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Top 5 Reasons to Study with NCC Home Learning

- ★ You decide when and where you study
- ★ Full tutor support with the majority of courses and access to our Student Support Team for 12 months, plus course materials, Awarding Body accreditation and examination costs are all included in the course price unless otherwise stated
- ★ Our courses typically need no prior knowledge to start which means freedom to learn whatever subject you choose
- ★ Over 180 courses with the opportunity to get a recognised qualification
- ★ A range of flexible payment arrangements to help you purchase your course with ease.

Follow us on Twitter!

NCC Home Learning have now setup their very own Twitter page! Make sure you **follow us** in order to keep up with what we are doing and find out about new developments before anybody else!

Out of Hours Student Support

Reminder!! NCC Home Learning can be contacted 7 days a week 365 days a year

September Newsletter 2009 - Further Discounts!



Has the summer been and gone? Is the current wet weather all that we have to look forward to during the coming months? Why not take this time to think about a brighter, exciting future and study one of NCC Home Learning's nationally accredited

courses that leads to an internationally recognised award?

To help you make your mind up we have discounted the majority of courses on our website by at least 10% to fit in line with the new academic year! We have subjects to suit every taste and budget so take a look at our **extensive list** today. Plus don't forget we are offering free shipping on **all orders to UK addresses**.

Course of the Month - Understanding Substance Misuse QCF

This **BRAND NEW Understanding Substance Misuse QCF fully accredited qualification** is designed to introduce the student to a variety of areas related to the use and misuse of a wide range of drugs.



This **Understanding Substance Misuse QCF** qualification helps to develop increased understanding of these issues and the possible responses and interventions. The programme aims to:

- ★ Provide a nationally accredited certificated programme in a wide range of substance misuse issues and the variety of responses and interventions available
- ★ Provide a flexible learning opportunity that is accessible to a wide range of learners
- ★ Provide the student with knowledge and understanding that can be used by those who either personally, voluntary or professionally have a special interest in this field.

The programme raises an opportunity for personal development and occupational competence in an area identified by government policy as one requiring special attention. The overall Government's policy is laid out in 'Tackling Drugs to Build a Better Britain 1998' and the 'Updated Drugs Strategy 2002'. This programme should contribute to the strategy through an educational model.

The programme is a great resource for anyone interested in the subject but is particularly aimed at those who work directly and regularly with people with alcohol or drugs misuse problems or those who would like to pursue a career in these areas. This course in particular is widely used to train drugs and alcohol workers, as well as generic professionals serving young and/or vulnerable people, to support them in achieving their DANOS competences. Mapping to the DANOS competences has shown that this programme covers a broad range of relevant DANOS units. The course provides also comprehensive "underpinning knowledge" for the substance misuse modules of the NVQ and SVQ Level 3 Health and Social Care.

The qualification has been mapped to the Drugs and Alcohol National Occupational Standards (DANOS) and the NHS Knowledge and Skills Framework. It helps people to develop their knowledge, skills and competence in the following DANOS units:

The Price you See is the Price you Pay!

Our aim is to provide you with the best deal available, therefore with the vast majority of our courses the registration fee, certification fee and full tutor support is included in the course price for you as you see it on our website.

Finance Available!

NCC Home Learning can now offer customers a range of finance options with **deposits available from as little as £29.99!** For more information and to take advantage of **interest free credit options**, please visit our website or contact our student support team.

CALL FREE on 0800 970 2522

The Choice Is Yours

We are thrilled to announce that we now have over 180 accredited courses available to buy instantly online. Not sure which is the right one for you?

[Check our A-Z of Courses Now!](#)

Send us your Comments

NCC Home Learning would love to hear from you! Whether you have comments, ideas or suggestions concerning anything from our website to course material, why not drop us a line?

Facebook NCC Home Learning!

Become a fan of NCC Home Learning and receive special offers and discounts exclusive to Facebookers only! Leave comments about our courses, meet other NCC Home Learning students and interact with us. Visit our page here: **Facebook** and become a fan of NCC Home Learning!

Sponsored Links

- ★ AA1 Recognise indications of substance misuse and refer individuals to specialists
- ★ AB2 Support individuals who are substance users
- ★ AB5 Assess and act upon immediate risk of danger to substance users
- ★ AD1 Raise awareness about substances, their use and effects
- ★ AF2 Carry out assessment to identify and prioritise needs.

[Click here to find full details of this Understanding Substance Misuse Qualification.](#)

Well Done to All A Level and GCSE Students of 2009!



More than one in four UK A-level entries were awarded the top A grade this year, results have shown. The national pass rate rose for the 25th year in a row, with 96.9% graded A to E, up from 96.6% last year.

