

Preparation for Y12 HSC – Foundation Diploma

Congratulations on joining the BTEC National Level 3 Health and Social Care course. Before the start of term in September there is some preparatory work you need to complete. This will take about 3 hours in total and will be research based.

You will be expected to produce evidence of the work in the **first session** in September. Your suitability for the course and attitude to independent learning will be assessed using the work produced.

Unit 1 Human Lifespan Development exam

Research and answer the following questions:

- What is the definition of growth and development?
- What is the difference between gross and fine motor skills?
- What are primary and secondary sexual characteristics for both males and females?
- What is the perimenopause and menopause?
- Research Chomsky's model of language development, and list the factors which could affect language development.

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Unit 11 Psychological Perspectives coursework

In psychology, therapists use a number of different psychological perspectives to understand human behaviour and development.

One of the perspectives is the behaviourist perspective. The behaviourist perspective is about understanding behaviour that occurs due to what a person has learnt.

Research Pavlov's theory of classical conditioning. In your own words explain the experiment he conducted using dogs, and the findings of this research.

Research Skinner's theory of operant conditioning. In your own words explain the experiment he conducted using rats, and the findings of this research.

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At the end of the document (on a separate page) list the websites/books you have used for this research.