Within the Early years CACHE course you will study a total of 14 units and two external assessments the over 2 years. For your Summer Introductory Module we are focusing on key elements you will need prior knowledge on for throughout the course.

You have 4 independent tasks to complete over the summer, <u>Tasks 1 & 4 are compulsory</u>, and 2 & 3 are strongly recommended

TASK 1

You have been set a project to make your very own treasure box.

Your design must contain at least 6 items e.g. a toy or food, which are important to a child. You then must say how each of these items link to their development.

Remember include items that children NEED to help their development of a 1-5yr old.

You then must say how each of these items link to 3 main areas of personal, social, emotional development, language and communication & physical development.

Design your box (you can use an old shoebox and cover it in wrapping paper or draw on it!).

What age range are you focusing on? 1-2 3-4 5-6

Task 2

You must research the key points of TWO of the following child development theories:

Skinner's operant conditioning theory

Chomsky's language development

Piaget's stages of development

Bowlby's key attachment theory

Using your research notes you will make a booklet that explains the key points of the two theories.

You can use the links as reliable sources of secondary research information.

https://www.simplypsychology.org/#gsc.tab=0

What am I actually being asked to do?

Explain = Set out in detail the meaning of something, with reasons. More difficult than describe or list, so it can help to give an example to show what you mean. Start by introducing the topic then give the 'how' or 'why

Task 3

Key terminology of labour

What is a injection of syntonic used for:
Episiotomy is :
Contraction is:
The waters baby lives in:
Irregular and weak contractions, that tail off are called:
The head of the baby is down and into pelvis, this is known as and happens:
Placenta:
When the head is seen at the vagina opening it is known as:
The umbilical cord is:
Perineum is:
Once the cervix is fully dilated how many centimetres is this?

TASK 4

Your last task is to show an understanding of the development of a foetus during pregnancy. To do this you must describe the stages of development from conception to birth in the form of a poster. You can hand make your poster or create it on the computer.

Please include the following & use key words above:

- Three trimesters
- Diagram and description of what happens during each stage of pregnancy

You need to consider the following on your poster:

- Make it clear and eye catching
- Use of key words
- Pictures and diagrams
- Clearly identify and reference all secondary research

You have the summer to complete this task; it needs to be handed in on your first week at New College.

There will be a class vote and the best treasure box wins a prize!!