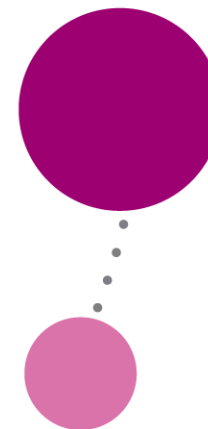




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Teaching Assistant L3 Apprenticeship

Your path to a rewarding classroom career starts here



Welcome!

This session is designed to inform you about the teaching assistant L3 apprenticeship.

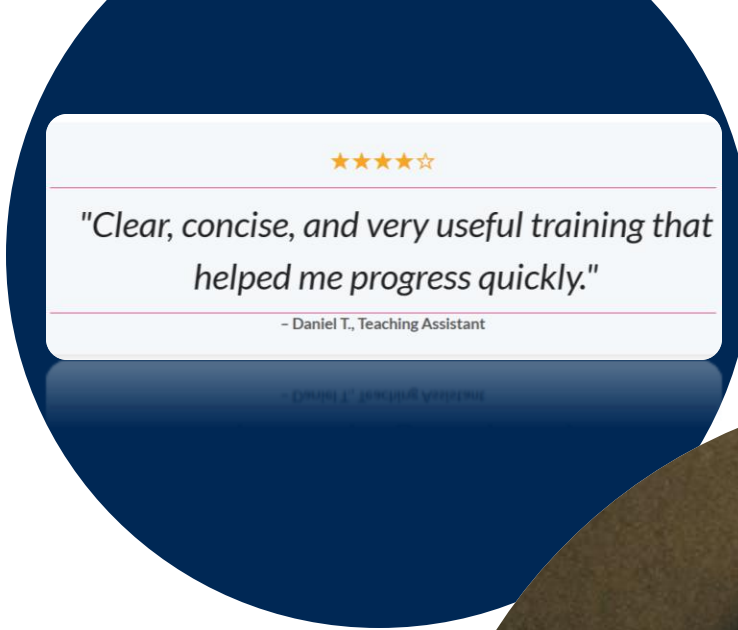
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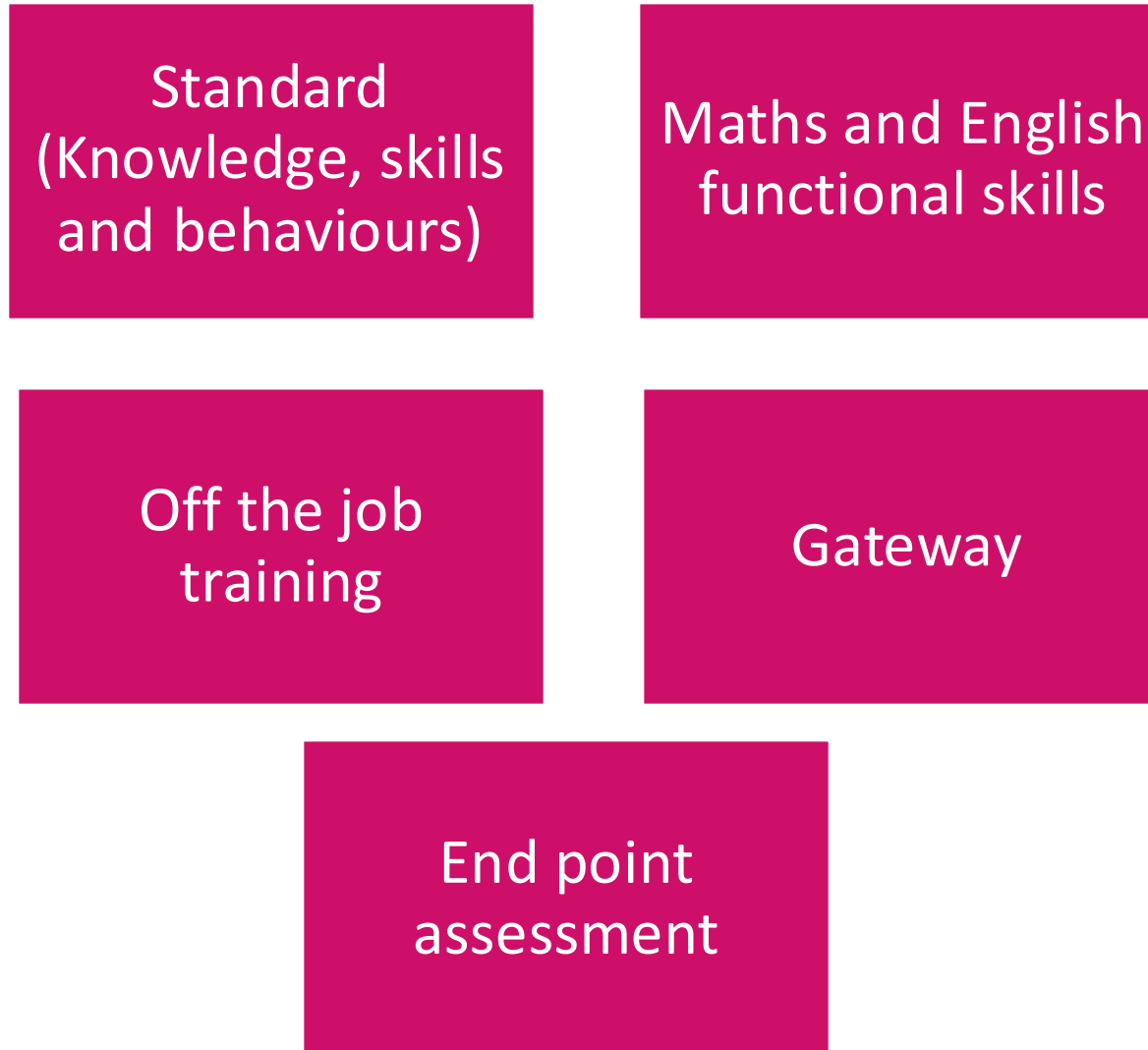
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What is an apprenticeship?

