



HEALTH & FOOD TECHNOLOGY



Nat 5/Higher Care

What will I be learning?

In S5/6, you will attend HFT six periods per week and will study the following topics:

Values and principles - investigate the health and social care provision that is available to meet the needs of people requiring care.

Human development and behaviour - psychological theories are used to explain development at different stages of the life span and use models of loss or transition to explain the effects of life experiences on people.

Social influences - sociological theories are used to explain social influences and the impact these might have on people's life.

How will I be assessed?

You will receive a closed book written test at the end of each unit.

You will sit a prelim in January as part of the whole school prelim diet, and then a final second prelim in February/March. The prelim papers cover the full course similar to the exam.

From August till December you will complete a 2-period placement in a Care establishment relevant to your assignment e.g River brae.

An open-book course assignment is completed September - March, and is 70% of your overall mark.

What does homework look like?

You will receive a piece of homework once a week. It is important that you keep up with the homework as best you can as regular revision improves overall attainment.

The homework for Care is always posted on Teams for you to access.

All course notes can be found on the class team in the Teams app. See your teacher in class if you need help accessing Teams.