Well done to all NCC Home Learning A Level students who gained the grades they wanted to move on to bigger and better things!

If you did not quite receive the grades you were after this year, do not worry, our Fast Track A Levels can be taken in one year and you can be back on track

with the future you planned before you know it! Visit our [A Level Faculty today here!](#)

Also don't forget that we now have a full range of GCSE courses available to complement our very popular A Level faculty! Take a look [here](#) today to see the full list!

New Courses!



Understanding MRSA - It is difficult to pick up any newspaper, or listen to any news broadcast, in which mention is not made of 'hospital super bugs' and the relentless rise in the numbers of patients acquiring these infections, particularly MRSA, whilst in hospital or in residential care in the UK.

This rise and the associated media attention, has led in turn, to the Government setting targets for reducing the number of deaths arising from these infections. To

achieve these targets, it is necessary for all staff working in NHS Hospital Trusts, Primary Care Trusts, nursing and social care to be trained to understand these infections, what they are, how they can infect patients and, importantly, the measures that can be used to control cross infection. This course is intended to provide this training for staff working in these areas.

This course is organised into three modules. The first two modules will enable you, the learner, to gain an understanding of the different agents that can cause infection and how they grow and mutate; how infection is spread and the measures that can be taken to prevent this from taking place. In the third module MRSA is examined in more depth and you will understand how it has become a hospital 'super bug' resistant to antibiotics. Also in the third module you will learn what your role and legal obligations are in reducing its spread.

You don't need any previous qualifications to take this course. It is designed to encourage your own personal development in an area important to you.

GCSE's

Do not worry if you did not make the grades you wanted to this Summer, as you can continue your studies without disregarding your original plans and study to get those grades in your own time and in the comfort of your own home!

All GCSE's offered by NCC Home Learning map to the very latest criteria laid down by the awarding bodies. If any updates to these are made then these are provided free of charge to the student.

NCC Home Learning now offer a range of GCSE courses in the following subjects:

Maths
English
Science
Applied Business
Psychology
Sociology
Biology
Child Development

Business Studies
Economics
Geography
Health & Social Care
History
French

Plus we are pleased to announce a range of BRAND NEW Level 3 Diploma courses in the following titles:

Abnormal Psychology	Accounting
Addiction Counselling	Advertising
Alexander Technique	Anatomy & Physiology
Aromatherapy	Bereavement Counselling
Biology	Botany
Business Administration	Business Consultancy
Business Studies	Canine Studies
Career Coaching	Change Management
Child & Adolescent Counselling	Child Coaching
Child Development	Clinical Hypnotherapy
Clinical Science	Zoology
Cognitive Therapy	Compliance Management
Debt Counselling	Diet & Nutrition
Distance Learning Tutoring	Drama
Egyptology	Emotional Freedom Technique (E.F.T.)
Employment Law	English Literature
Environmental Science	Equine Science
Family Counselling	Feline Studies
Flower Remedies	Government & Politics
Health & Safety Law	Health & Social Care
Health Coaching	History
Human Biology	Teaching Business English
Law	Management
Management Development	Management Information Systems
Marine Biology	Marketing
Media Studies	Nutritional Therapy
Organisational Psychology	Personal Training & Sports Coaching
Philosophy	Portfolio Management
Postgraduate Research Techniques	Project Management
Psychometrics	Reflexology
Relationship & Couples Counselling	Strategic Planning
Risk Management	Smallholding Management
Sociology	Sports Nutrition
Sports Psychology	

Merlin Entertainment Discounts for ALL Existing Customers!

In conjunction with Merlin Entertainment, NCC Home Learning are pleased to be able to offer students a range of benefits and discounts for purchasing any one of our home learning courses. These benefits include discounted entrance to theme parks such as the Alton Towers Resort, THORPE PARK, Chessington World of Adventures and Zoo and many more!



These benefits are **ONLY** available to existing students who have purchased courses from NCC Home Learning. Discounts are available all year round and updated continuously with special seasonal offers.

You are just in time to take advantage of this fantastic offer for the school summer holidays!

Tutors and Authors Required

NCC Home Learning are currently on the lookout for new tutors and authors in any subject!

If you have the experience of either of these posts, please contact NCC Home Learning directly by email and be sure to attach your current CV -

enquiries@ncchomelearning.co.uk

Your email will be acknowledged and someone will contact you in due course if positions are available within your area of expertise.

FREE SHIPPING on All Orders to UK Addresses!



NCC Home Learning would just like to remind everyone about our current offer for FREE SHIPPING on all orders to UK addresses. Purchase today to avoid those additional charges that we all begrudge paying!!

*UK addresses only