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In partnership with Greater Lincolnshire Combined County Authority

Introduction to Caring for Children Under 5 Course

Gain a Level 1 Qualification in Just Four Weeks!

Course Length: 20 days | **9:30am - 3:00pm** | **Face-to-Face Delivery**

What will you learn?

Level 1 Introduction to Caring for Children Under 5
Develop the knowledge and understanding needed to support the care, development and wellbeing of young children by learning about:

- Child development from birth to five years
- Supporting children's learning and development
- The importance of play in early years settings
- Promoting children's health, safety and wellbeing
- Communication and interaction with young children
- Building positive relationships with children and families
- Understanding the role of childcare and early years practitioners
- Equality, diversity and inclusion in childcare settings

What Could This Lead To?
Successful completion of this course could support progression into:

- Early Years and Nursery Assistant roles
- Childcare Support roles
- Early Years Practitioner Apprenticeships
- Teaching Assistant pathways
- Further qualifications in Childcare and Early Years

Course benefits

- Gain a recognised Level 1 qualification
- Develop an understanding of early years education and childcare
- Build confidence for working with young children
- Learn about child development and wellbeing
- Enhance your CV and employability prospects
- Prepare for further training, apprenticeships or employment in childcare

Are you eligible?

To join this programme, you must:

- Be aged 19 or over on 31 August 2026
- Be unemployed, or earning less than £26,800 per year

Ready to take the next step?

Contact Acorn Training today to find out more and enrol today!

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