Post 16 Subject Overview

Name of Subject – T-Level Animal Management

Which Examination Specification is Studied for this Course?

City and Guilds

Why should I study this course?

The Animal Care T-Level provides the perfect blend of theoretical study and hands on work experience Levels are a 2-year qualification that you can do after GCSEs as an alternative to A levels, other post-16 courses or an apprenticeship. They have been designed with leading businesses and employers to give you the knowledge and skills you need for working in the industry as well as an opportunity to network with employers.

We are currently working with local dog groomers, Markham Grange, local animal farms and most excitingly Yorkshire Wildlife Park, whereby students will be given the opportunity to achieve the Wildlife Ranger Award in Y12.

Who is suitable to study this course?

For those who have an interest in working within the animal sector or wanting to progress onto higher education by studying a related degree at university, or you could enter the animal management sector via an apprenticeship or entry level role.

Related careers might include roles such as:
– Animal behaviourist or trainer
– Veterinary nurse
– Army/police handlers
– Retail
– Teaching
– Environmentalist
– Zoo keeper
– Animal technician
– Ecologist
– Conservationist
– Wildlife officer
– Animal related business ownership or self-employment
– Charity work within the UK or abroad

What GCSE Qualifications Support the Study of this Course?
BTEC Level 2 animal care
GCSE Science
Maths
English
Health and Social care

What are the Qualification Requirements for this Course?

Four GCSEs at grade 4+ or equivalent, which must include English, Maths and Science

How is the Course Delivered?

You'll spend 80% of your time in the classroom and 20% on a 45-day placement with an employer to give you the skills and knowledge companies look for.

How is the Course Assessed?

- Externally set exams at the end of each academic year
- A skills assessment
- A specialist assessment at the end of year 13

What is our Recommended Subject Reading list to Support your Study?

Aspinall's complete textbook of veterinary nursing
Introduction to veterinary anatomy and physiology textbook
Veterinary Nursing Journal
BSAVA textbook of veterinary nursing