

Unit Title:	Play And Child Development	
Unit Level:	Level 3	
Unit Credit Value:	3	
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This unit has 3 learning outcomes.

LEARNING OUTCOMES		ASSESSMENT CRITERIA	
The learner will:		The learner can:	
1.	Understand children's key stages of development.	1.1	Explore the key stages of development of children: a) 0-2 years b) 2-4 years c) 4-7 years 11 months.
		1.2	Discuss the early learning goals and key stages for a given setting.
		1.3	Evaluate major theories in child development.
		1.4	Evaluate the factors that affect a child's development.
2.	2. Understand the importance of providing suitable resources and play activities for children.	2.1	Produce a planned play activity for a child/children.
		2.2	Critically analyse resources needed for the play activity.
		2.3	Evaluate how equal opportunities and inclusion can be promoted in the activity.
		2.4	Evaluate the types of play involved in the activity.
	2.5	Explain how the different types of play promote children's learning and development.	
3. Understand the nature and play in a childcare setting.	Understand the nature and function of play in a childcare setting.	3.1	Evaluate the major areas of play for children.
		3.2	Discuss how play enables children to be active learners.
		3.3	Discuss and assess the different play activities suitable for following ages: a) 0-2 years b) 2-4 years c) 4-7 years 11 months.
		3.4	Describe how play promotes achievement in a child's development.

Assessment Guidance: NA

Additional Information: NA