

HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE

In Health and Social Care there are some amazing opportunities for you to become involved with. Previous years have seen students visit local universities including Sheffield Hallam and Sheffield University. Students participated in a Health and Social Care Taster Day where there was a carousel of Health Professionals available to meet and receive advice about various professions within the Health Sector. We are really proud of the achievements of our students when they leave us to either progress onto University, Apprenticeships or employment.

WHAT WILL I STUDY?

You will learn about the care needs of different groups, including the elderly, young children and people with disabilities and how care professionals meet these needs. Assignments and projects are based on realistic workplace situations and you will learn about the standards expected in care settings. The course includes essential work placements so you can develop your practical skills and work alongside Health and Social Care professionals.

HOW WILL I BE ASSESSED?

Examination, assignments + work placement observation.

WHAT CAN I DO NEXT?

Students from this course have gone on to university to study social work, adult social care, child social care, nursing, paramedic studies, mental health nursing and occupational therapy. We work in partnership with Sheffield Hallam University, Sheffield University and many others who offer a range of courses in related areas. Some students go on to employment in a health and social care setting.

Careers and Destinations

- Higher education
- Further professional study
- Nursing
- Paramedic
- Radiology
- Occupational Therapy
- Social Worker
- Adult or child social care
- Mental Health Nursing
- Midwifery
- Support workers

Aisha Bibi



I am passionate about the subject I teach but at the same time at the heart of my teaching is to create a safe and calm environment which allows students to reach their full potential. When I am not teaching, I enjoy being a mother and engaging in my hobbies. My hobbies include reading and travelling. I very much enjoy traveling as travelling enables me to explore different cultures and gives me the opportunity to meet the locals.

I look forward to being part of your journey through Longley Park Sixth Form.

Karina Gibson



I teach BTEC Level 3 Extended Certificate, Diploma and Extended Diploma on Year 1 (year 12) and Year 2 (year 13). Originally my qualifications started in which is where I got my first degree at Open University , I have a BA in early childhood studies (Sheffield Hallam) and a Masters in Special Educational Needs- from there, my journey progressed to Health and Social Care. The course covers many interesting aspects such as physical, intellectual, emotional and social development across the human lifespan, and the factors affecting development and the effects of ageing. Also, principles and practicalities that underpin meeting individuals' care and support needs. We will explore the benefits

of work experience. We carry out and reflect on a period of work experience, and plan for personal and professional development.

My interests include activities and sunny outdoor environment, camping, motorbikes, listening to music, travel and (of course) eating!

Laura Martin



Hi Everyone!

I look forward to meeting you all when you join us here in Health and Social care at Longley Park Sixth Form. I am excited to find out more about you all and also what has motivated you choosing to study the course you have selected and what your goals are. So, until then here's just a little bit about me...

I enjoy going on holiday, music, watching films and tv - 'Friends' is a particular favourite! I really love spending time with family and friends and last but certainly not least I'm a huge fan of

chocolate too! I didn't always know exactly what I wanted to do as a job straight away but I have always enjoyed helping people in some way, learning new skills and made the best of every opportunity in every job I have done but teaching is by far the best! I hope you all have a lovely summer and I look forward to getting to know you all soon.



Jayne Kriklanis

I love travel and meeting new people from different cultures and backgrounds.

I have been teaching Health and Social Care at Longley Park Sixth Form for many years, so may even have taught your relatives!

The best bit about my job is seeing how much you all grow and develop during your time at our Sixth Form. I have seen many students successfully go on to Apprenticeships, Employment and study at Universities around the country.

My favourite units include Mental Health and Health Psychology, and understanding the nature v nurture debate.

Closely followed by Complementary Therapies and how they work alongside more conventional medicines.

So if you fancy a career as a Physician's Associate or many of the new exciting job roles available then this is the course for you.

I look forward to meeting you in September.

Best Wishes and Stay Safe Jayne x



Scott Worthington

Hello...

I am a teacher of both Health and Social Care and Sports here at Longley Park Sixth Form. The health care courses are fantastic at Longley Park and will give you a great insight into all of the different aspects of health and social care, which is hopefully a career you are interested in for the future.

Before teaching, I was actually a student at Longley Park and had such an amazing student experience that I came back here to work! Outside of teaching I enjoy playing and watching sports, ranging from football, rugby, cricket and boxing and I support the mighty Sheffield United. I love to travel and explore

new cultures, listen to all types of music and enjoy spending time with my family and friends.

I am really looking forward to meeting you all very soon and starting this new journey at Longley Park Sixth Form with you!

Scott

Nina Radley



Hello,

My name is Nina and I teach on Level 1 Health and Social Care. I have worked at Longley for 6 years and really enjoy it. Teaching on Level 1 gives me the opportunity to see student's progress up the numerous

Levels and succeed. One of my favourite units on Level 1 is Work Experience, I think it is really important to have the opportunity to explore the sector that you are keen to work in, as well as putting into practice the skills learned in college.

I look forward to meeting you all soon.

Nina