

# Foundation Learning Leeds



## Summary

Here at Foundation Learning Leeds (FLL), we offer a diverse and robust; alternative, vocational learning package catering for all learners from Entry Level to Level 1.

## Training

Literacy and Numeracy packages have been developed through the National Open College Network. They are delivered by a highly skilled and innovative team of staff and lessons include a wide range of activities both practical and classroom based. Lessons embed newly learned functional skills into the learning. Courses are designed to fit the Foundation Learning Tier (FLT) requirement and have progression routes to all levels of learning.

The Literacy package includes aspects of Basic English and the understanding of sentence formation, to creative and letter writing.

The Numeracy package includes aspects of times tables, long multiplication, areas and perimeters, to functional mathematics that can be applied to everyday life e.g. bill paying, wage allowances, general measurements.

Skills for Life has 9 endorsed routes and the student must successfully complete 6 full units to achieve accreditation. Skills for Life covers a wide range of subjects and is designed to provide young people with the tools to venture forth into the world of work and/or further education.

Subjects include:

- Health and Safety in the work place,
- Curriculum Vitae development,
- Interview Skills,
- Personal Auditing Skills

Each unit comprises of 30 guided learning hours.

## Vocational Experience

The BTEC Level 1 Introductory Certificate/Diploma in Construction is delivered by qualified trades people and has 180 / 360 guided learning hours. The course is designed to widen participation and improve retention and attainment at Level 1 of the National Qualifications Framework. Learners will participate in a vocational and academic learning experience, gaining knowledge and understanding in

- Joinery,
- Brickwork
- Painting and Decorating.

The Edexcel BTEC level 1 in Hairdressing is delivered by NVQ 3 qualified tutor's and has 150 guided learning hours comprising of 5 core units. Learners will be encouraged to partake in both theory and practical lessons learning about all aspects of a working salon in a vocational environment.

