

National 3 People and Society (Course Code: C752 73)

SCQF Level 3 (18 Credit Points)

Why study People and Society?

People and Society is a flexible course that gives you the opportunity to study topics that are interesting and relevant to you. Topics are drawn from social studies, health and wellbeing, and religious and moral education.

You will learn about people and society from across subject areas. It helps you to develop important skills such as communication, investigation and critical thinking.

Career Pathways

To see what career areas this subject could lead to and the routes to get there, download and view these career pathways:

[Arts, Social Sciences and Languages](#)

[Information, Culture and Heritage](#)

[Law](#)

[Social, Caring and Advisory Services](#)

What do I need to get in?

The school or college will decide on the entry requirements for the course. You would normally have achieved:

- **National 2 Social Subjects**

What will I study?

People and Society helps you to develop an open mind and respect for the values, beliefs and cultures of others. You will study themes drawn from social subjects and social sciences. Topics include behaviour, citizenship, diversity, environment, equality, and technology. You will find out some of the consequences of the ways people behave in society.

The course has **three** compulsory units.

People and Society: Investigating Skills (6 SCQF credit points)

In this unit you will:

- learn how to choose sources of information for investigation, select and collect information
- choose ideas to study that will develop your knowledge and understanding of people and society.

People and Society: Comparing and Contrasting (6 SCQF credit points)

In this unit you will:

- learn how to use information to compare and contrast
- choose ideas to study that will develop your knowledge and understanding of people and society.

People and Society: Making Decisions (6 SCQF credit points)

In this unit you will:

- learn how to use information to make decisions
- choose ideas to study that will develop your knowledge and understanding of people and society.

How will I be assessed?

Your work will be assessed by your teacher or tutor on an ongoing basis throughout the course. You must pass all three units to gain the course qualification.

Study Materials**What can I go on to next?**

If you complete the course successfully, it may lead to:

- **National 4 People and Society**

Further study, training or employment in:

- Arts, Social Sciences and Languages
- Nursing and Auxiliary Work
- Social, Caring and Advisory Services