Subject:- Child Development
Key Stage 4

Teachers in this department: - Mrs Wallis

Exam Board: Cambridge Nationals

Course Content

Students will develop the essential knowledge and understanding in child development, covering reproduction, parental responsibility, antenatal care, birth, postnatal checks, postnatal provision, conditions for development, childhood illnesses and child safety.

How will I be examined?

The course will be taught through a number of assessment methods, it will involve a written paper and two centre assessed tasks. The two centre assessed tasks topics are; a research task on the understanding of equipment and nutritional needs of children from birth to five years and another on the development of a child from birth to five years. The final written examination counts for 50% of the marks.
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<th>Health and well-being for child development</th>
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- Pre-conceptual Care
- Reproduction
- Antenatal care
- Birth
- Postnatal care
- Child illnesses and safety
- Feeding and travel equipment
- Nutrients and feeding
- Breast and bottle Feeding
- Physical, intellectual and social development
- Benefits of play
- You will need to plan and carry out observations of a child between birth and 5 years.

Learning to believe, Learning to succeed