

What is the course about?

This part-time adult course is a short, introductory teaching qualification designed for those preparing to enter the lifelong learning sector. Whether you're already training, tutoring, or delivering learning in your current role, or you're looking to make the move into further education, this course provides a solid foundation.

While the course is delivered online for flexibility, **you must attend Warrington campus** to complete your required in-person microteach assessments. Please consider this before enrolling.

Why should I choose the course?

If you would like to begin a career in teaching in the further education sector and want to gain the introductory skills you need, this course is right for you. Learning from experienced staff, you will be introduced to this rewarding sector and find out more about the key skills and knowledge required to be a successful FE teacher.

What will I learn?

If you're interested in starting a career in teaching in further education, this course is the perfect first step. You'll learn from experienced professionals who will introduce you to the core skills and knowledge required to become an effective and confident FE teacher or trainer.

This qualification covers key areas of teaching and training, including:

- Unit 301 – Roles, responsibilities and relationships in education and training
- Unit 302 – Inclusive teaching and learning approaches
- Unit 305 – Understanding assessment in education and training

Assessment is through a combination of practical and theoretical assignments, including a 20-minute microteach session, which is an essential part of the course. **This must be completed in-person.**

What will the course lead on to?

After successfully completing this course, you'll be able to progress to the Level 4 Certificate or Level 5 Diploma in Teaching (FE and Skills) - subject to meeting the required entry criteria. These qualifications will further enhance your skills and are suited to those pursuing formal teaching roles.



Are there any links with industry and university?

The tutors on the course have excellent links with industry professionals, and students will benefit from these partnerships.

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 personalised advice on funding, please contact our Learner Services Team on 01925 494 400 or email learner.services@wvr.ac.uk.

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

Here at Warrington & Vale Royal College we have a team of dedicated, experienced staff who can share their extensive knowledge and skills with you. Learning in a friendly and inclusive environment, you will be fully supported to achieve your goals.

What are the entry requirements?

There are no formal entry requirements for this course. However, it is recommended that you:

- Hold at least a Level 3 qualification in the subject you intend to teach
- Have a Level 2 qualification in literacy and numeracy, or be working towards it

Note: Further guidance can be provided upon enquiry. You do **not** need access to teaching hours to enrol on this course.

What are my funding options?

For more information about financial support, please visit: <https://wvr.ac.uk/college-life/financial-support>

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Are there any additional costs associated with the course?

There are no mandatory additional costs to this course. However, you may wish to purchase a recommended textbook by Ann Gravells to support your studies.



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