

INTRODUCTION TO NEURODIVERSITY

Subject Area

Student Type

Study Mode

Health, Social Care &
Life Sciences

Adults

Part Time

What is the course about?

This introductory course, taught at Winsford Adult College, is designed for adults who want to develop their understanding of neurodiversity. No previous knowledge is required.

Through this supportive course for adults, you'll explore a range of neurodivergent conditions and gain insight into the different ways people may think, learn, communicate and experience the world.

Whether you're interested for personal, professional or educational reasons, this adult course will help you build your knowledge of neurodiversity and develop a greater understanding of individual differences.

Why should I choose the course?

This course will help you develop your knowledge and understanding of neurodiversity in a friendly and supportive environment. You will build confidence in recognising different needs, understanding different experiences, and using appropriate language when talking about neurodiversity.

What will I learn?

During the course you will:

- Understand what neurodiversity means and explore some of the language used around it.
- Explore a range of neurodivergent conditions, how they can affect people in different ways, and where experiences may overlap.
- Consider how neurodivergence can affect communication and everyday life.
- Identify simple ways to make environments and interactions more inclusive.

To learn more about what this course entails, please email ACLenquiries@wvr.ac.uk and a member of the team will contact you.

What will the course lead on to?

The course can lead on to our Next Steps to Neurodiversity course, also delivered at Winsford Adult College, where you can continue to develop your knowledge and understanding.

You may also wish to progress onto a more detailed qualification, such as our Level 2 Certificate in Understanding Specific Learning Difficulties, or a Level 2 Certificate in Understanding Autism.



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& Vale Royal
College**

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What support is available?

We have a team of staff dedicated to providing learning support if it is required and a Wellbeing Team that are on hand to offer guidance, support and help when needed.

Additionally, eligible students can access a wide range of finance and funding support to help them during their time at college. For more information about student support please visit:

<https://www.wvr.ac.uk/college-life/student-support/>

Why should I choose to study the course at Warrington & Vale Royal College?

At Winsford Adult College, you'll learn in a friendly and welcoming environment where adult students are supported to achieve their goals. Our experienced tutors bring a wealth of knowledge and expertise, helping you build your understanding and confidence throughout the course.

With free on-site parking and a relaxed, supportive atmosphere, it's easy to fit learning around your existing commitments. Whether you're returning to education, developing your professional knowledge or studying for personal interest, you'll benefit from high-quality teaching and a positive adult learning experience.

What are the entry requirements?

There are no entry requirements for this adult course. ACL courses are open to anyone over the age of 19.

What are my funding options?

For information about funding, please contact our friendly Learner Services Team on 01925 494 400 or learner.services@wvr.ac.uk.

Are there any additional costs associated with the course?

There are no additional costs associated with this course. Basic materials will be provided. Your tutor will advise you of any additional costs that may occur.



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