



*Working with Schools, Children and Families to Raise Aspirations*

## **TA Level 2 & TA Level 3 – Learning Support Staff Development**

The Level 2 Certificate in Supporting Teaching & Learning in Schools qualification is designed for learning support staff who are closely supervised in their work.

Those who undertake this programme will be able to identify and deal more effectively with children displaying challenging behaviour.

The Level 2 Certificate in Supporting the Wider Curriculum in Schools has been developed to meet the needs of those working as midday assistants/supervisors or those who support the wider activities of schools such as before and after school clubs.

The Level 3 Diploma in Specialist Support for Teaching and Learning in Schools qualification is aimed at support staff in specialist roles and/or across a range of responsibilities.

These Accredited Teaching Assistant courses are fully recognised by all primary and secondary schools in England, Wales and Northern Ireland. They are listed on the Qualifications and Credit Framework (RQF/QCF) and OFQUAL Regulated so rest assured, this qualification will be perfect for you if you would like to become a Teaching Assistant and are fully recognised and accepted by Ofsted.

With the number of learning support staff expected to rise further, these qualifications provide flexible and high-quality training for those who want to progress or move to other roles across the children's workforce.

You could work in a primary or secondary school. The job is really varied and you need to be adaptable. You could be working with special needs pupils to give them the extra support they need or generally helping with classroom activities: setting up the room, helping with tasks set by the teacher.



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If you think you've got what it takes for this challenging and rewarding job then you'll need to make sure that you've got the right qualification. Our qualification for Teaching and classroom assistants covers all the essential skills and knowledge that you need.

As a Teaching Assistant you will be expected to support the teachers with their daily tasks in the classroom so that they can concentrate on teaching the children. Your specific duties would vary depending on the school and the age of the children, but would typically include:

- Preparing the classroom for lessons
- Listening to the children read, reading to them or telling them stories
- Assisting children who need extra support to complete tasks
- Helping the teacher to plan learning activities and complete records
- Supervising group activities and displaying work
- Looking after children who are upset or after an accident
- Playing educational games with the children
- Encouraging younger children to learn through play
- Helping with outings and sporting events
- Carrying out routine administrative tasks

### **Why use us:**

- 1. Accredited Units by OCR
- 2. Specialist Behaviour Management Training
- 3. Will lead to an accredited and recognised full level 2 qualification

**This is a modular programme so you can choose to do just one module for around £100, or up to 12 modules for around £450. Please contact us for more details.**