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Course Title	BSc (Hons) Nutrition and Human Health [with Foundation Year]
Awarding Bodies	University of Suffolk
Level of Award ¹	FHEQ Level 6
Professional, Statutory and Regulatory Bodies Recognition	Association for Nutrition
Credit Structure ²	480 Credits Level 3: 120 Credits Level 4: 120 Credits Level 5: 120 Credits Level 6: 120 Credits
Mode of Attendance	Full-time and part-time
Standard Length of Course ³	4 years full-time
Intended Award	BSc (Hons) Nutrition and Human Health
Named Exit Awards	DipHE Nutrition and Human Health CertHE Nutrition and Human Health
Entry Requirements ⁴	80 UCAS tariff points (or above) CDD (A-Level), MMP (BTEC)

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and activities of School of Engineering, Art, Science and Technology. Furthermore, the programme recognises the importance of equipping students with appropriate knowledge and expertise that they can readily employ within the workplace or in post-graduate study. The curriculum is designed to meet this need.

The need to understand the importance of the scientific method and evidence-based enquiry is an essential underpinning philosophy, and consequently there is a rigorous research methods thread running through the programme. Furthermore, the course philosophy is one of providing an intellectually stimulating and enjoyable course of study for the students.

You are asked to challenge, analyse, utilise and apply existing theories and knowledge. At the same time, students develop key employability skills

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9. Make a contribution to widening participation in science higher education in the region.
10. Enable students to become independent learners.

Course Learning Outcomes

The following statements define what students graduating from the BSc (Hons) Nutrition and Human Health (with Foundation Year) course will have been judged to have demonstrated in order to achieve the award. These statements, known as learning outcomes, have been formally approved as aligned with the generic qualification descriptor for level 6 awards as set out by the UK Quality Assurance Agency (QAA)⁶.

1. Demonstrate and apply critical, detailed and coherent knowledge of contemporary issues in nutrition and human health.
2. Demonstrate and apply critical, detailed knowledge of nutrition and health across a range of ages and health states.
3. Critically analyse and evaluate knowledge and skills relating to nutrition and human health developed on the programme.
4. Critically analyse the validity and reliability of a range of novel food and feeding techniques.
5. Obtain and integrate science based evidence to formulate and test hypotheses relevant to nutrition and health.
6. Design, plan, and conduct a dissertation within nutrition and human health and critically evaluate the significance of the outcomes.
7. Research, apply and critically evaluate methodologies to solve problems within the nutrition and human health subject discipline.
8. Demonstrate graduate key skills in the skill areas of improving own learning, communication, IT, problem solving, numeracy, working with others commensurate with level 6.
9. Exercise initiative and personal responsibility in undertaking a task e.g. dissertation, project.

Course Design

This degree programme is accredited by the Association for Nutrition (AC:323). As an accredited degree, successful graduates are able to apply for direct registration with the UK Voluntary Register of Nutritionists for associate membership and to carry the post

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