

Skills for Life and Work

This is course rotates over three years. Each year we focus on a different award which provides choice, and develops a range of skills for life beyond school. The course is very flexible, so learners can choose to join for one, two, or all three years of Senior Phase.

Year 1: Personal Development Award

Year 2: Employability Units and Supported Work Experience

Year 3: John Muir Trust Award, Basic First Aid Award, Bikeability Award

Awards Received

SCQF Level 1 to 3

Entry Level: What do I need to do it?

No entry requirements

Course Content: What will I learn?

Each of these awards provides learners with valuable skills around personal finance, social skills, enterprise and life/work. Learners will gain skills in the use of ICT & life skills which will support them in the future.

Teaching Methods: What will I do?

Coursework includes some written tasks, hands-on/practical activities along with use of technologies to present information. There will be opportunities to plan trips & outings along with visits to businesses of interest and supported work experience opportunities through DYW links. Learners will also look at college applications, interview skills and the world of work.

Assessment: How will I be assessed?

Assessment will comprise of course work and a folder of evidence covering the topics covered throughout the course. There will be opportunities to reflect on the learning covered.

Homework.

The course is predominatly class based.