

Module Specifications: School of Education

Module Title:	Educational Legislation
Module Code:	BAED04C
Level:	4
Credits:	15

Module Description:

The purpose of this module is to introduce the learners to the range of relevant legislation that surrounds and encompasses education and educational establishments such as the various Education Acts, The schools and Inspection Act, Safeguarding, Child Protection, Equality and Diversity legislation and PREVENT (the anti-radicalisation legislation), to name but a few.

Learners will also investigate the structure of the Department of Education, its role in shaping government policies and how these are then enforced.

Indicative Content:

- Research skills
- Educational related legislation
- The structure of the British Government
- The structure of the Department for Education and key posts
- The importance of an inspection regime
- How current governmental initiatives are developed and identified

Learning and Teaching Methods:

Lectures, seminars, group work, discussions and debates, individual and group supervision, peer assessment, self-managed learning. Independent student study.

Specific Learning Resources:

None

Bibliography

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Module Learning Outcomes

Subject Specific Learning Outcomes

On successful completion of this module you will be able to:

LO1	Describe key pieces of legislation that are associated with educational establishments for children and young adults.
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LO2 | Identify the importance of legislation is important in the United Kingdom educational sector

LO3 | Outline the governments organisational structure and law making procedures in relation to educational matters

Assessment Title or element

3,000 word written assignment - patchwork text

- Task 1 – Outline four key pieces of education related legislation that are specifically related to your field of choice. (1250 words)
 - Task 2 – Identify the importance of these four pieces of legislation on the educational sector (1250 words).
 - Task 3 – Create a poster detailing the current governmental structure in relation to education including names and brief job descriptions. (500 words)
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Information correct at point of publication.