

SAFEGUARDING SUPPORT OFFICER LEVEL 3 APPRENTICESHIP

Duration
Total - 18-24 Months
EPA - 3 Months

The Level 3 Safeguarding Support Officer Apprenticeship is designed for professionals who support the protection and wellbeing of children, young people, and vulnerable adults. The programme develops the knowledge and practical skills needed to recognise safeguarding concerns, follow safeguarding procedures, and work effectively with colleagues and external agencies to ensure people remain safe. This apprenticeship is ideal for professionals with safeguarding responsibilities in settings such as education, healthcare, residential childcare, and community services. Roles can lead into Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead, Safeguarding Coordinator, or more senior safeguarding and safeguarding leadership positions.

1 Entry Requirements

You must have been a UK, EEA, or EU resident for at least the three years before starting the apprenticeship.

You must be employed in a relevant job role and able to commit to the full length of the programme including the End Point Assessment.

If you do not have GCSE grade C/4 or equivalent in Maths and English, you may be required to work towards achieving these qualifications as part of your apprenticeship.

2 Qualifications Awarded

L3 Safeguarding Support Officer Apprenticeship Standard

Functional Skills Maths

Functional Skills English

3 Reviews & Teaching and Learning

Each month, a trainer will conduct a teaching and learning session with the Apprentice to ensure their ongoing development. Additionally, every other month, the trainer will visit to meet with both the Apprentice and the Employer for a comprehensive review of progress and performance.

4 End Point Assessment

The End-Point Assessment (EPA) is comprised of three components: Ongoing Support: Provided by Training Works

- Written Self-Assessment: Reflect on your own knowledge, skills, and behaviors.
- Presentation With Questions:
 - Duration: 45 Minutes
- Professional Discussion:
 - Duration: 60 minutes

5 Cost

Apprentices aged 22+ = £450pp

Apprentices 16-21 & Employer with under 50 employees = Free

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