



SIXTH FORM

FRAMWELLGATE SCHOOL DURHAM

Preparation for BTEC Studies: Health and Social Care

Specification:

Course Title	BTEC Level 3 National Extended Certificate in Health and Social Care	Exam Board	Edexcel
Module	Title	Weighting	Assessment Method
Unit 1	Human Lifespan Development	90	External
Unit 2	Working in Health and Social Care	120	External
Unit 5	Meeting Individual Care and Support Needs	90	Internal
Unit 10	Sociological Perspectives	60	Internal

Resources needed for the first lesson in September:

- Files
- File dividers
- Lined paper
- Pens, pencils, rulers, highlighters

Recommended Textbook/revision guide:

- Course text book: Health and Social Care BTEC Level 3 National

Task:

Unit 1: Human Lifespan Development

Topic: Piaget's Stages of Cognitive Development

One of the topics studied in Unit 1 (Human Lifespan Development) is Intellectual Development. We look at different theorists and the models they propose to explain how children learn and develop.

- 1) Research Piaget's Stages of Cognitive Development and explain how his theory proposes that children at each age range develop. You may wish to produce this information in a table showing each stage, the age range and how children develop and learn at this stage, with examples.

- 2) In order to prove his theory, Piaget looked at conservation and egocentrism. Produce a fact sheet relating to each, describing the experiment that was conducted to support the theory. Ensure that your fact sheet is visually attractive and includes key words and definitions. As an extension task, try to link conservation and egocentrism to the relevant stage of cognitive development. You will find the websites listed below useful to conduct your research for this task.

The experiments that were used to support the theories are:

- a. Conservation – Quantity of Liquid Experiment
- b. Egocentrism – Three Mountain’s Experiment

Reading and useful websites:

<https://www.verywellmind.com/piagets-stages-of-cognitive-development-2795457>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TRF27F2bn-A> (Piaget’s stages of cognitive development)

http://www.intropsych.com/ch10_development/conservation_experiments.html

<https://www.simplypsychology.org/concrete-operational.html>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gnArvcWaH6I> (Piaget’s conservation experiment)

<https://www.simplypsychology.org/preoperational.html> (Three mountain experiment - egocentrism)

Deadline Date: **Tuesday 4th September**