## **GCSE LEARNING FOR LIFE AND WORK**



## **Examination Board: CCEA**



## Overview

Learning for life and work can cover topics such as:

- Diversity, social inclusion, rights and responsibilities
- The role of government and non-governmental organisations in protecting people's rights
- Democratic institutions and processes
- How to maximise physical and mental health and well-being
- Relationships and sexuality
- How to be a discerning consumer
- The impact of globalisation on employment
- Recruitment and selection procedures
- Self-employment
- The work environment
- Businesses' social responsibility.

Unit	Content	Assessment
Unit 1: Local & Global Citizenship	Students investigate cultural diversity and the challenges and opportunities this brings to our society. They examine the role of non-governmental organisations (NGOs) and democratic institutions, explaining how they contribute to an inclusive society.	Written Exam Worth 20% I Hour
Unit 2: Personal Development	Students analyse how diet, exercise and emotional health affect personal well-being. They also explore parenting and personal finance issues.	Written Exam Worth 20% I Hour
Unit 3: Employability	Students explore the processes and skills involved in finding a job. They analyse and evaluate the responsibilities of employees and employers, and investigate how globalisation impacts employment.	Written Exam Worth 20% I Hour
Unit 4: Controlled Assessment (Investigation)	Students complete one task from a choice of three. The task is an investigation on a topic relating to one of the other units.	Controlled Assessment Worth 20%

## Careers

Learning for Life and Work combines well with Business Studies, Economics, Mathematics, Geography and Digital Technology. Students can develop their skills in Communication, Using Mathematics and Using ICT. You will develop skills which are relevant to life and work.