights and Responsibilities as stated below.

Pathways for this Framework at level 2:

Pathway 1: Children's Care, Play, Learning and Development

Pathways for this Framework at level 3:

Pathway 1: Children's Care, Play, Learning and Development

Essential Skills Wales:

Level 2 Apprenticeship

Application of Number Level 1, Communication Level 1, ICT Level 1

Level 3 Apprenticeship

Application of Number Level 2, Communication Level 2, ICT Level 2

Employment Rights and Responsibilities (ERR)

The appropriate underpinning knowledge and induction covering workplace Employment Rights and Responsibilities (ERR) is **optional**.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For the full and detailed content and specification for this Framework, please contact: **Skills for Care & Development**