

## Education Support Assistant (PDA)

Ayrshire College

### Venues

Kilwinning Campus

### Content

This course is designed to develop and enhance your knowledge, skills, values, and competencies. Ideal for those wishing to work with, or already working with, children and young people in an education setting.

The PDA Education Support Assistance is appropriate for those who are currently employed or considering employment in the education sector. It enables learners to work as a member of staff who has responsibility for providing care and educational support to children and young people. You will provide support to the learning and teaching process and the wellbeing of children and young people.

Each week you will be in college two days and one day on placement in a primary or secondary school, working with children, young people, and the staff team.

### Start Date

August

### Qualification

Other

### Study Method

Full time

### Course Length

1 year

### Department

Early Years

### Entry Requirements

5 relevant subjects at National 5 including English; or Early Learning and Childcare (Level 5); or other relevant national qualifications at SCQF Level 5. Entry subject to interview and completing a short written activity.

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

6

## SCQF Points

«SCQFPoints»

## Progression Routes

Relevant HNC

## Combination Courses

«htmlCombinationCourse»

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