

Course Code B1706

PLSS Code 31308

**BTEI Programme Meath**

**Course Location**
Athboy

ALPHA Learning Centre
Kells Road,

Athboy

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| **Start Date**:  | 7th June 2017 |
| **End Date**: | 3nd August 2017 |
| **Duration**: | 9 Weeks |
| **Times** | 9.30am to 3pm |
| **No of days** | 2 Days per week |

**TimeTable**

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|  | **Morning** | **Afternoon** | **Evening** |
| **Mon** |  |  |  |
| **Tue** |  |  |  |
| **Wed** | **✓** | **✓** |  |
| **Thu** | **✓** | **✓** |  |
| **Fri** |  |  |  |
| **Sat** |  |  |  |
| **Sun** |  |  |  |

**Facilities**

Wheel Chair Accessible

Free Parking

Tea/Coffee Facilities

***Successful Applicants will be contacted by Text offering a place on the course***

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www.fetchcourses.ie

*All course offers are subject to numbers and can be withdrawn if there are insufficient numbers to fill a class also minimum numbers required for completion of the course.*

**Exploring a Career in Animal Care**

**Course Aim**

The BTEI FREEcourse is aimed at learners who have an interest in working with animals and who would like to explorer their options without committing to a full Level 5 course. You will develop an awareness of animal welfare issues in Ireland and abroad while discovering the history of domestication and its impact on the behaviour, diet and socialisation of domestic species.

**Course Eligibility**

One or more of below is required to be eligible for the Back To Education Initiative

* If you did not complete a Full Leaving Certificate ***or*** Left School Early.
* If you are in Receipt of a Social Welfare Payment ***or*** are a Dependent of Person in Receipt of Social Welfare or hold a Medical Card.

**Entry Requirements**

* **Education:** Learners do not need any previous formal qualification.
* **Previous Experience:** Applicants must be able to demonstrate a moderate range of knowledge, skills and competencies relevant to the course, be able to work with responsibility and demonstrate the ability to work on their own initiative.
* **Pre Course Placement:** Applicants have to complete a Pre Course Placement regardless of previous qualifications prior to commencement of the course.

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| Title | Module Code |
| Information Technology Skills | 4N1125 |
| Animal Welfare | 5N0753 |

**Course Content**

**Certification**

Minor Award in QQI Level 4 in Information Technology Skills and QQI Level 5 in Animal Welfare

This course can lead to a Full Level 5 Animal Care Award.

**Career Opportunities**

On completion of Exploring a Career in Animal Care course and Animal Care Level 5 Full Award learners will have the skills, knowledge and competencies to work independently and or in a management or supervisory role within animal related industries and or to transfer or progress to programmes leading to Higher Education and Training Awards.

**Contact: MAEGS**

***Meath Adult Education and Guidance and Information Service***

On **1800 991 898**or email**maegs@lmetb.ie**