An apprenticeship is a learning programme that allows learners to learn while they earn.



What is an apprenticeship made up of?



Teaching assistant L3

- Ideal for anyone working in or looking for a career in a teaching support role
- 15 month programme + 3 months EPA (dependant on working hours)
- Functional skills maths and English L2 required if apprentice does not already have equivalent qualifications
- Learners will be able to personalise their pathways based on their choice of specialist area(s)



Our Delivery Plan



Blended programme of face to face and online study



Progress reviews every 6 weeks



Specialist 1-2-1 Tutor Support



BPN boost – personal development, career information advice and guidance and welfare programme

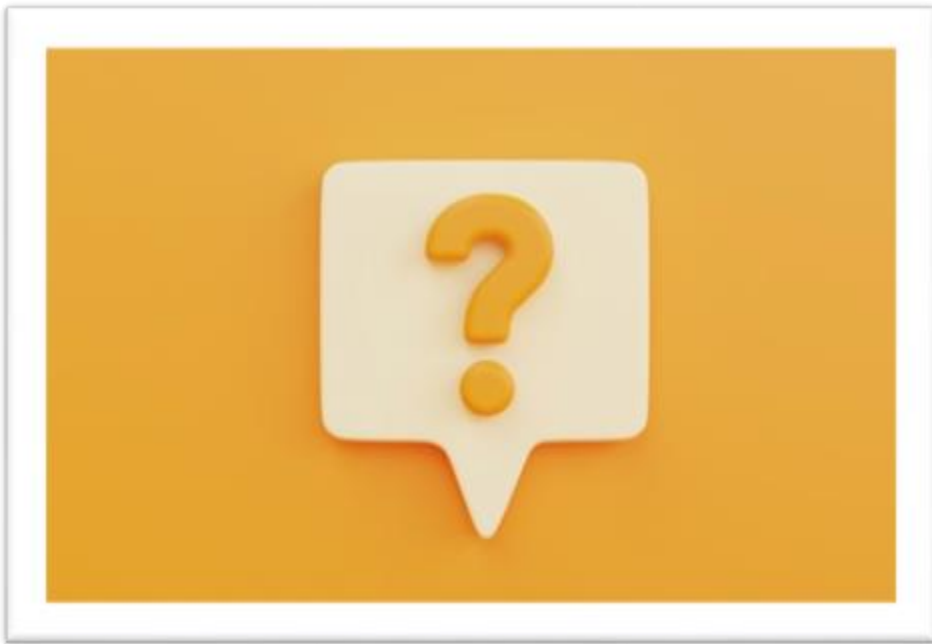


Regular reflections on learning and practice



Partnership working between BPN, the apprentice and the employer

What are the benefits of completing the teaching assistant apprenticeship?

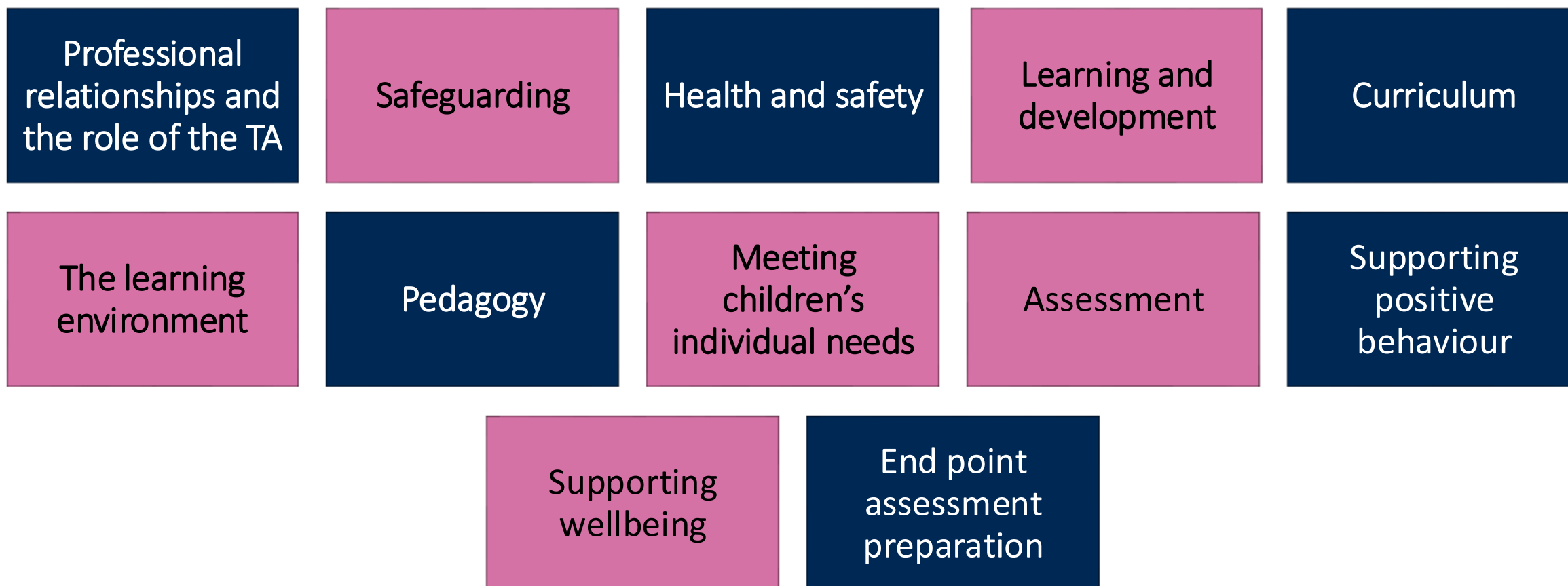


- Support your career progression (possible progression routes on the next slide)
- Support you to develop knowledge skills and behaviours to excel in your role
- Support you in developing towards interests in a specific specialism
- Develop your confidence, communication skills and support your wider learning
- Ability to learn alongside working, allowing you to fully apply the theory learnt to practice
- Opportunity to gain a fully funded qualification

