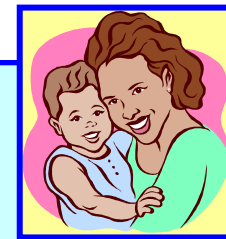




CHILD DEVELOPMENT

Examining Board: AQA Subject No: 4580



Subject Content

- Parenthood.
- Pregnancy.
- Diet health and care of the child.
- Development of the child.
- Support for the parent and child.

Assessment

- Unit 1 Written Paper (1½ hrs) 40%
- Unit 2 Research Task 20%
- Unit 3 Child Study 40%

Skills Developed

- Recall and apply knowledge.
- Plan and carry out observations.
- Research from a wide range of primary and secondary sources.
- Interpret and evaluate evidence.
- Make personal decisions based on evidence gained.
- Use a variety of methods of written communication, including ICT.

Extra Curricular Activities

- After school workshops.
- Lunchtime revision classes.

Differentiation

- Differentiation worksheets and tasks.

Special Requirements

- Access to a child between 2 - 4 years old (coursework).
- Access to a computer.

Provision for Gifted and Talented

- Development of observation skills
Extending research on topic/ area chosen for focus on Child Study.

How the Work Builds on Previous Work

Basic knowledge of Nutrition gained at KS3 Food Technology.

Progression

A/AS Level Home Economics/ Food Tech
A/AS Level Health and Social Care

Careers

Any career working with children.

Useful Internet Websites and Other Resources

Books

Child Development (Hodder & Stroughton)
Child Development (Pamela Minnett)

Websites

www.babycentre.co.uk
www.babyworld
www.b4baby.com
www.cdipage.com
www.family.go.com
www.motherandbaby.co.uk
www.rospe.co.uk\chiltsat.htm