Bachelor of Arts with Honours in Childhood and Youth Studies

These regulations must be read in conjunction with the Academic Regulations (Taught Courses). These regulations are available by going online to the Open University ‘Essential Documents’ website at www.open.ac.uk/essential-documents.

Withdrawal of Qualification
Approval has been given for this study route to be withdrawn. The final date on which it will be awarded is 31 December 2022.

Short title
BA (Honours) in Childhood and Youth Studies

Award letters
BA (Hons) ChYthStud (Open)

Entry requirements
None. If you have been awarded the the Foundation Degree or the Diploma of Higher Education in Primary Teaching and Learning, see the additional rules section.

Maximum duration of study
16 years

Credit requirement
360

Stage 1 (120 credits)
120 credits from specified option modules
or
60 credits from specified core option modules and 60 credits from specified option modules
or
60 credits from a specified compulsory module and 60 credits from specified option modules

Stage 2 (120 credits)
60 credits from a specified compulsory module and 60 credits from specified option modules

Stage 3 (120 credits)
60 credits from specified option modules and 60 credits from a specified compulsory module

Maximum transferred credit
240
Maximum age of credit transfer
16 years

Unique study requirement
120 at Stage 3

Additional rules
If you have been awarded the Foundation Degree or the Diploma of Higher Education in Primary Teaching and Learning, you will be awarded the BA (Honours) Childhood and Youth Studies under qualification code Q81 subject to the maximum duration of study if you obtain:

(a) 60 credits from the OU Stage 2 module that is specified and compulsory for the BA (Honours) in Childhood and Youth Studies if you have not included it in your Foundation Degree or Diploma of Higher Education profile and
(b) 60 credits from the specified option modules at OU Stage 3
(c) 60 credits from the specified compulsory module at OU Stage 3 or
(d) 120 credits from the specified compulsory modules at OU Stage 3.