

# Playwork

## PLAYWORK TRAINING WITH JACE

Playwork is about supporting children and young people's freely chosen play. Playwork has its own set of principles and is a unique profession.

A playworker is there to enhance and maintain children and young people's play opportunities through a wide variety of techniques. These include knowing when to intervene in a child's play or when to let them explore in their own way.

From an early age positive experiences of play will influence the social, physical, intellectual, creative and emotional development of a child.



Working with children and young people is challenging, satisfying and rewarding. Children and young people benefit from positive role models in out of school settings and playworkers can really make a difference. There is plenty of progression to develop your career.

Playworkers can work in a range of setting such as out of school care for children, before and after school clubs, holiday clubs and play schemes.



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## PLAYWORK APPRENTICESHIPS WITH JACE

### Apprenticeships in Playwork

#### Level 2 Intermediate Apprenticeship in Playwork\*

The Level 2 Apprenticeship is work based learning which means you can train while you work. It consists of a Level 2 Diploma in Playwork within a framework of smaller but sector essential qualifications.

Level 2 units include: Playwork principles, the play environment, health and safety in the play environment, supporting children and young people

A Level 2 Apprenticeship can take on average 12 months to complete and completing a Level 2 Apprenticeship in Playwork will help playworkers gain an understanding of the principles and benefits of offering freely chosen play to children.

#### Level 3 Advanced Apprenticeship in Playwork\*

A Level 3 Advanced Apprenticeship can take approximately 18 months to complete and becoming a qualified playworker will enable you to work with children and young people within a variety of 'out of school' settings and help you progress in the career you love.

Level 3 units include: understand the playwork principles, understand children and young people self directed play, understand how to support positive outcomes for children

\* These courses will require observation and workshop attendance to complete your qualification

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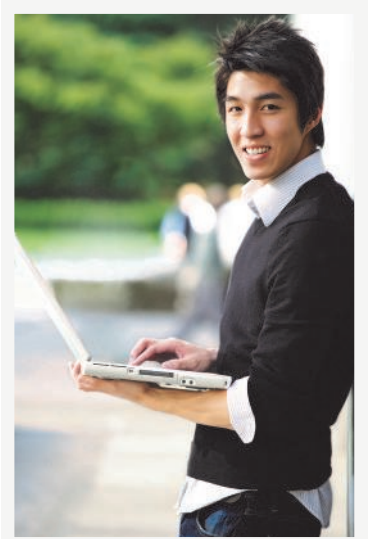


### Online learning with JACE Learning Platform

The JLP offers support to students or employers who require additional learning support, for instance if you are unable to attend specific workshops or would like to revisit training notes or resources from workshops you have attended.

It is suitable for students aged 16 years or above.

The JLP will provide online learning and teaching support for all our courses.



### Learning Methods Available from JACE:

- \* In person at our training centres
- \* Full time & Part time
- \* Day Release, On Site & Saturday Workshops
- \* Distance Learning

### Funding Routes to Help Costs:

- \* Full funding is provided & training is free for applicants aged 16-18 yrs
- \* Funding routes available to those aged 19 years and above

