



## Level 1 in Work-Based Animal Care

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This course enables people to gain foundational knowledge in animal care, developing skills in handling, feeding, and maintaining welfare. The qualification is beneficial for those with a personal interest in animals, as well as those looking to begin a career working with animals, as it builds confidence and practical experience in a structured learning environment.

### PLACEMENTS AVAILABLE AT:



- As part of the RISE Space family, RISE Wild brings years of experience in delivering the highest quality SEND education across the home counties.
- RISE offers dynamic and innovative teaching with bespoke programme building, tailored to individual needs.
- Specialist facilities in a purpose-built establishment at Glebe Farm.



## HOW IT WORKS

This qualification develops the knowledge and skills needed to work in a supervised role within animal care. It can be set at three different levels; Award, Certificate or Diploma. These differ in depth and complexity.

Guided Learning Hours (GLH) are the number of hours a learner needs in their placement to complete the qualification.

The GLH for this qualification are: 90 (Award), 162 (Certificate), 342 (Diploma). It can also be full-time or part-time following discussion with the placement.

## KNOWLEDGE & SKILLS

As part of this qualification the following topics will be covered:

Health & Safety	Controlled exercise	Movement
Daily care	Maintenance of equipment	Handling
Biosecurity	Animal accommodation	Feeding

## TEACHING AND SUPPORT

At the placement there will be fully qualified staff with in-depth experience working with SEND learners. A specialist Trainer Coach will also be available to assess the learning taking place and provide additional support. The qualification is achieved entirely through an evidence-based portfolio and no exams are required at any point.

## FUNDING

This course is funded by the local authority for anyone from 14 – 25 years old with an Educational Health Care Plan (EHCP) within the catchment area, and is also available to those who may wish to consider paying privately.

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