



## Skills For Working Life Animal Care

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These qualifications help people develop employability skills such as communication, teamwork, problem-solving, and time management, while also building confidence and independence. They are recognised by employers and can improve job prospects for entry-level roles, apprenticeships, or further training. The courses are practical, making them accessible and inclusive.

PLACEMENTS AVAILABLE AT:



### **JACKS PLACE CARE**

- A friendly countryside setting based near Malvern, Worcestershire.
- Offering structured qualifications in an animal care setting for life skills, and employability training.
- Courses are adapted to suit different abilities, whilst also designed to be accessible and supportive.



## ENTRY LEVEL 2

The Skills for Working Life Entry Level 2 Animal Care course combines skills used in the workplace, including healthy living, behaviour at work, and identifying hazards at work, with basic practical animal care experience. This may include tasks such as supervised feeding and watering, recognising farm animals, assisting with cleaning animal housing and maintaining fencing.

All of these skills help to develop responsibility, routine, and awareness of animal welfare.

This is an ideal starting point for those looking to develop both industry and essential life skills. Progression onto Entry Level 3 is also available.

## ENTRY LEVEL 3

The Skills for Working Life Entry Level 3 Animal Care course further develops a broad range of animal care skills, including grooming small animals, maintaining poultry housing, and recognising healthy farm animals. It also covers workplace skills such as effective communication, planning for progression and teamwork.

## 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.

## 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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