

# Level 3 Diploma in Supporting Teaching and Learning

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Outstanding  
Support

Excellent  
Progression

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Teaching

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Centred



# Supporting Teaching and Learning

**If you are looking for a rewarding career, then training to become a Teaching Assistant is exciting, fulfilling and provides the unique opportunity to help support and inspire young children at the very start of their educational career.**

## Duration

35 weeks part-time. One evening per week.

## Price

£2,225\* FREE subject to eligibility.

## Learning Method

This course is currently fully delivered in the classroom which is supported by weekly practice in placement. This is under regular review.

The course is delivered through a mixture of College based classes, workshops and practical experience in the work setting. In addition to College based study, it is expected that you will undertake independent research and directed study.

## Entry Requirements

You should have GCSE Grade A\*-C/Grade 9-4 in Mathematics and English, or an equivalent qualification.

This course is a progression route for those who have passed a Level 2 qualification (or above) or have a minimum of 1 years experience in assisting pupils in learning environments. You will be required to commit to and complete a practice placement for the duration of the course with a minimum attendance of 6.5 hours per week. You should arrange this placement yourself prior to the start of the course.

## What will I learn?

By combining practical experience with theoretical learning to encourage both understanding and the development of professional skills, this course supports the current Government initiative to develop the role of school support staff.

Placement experience can be gained within primary, secondary or sixth form settings and maybe in a voluntary or contractually employed capacity.

## Course units

16 units to complete including...



Support assessment for learning



Support English and maths skills



Engage in personal and professional development



Understand how to Safeguard children and young people

### Why should you study at Runshaw?

- Excellent, supportive and knowledge delivery Team.
- Evening classes
- Great employment opportunities and/or progression to University.

### Progression

On successful completion of this course you will be awarded the Level 3 Diploma in Supporting Teaching and Learning certificate. You may then wish to progress to a higher level Teaching Assistant course, a Teacher Training qualification or seek relevant employment in schools.

**100%**

Pass Rate  
and progression into  
employment or further study

Where are **you** going?

Teacher or other Degree related qualification

Special Needs Co-ordinator

Higher Level Teaching Assistant

Teaching Assistant L3



**#FutureYou**

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## Funding

This course may be FREE if you...

- Are unemployed, looking for work and in receipt of an approved benefit
- If you are employed, earning less than £25,000 a year before tax (evidence required)

If this criteria doesn't apply to you; you could either:

- Pay in four consecutive instalments
- Pay the fee in full.
- Apply for an Advanced Learner Loan

## Other courses we offer

- Level 2 Foundation Certificate in Accounting
- Level 2 Certificate in Counselling Skills
- Level 5 Associate Diploma in People Management
- Access to Social Sciences

## What our students say

*The tutors were amazing and the course gave me an abundance of support and knowledge that I could implement into practice when supporting children as a TA. It inspired me to continue my education at University and I am now completing a Degree in Psychology.*

*Level 3 student - class of 2023/24*



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