

## Childhood and Youth Studies

Open University in Scotland

### Content

What matters in children and young people's worlds? What influences their development? How can adults working with them support and empower them more effectively? Childhood and youth studies is one of the UK's fastest-growing academic disciplines. We're a pioneer in this field and have developed this degree over the last three decades. You'll explore fascinating issues affecting children and young people today, including child development and psychology, digital lives, international childhoods, issues of power, agency, inclusion, social justice and children's rights. This degree is suitable whether you work with children and young people or have an interest in their worlds.

### Start Date

October

### Qualification

Degree

### Study Method

Online learning

### Award Title

BA Hons

### Course Length

Flexible

### Faculty

General

### Department

Education, Childhood, Youth and Sport

### Entry Requirements

There are no formal qualifications required to study this degree. Computer and internet access required.

If you're new to study or to the OU, it is recommended that you start with a course at Level 1.

### SCQF Level

10

## SCQF Points

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## Progression Routes

This degree will give you knowledge and analytical skills relevant to many careers in childcare, health and education; working with families; playwork or working with young people.

## Combination Courses

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