

# Welcome to Children, Schools & Families

We are looking forward to you joining us in the autumn. You may have studied this subject already or this might be completely new to you. Whatever your starting point, we are ready to support you with your learning.

You will find a range of resources below to help you prepare for your course. Keep notes about what you have found out or learnt to support your learning later on. Click on the images or hyperlinks to access the resources.

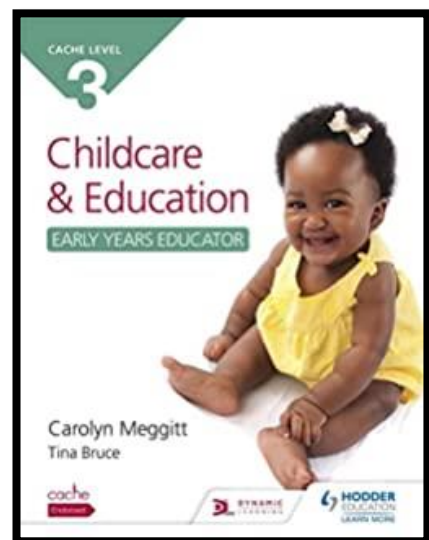
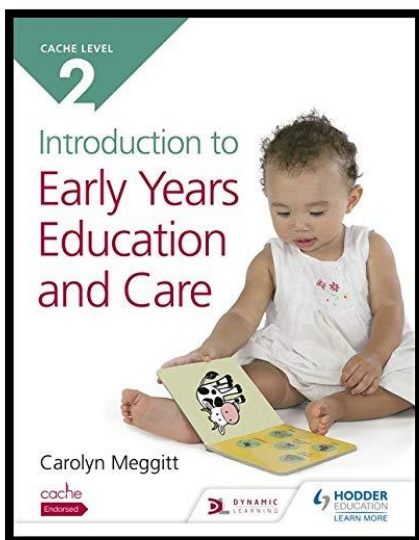
## Read

### Books | Magazines | Newspapers | Websites

There are lots of Magazines and books available that are paper based and online about early education & Childcare.

These magazines, books and blogs have key articles, facts and information about the sector for you to browse through.

- [Nursery World](#)
- [National Day Nursery Association](#)
- [TES](#)
- [Teach Primary](#)
- [How Children Learn by Linda Pound](#)
- [Learning theories for early years practice by Sean Macblain](#)
- [Child Development – An Illustrated Guide by Carolyn Meggitt](#)
- There are many reliable websites and blogs that feature relevant articles that you might find useful too. This link is based around the topic of curiosity and its ability to fuel a child's learning [Early Years Educator](#)



These are the two key textbooks for our Cache 'Early Years' courses and can help prepare you for the topics you will study depending on whether you enrolled on [level 2](#) or [level 3](#).

# Watch

## TV | Movies | You Tube

There are a multitude of TV series and YouTube videos that focus on children's behaviour, learning and even their birth stories. Watching these could help introduce you to some of the topics and specialist language we'll explore.



### [The 3 Day Nanny:](#)

Over the course of three days, Nanny Mewes offers help and advice to parents who are struggling to cope with their problem children in an effort to restore balance to family life.



[Super Nanny](#) - The show features professional nanny [Jo Frost](#), who devotes each episode to helping a family where the parents are struggling with their child-rearing.

Other shows and links worth exploring include:

- [One born every minute](#)
- [Cbeebies - Mr Tumble](#)
- [Old peoples home for 4 year olds](#)
- [Babies: Their wonderful world](#)
- [Child of our time.](#)
- [The importance of Play](#)
- [A child's right to play](#)

# Listen

## Podcast | Radio | Audible

This podcast covers the hot topic of screen time, and in this episode in particular, is it appropriate or necessary for children under the age of two years?

### [Little birdies childcare](https://player.fm/series/little-birdies-childcare)

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The Duchess of Cambridge on the early years  
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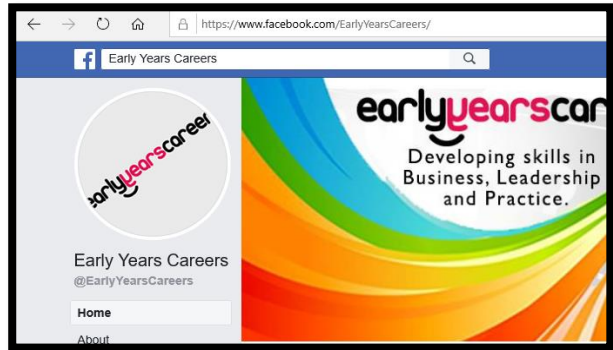
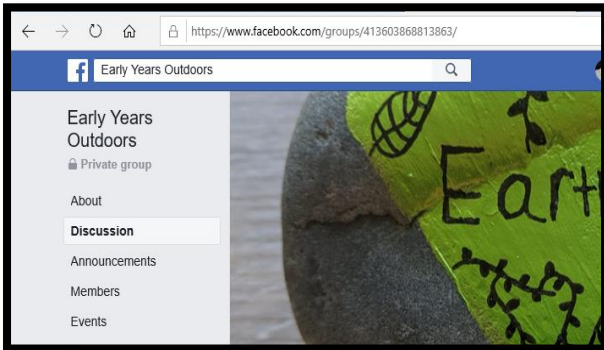
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[Listen](#) to Kate Middleton discussing her 5 questions survey and its impact on the Early Years.

# Get Involved

## Competitions | Social Media | Webinar | MOOCs

The internet is saturated with posts and pages dedicated to childcare and early education. They are littered with ideas and inspiration and are well worth a look! Or why not make one of your own and share your own ideas and experiences?



- [Webinars](#)
- [Early Years Ideas on Instagram](#)
- [Early Education Free Resources](#)
- [Learn Basic Sign Language](#)