

Get ready for Medical Science

About the subject

Medical Science is the science of dealing with the maintenance of health and the prevention and treatment of diseases. The Level 3 Applied Diploma in Medical Science is for learners who are interested in careers related to healthcare and medical research. Medical scientists are at the forefront of healthcare services, as they are vital in the diagnosis of disease, determining the effectiveness of treatments and searching for new cures.

The level 3 Applied Diploma is equivalent in size to one A level.

The qualification covers the key topic areas of health, physiology and disease, as well as providing the opportunity to study the areas of pharmacology, physiological measurement, clinical testing and medical research.

Essential reading

Thoroughly review all your notes and any text books you have from GCSE Science, particularly Biology. This will give you a good foundation to your studies on this course.

- Read about health topics here: <https://www.nhs.uk/news/> [<https://www.nhs.uk/news/>]
- Choose one article and write a report summarizing the details in your own words.
- Reference with the article title and web link.
- You will be asked to submit this on MS Teams before the course starts in September.

Last updated: 17th June 2020

Any questions?

Email us on info@barnsley.ac.uk

Call us on **01226 216 123**