

## Social Services

Forth Valley College

### Venues

Falkirk Campus  
Stirling Campus

### Content

This advanced level course is a blend of practical and theoretical learning which provides students with the necessary skills and knowledge required for a career in social care. Learners will also engage in a social care placement, where they will undertake three SVQ social services and healthcare units. Successful completion of this course provides the necessary qualifications for registration with the Scottish Social Services Council (SSSC).

Subject areas included in the qualification include:

Social Care Practice; Sociology; Safeguarding; Understanding and Supporting Behaviour and Mental Health; Grief and Loss.

### Start Date

August

### Qualification

HNC

### Study Method

Full time

### Course Length

1 year

### Department

Care

### Entry Requirements

2 Highers including English + National 5 Maths; or Foundation Apprenticeship Social Services and Healthcare + Higher English or another English based subject; or Pathway to Social Care; or other relevant national qualifications at SCQF Level 6; 60 days relevant experience; 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

## SCQF Points

«SCQFPoints»

## Progression Routes

Degree in Social Work or Social Studies or related discipline

## Combination Courses

«htmlCombinationCourse»

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