

Interested in becoming a Registered Childminder?

You don't need any prior qualifications or experience to set yourself up as a registered childminder. All you'll need is to complete a **registration process** that ensures safety and quality of care for the children you'll look after.

What is a Childminder?

Someone who is registered to provide paid childcare from domestic or non-domestic premises, for children under 8 years old.

Childminders can work alone or with up to three other childminders/assistants.

Colchester Institute will *fund you all the way through the steps to becoming a registered childminder as below:

Step 1
Pass criminal
and health
checks

Step 2
Complete
essential
training

Step 3
Apply to the correct Ofsted register

Step 4
Prepare
for Ofsted
registration
visit

Step 5
Follow legal requirements

Start childminding You're ready to begin



Upon successful completion, you'll receive:

- NCFE CACHE Level 3 Award in Preparing to Work in Home Based Childcare
- Level 2 Food Safety Certificate
- Level 2 Paediatric First Aid



*This course could be free, for eligibility please contact the team:

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