

BTEC IN FORENSIC AND CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION, LEVEL 3

OVERVIEW

This programme is designed to give you a broad understanding and hands on experience of the latest forensic and criminal investigation methods used in the world today. Over the course of the one year programme you'll have the opportunity to study everything from practical scientific procedures to forensic photography and traffic collision investigation methods. You'll spend time in our state of the art super laboratory learning to use industry standard equipment and approaches adopted by policing forces all over the world.

You will study a number of mandatory modules which will include:

Principles and Applications Science

Practical Scientific Procedures and Techniques

Science Investigation Skills

Forensic Investigation Procedures in Practice

In addition, a number of optional units will also be studied, including:

Physiology of Human Body Systems

Environmental Forensics

Forensic Fire Investigation

Forensic Traffic Collision Investigation

Forensic Photography

Forensic Genetics

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

5 GCSEs grade A-C, including maths, English and science.

ASSESSMENT

There are two externally set assignments, alongside internal assignments.

PROFESSIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

Successful learners can apply to continue studying on the Forensic Science and Criminal Investigation programme here at South Tyneside College and progress to year 2 of the programme. Alternatively, they may be able to progress to higher education programmes. Full advice and guidance on progression routes and opportunities will be offered throughout the programme.

DATES & FEES

Contact us for current course dates and fees.