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SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

# Youth and Community Work

## BA Hons



Avery Hill Campus

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## Why study this programme?

This programme provides a rigorous academic experience worthy of graduate status in the field of personal, social, informal and community education and leads to National Youth Agency qualified status and Joint Negotiating Committee recognition.

For three consecutive years the programme has been assessed as 'Satisfactory with Distinction', the highest grade awarded by the National Youth Agency during its annual monitoring.

## Why study with us?

The School of Education has received some excellent Quality Assurance Agency reports in recent years and achieves high levels of success for all its students.

Avery Hill Campus offers a wide range of modern student facilities, including state-of-the-art computing and laboratory equipment, a sports hall and lecture theatres. The beautiful library has an extensive collection of books along with expert media support staff. Student services are on campus and the student village has a shop, launderette, parking and sporting amenities. The recently refurbished Dome building houses a social area, food outlet and gym.

## What courses will you study?

You will examine youth and community work policy and practice, adolescent transition and psychology, working in groups, management, and global and international youth work. Throughout the three years, you will also undertake placements in a youth and community work setting.



## Year 1

- Learning and Research 1 – The Sociological Imagination (15 credits)
- Politics and Policy for Youth Work (15 credits)
- Working with Groups in Youth and Community Work (15 credits)
- Foundations in Practice – Counselling and Interpersonal Skills (15 credits)
- Equality and Diversity (15 credits)
- Management (15 credits)
- Youth in Transition (15 credits)
- Placement (15 credits)

## Year 2

- Learning and Research 2 – Investigative Approaches to Youth and Community (15 credits)
- Contemporary Issues in Youth and Community Work (15 credits)
- Community Work Policy and Practice (15 credits)
- Inclusive Policy and Practice for Youth and Community Work (15 credits)
- Performance Management (15 credits)
- Education in the Community (15 credits)
- Placements (30 credits)

## Year 3

- Learning and Research 3 – an Enquiry Project (30 credits)
- Leading and Managing in Integrated Services (15 credits)
- Placement (30 credits)
- Critical professionals (15 credits)

- Two 15-credit options from: Youth and Community Work – the Historical Context; Volunteering in the Community; Comparative and International Social Policy; Youth Work with Girls; Supervision in Youth and Community Work Practice; Counselling – Training the Trainers; Justice and Social Control; Critical Race Theory and Practice; Psychology of Adolescence (30 credits)

## Career opportunities

Graduate opportunities are available in a variety of youth and community settings, for example youth clubs, youth arts and sports projects, pupil referral units and youth offending teams.

## Teaching and assessment

The programme is assessed through written assignments and three workplace placements.

## Professional recognition

This programme is accredited by the National Youth Agency and leads to Joint Negotiating Committee (JNC) recognition.

## Financial information

For up-to-date information on tuition fees and financial help, please visit [www.gre.ac.uk/finance](http://www.gre.ac.uk/finance).



## Key facts

**UCAS code:** L530 A BA/YCS

**Attendance:** 3 years full-time, 6 years part-time

### Entry requirements:

Applicants should have:

200 UCAS points.

**PLUS** at least three GCSEs at grade C or above (including English) or equivalent qualifications.

- Applicants must also attend an interview.

### How to apply:

- Full-time applications must be made through UCAS at [www.ucas.ac.uk](http://www.ucas.ac.uk). Applicants are advised to carefully consider the programmes available and apply as early as possible.
- Part-time applications should be made directly to the University of Greenwich by applying online at [www.gre.ac.uk/apply](http://www.gre.ac.uk/apply).
- Applicants applying from outside the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland should apply online at [www.gre.ac.uk/apply](http://www.gre.ac.uk/apply). For further information, e-mail [international@gre.ac.uk](mailto:international@gre.ac.uk).



## Your next step

University Open Days are held several times a year. They include a programme of talks and offer you the opportunity to speak to staff and students. You may also be given a tour of the campus. A list of dates can be found at [www.gre.ac.uk/opendays](http://www.gre.ac.uk/opendays), or contact the Enquiry Unit or International Office for further information.



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## For further information

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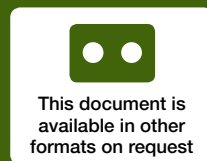
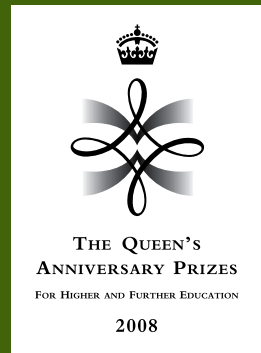
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