

# Animal Care Level 2 BTEC What is it all about?





This Animal Care BTEC will provide you with a practical introduction to working with animals.

Areas of study on this programme are varied and will allow you to develop the practical skills required to work in the animal care industry.

The study programme will enable you to work with a wide range of animals and develop sound practical skills.

Our farm has a variety of animals and provides an ideal setting for you to gain valuable, industry-relevant experience.

Units of study in the programme will also provide you with underpinning knowledge of animal biology and health.

You will learn by completing projects and assignments

that are based on realistic workplace situations, activities and

demands.









## What units will you explore?

Animal Health Animal Handling Animal Housing and Accommodation Principles of Animal Behaviour

 These units will give you the opportunity to spend time with vets, at local farms and zoos!



#### Why study Animal Care?

You will learn by completing projects and assignments that are based on realistic workplace situations, activities and demands.

It will introduce you to the employment area you have chosen and provides a good basis to go on to a more advanced work-related qualification.

Etonbury Academy is a member of the Schools Farm Network Education Alliance – This means you will get the opportunity to visit and even stay at the Royal Agricultural University!





#### Who will teach you?

**Mrs Goldsmith** 

#### Mr Goldsmith is the lead teacher of Animal Care and has been looking after the farm for almost 3 years.

She has developed the farm and introduced a wide range of animals to give you the opportunity to work with animals









### **Practical information**

- **Qualification type: BTEC**
- Exam board: EDEXCEL
- Exams: 1, 1hour 30minutes.
- **Coursework: Yes. 75% of the qualification**
- Link to specification
- **Content on GCSE Pod: Not currently**