



# NCFE CACHE LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA FOR THE EARLY YEARS SENIOR PRACTITIONER

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## Overview

The aim of the Level 5 Diploma for the Early Years Senior Practitioner qualification is to support leadership and management skills in early years and the knowledge and skills relating to the early years practice.

The Early Years Senior Practitioner will be a positive role model for the team. Through clear leadership and effective management, the Senior Practitioner will support and promote best practice within legislative requirements to enable quality provision. Working collaboratively with colleagues, other professionals, and parents/carers the Senior Practitioner engages and motivates all involved for improved outcomes for babies and children.

### **What will I study on the course?**

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To gain this qualification learners must achieve a total of 90 credits from all 18 mandatory units. The areas covered in this qualification include:

- quality environments
- early years pedagogy
- behaviour
- care routines
- professional development
- Special Educational Needs and Disability (SEND)
- safeguarding
- inclusion
- development
- play for learning
- partnership working
- the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS)
- leading and managing
- health, safety, and well-being
- roles and responsibilities

### **Work Placement**

To be able to show competence in both knowledge and skills, learners will need to be working in the role of Leader, Deputy, or Manager in an appropriate setting, or have the opportunity to carry out responsibilities associated with these roles to be able to study for the Level 5 Diploma for the Early Years Senior Practitioner.

### **Entry Requirements**

Learners must be aged 19 or over and working in a suitable position leadership role.

### **How do I apply?**

Entry to the course is by interview. You must be 19 or above to apply. We welcome applications from mature students. Please email [admin@premierearlyyearstraining.co.uk](mailto:admin@premierearlyyearstraining.co.uk) for an application form; once we have received your application form, we will contact you to attend an interview either in person or via Zoom

### **How will I be assessed?**

All units will be internally assessed using an externally set and internally marked Assessment of Learning. EYSP 2 and EYSP 12 must be assessed using an externally set and internally marked task. A range of methods can be applied to other units, which could include: direct observation of practice, professional discussion, work product, or a portfolio of evidence.

### **How will I study?**

There is no set start date - you can enroll throughout the year and complete the course at your own pace to meet your individual needs.

### **How long will it take to complete this course?**

This qualification will take approximately 18 - 24 months to complete

### **Progression**

Upon successful completion, learners can work as an Early Years Senior Practitioner within the Early Years Workforce across the private, voluntary, and independent sector or progress to Higher Education in a relevant subject area

**How much does the course cost?**

The cost of the course is £ 2650 and includes all one to one teaching & support, access to our E-learning platform and certification. We have a flexible payment plan available so you can pay in instalments.

**For more information on our courses, advice or guidance please contact us at [admin@premierearlyyearstraining.co.uk](mailto:admin@premierearlyyearstraining.co.uk)**