Teaching Assistant progression routes



Curriculum modules



Developing a Specialist Area

- All learners must select and complete one accredited specialism on programme
- Can select more than one but it shouldn't interfere with the job role or core apprenticeship programme
- Certificates for any specialist area completed successfully

Developing a specialist area

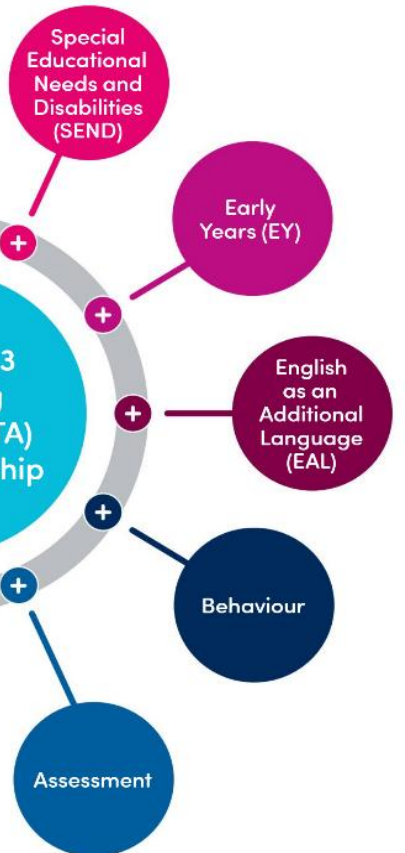
As well as the core modules completed by all learners, you will also have the chance to specialise in one or more areas of your choice. of your choice, personalising the course to your specific needs and interests.

You will receive an accredited certificate for these specialist modules once completed.

All learners will gain and develop the fundamental knowledge and skills required to support teachers to enhance pupils' learning.

- ⊕ They will also select a personalised pathway to develop **one or more** specialist areas of their choice.

The Level 3
Teaching
Assistant (TA)
Apprenticeship



How will I be assessed throughout the apprenticeship?

Assessment is at the end (End point assessment)

Learning is checked throughout the programme by:

- Observations
- Written assessments
- Reflections/evaluations
- Work products
- Witness statements
- Professional discussion



End Point Assessment

Assessment method 1: Observation and questioning

Assessment method 2: Professional discussion underpinned by a portfolio of evidence



Funding

Teaching Assistant L3
£7000

Maximum employer
contribution: £350

What is the levy fund?

The English apprentice levy fund is controlled by the Department for Education and was created as a long-term funding solution for companies to hire and train apprentices.

Our apprenticeship programmes qualify for funding from the English apprentice levy fund. Best Practice Network provides support to candidates and their employers to access this funding.

For guidance on how the funding routes apply to your setting, speak to one of our apprenticeship experts on +44 (0) 117 920 9428 or email enquiries@bestpracticenetwork.co.uk

Enrol your employees

Employers should contact Best Practice Network via enquiries@bestpracticenetwork.co.uk to reserve a place on the required programme.

We will then support you with gathering all necessary information, recruitment, registering with Apprenticeship Service Account and funding applications.

£ Funding routes

If your setting contributes to the apprenticeship levy fund

Levy paying employers can access their fund contributions through their **Apprenticeship Service Account**. You can use this service to manage the funds you have available for apprenticeship training in England.

If your setting does not contribute to the apprenticeship levy fund

You pay 5% towards the cost of the training for your apprentice. The remaining 95% will be paid by the government.

Apprenticeship levy transfer

Employers with unspent funds can transfer up to 25% of that contribution to another employer. That means you can benefit from the levy contributions of a different organisation to cover the full costs of an apprenticeship for your setting.

If your setting has fewer than 50 employees: You will receive 100% of the funding where the apprentice is 16-21 years old or is between 22 and 24 years old and has an education, health and care plan. Employers and training providers will both receive an additional £1000 where the apprentice is between 16 and 18 years old.



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Next steps

How do I apply?

Applications can be made through our website: [Teaching assistant apprenticeship applications](#)

Any
questions?

