

## Social Services

Borders College

### Venues

Scottish Borders Campus

### Content

The HNC in Social Services is a nationally recognised qualification for staff working within the social care sector. The course aims to provide students with underpinning knowledge, values and skills relevant to work in a range of social care settings, and to prepare them for a degree in Social Work. Students study a range of subjects, including Care in a Contemporary Society, Care Practice, Leadership Starts with Me, and Health, Wellbeing and Safeguarding. Also included in this award are 3 SVQ Care Level 3 mandatory units.

### Start Date

August

### Qualification

HNC

### Study Method

Part time (day)

### Course Length

2 years

### Department

Child, Health and Social Care

### Entry Requirements

2 Highers preferably including English; or Foundation Apprenticeship Social Services and Health Care or Social Services (Children and Young People). Entry subject to interview.

You will require a satisfactory criminal record check from Disclosure Scotland to show that you are suitable for this type of course. Contact Disclosure Scotland for details on the type you would need.

### SCQF Level

7

### Progression Routes

Relevant HND

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