

## **Purpose Statement**

# **SEG Awards Level 3 Award in Canine Care and Welfare – 610/3404/6**

## **Overview**

The SEG Awards Level 3 Award in Canine Care and Welfare has been designed to develop knowledge and skills within Canine Care and Welfare.

## **Who is this qualification for?**

The SEG Awards Level 3 Award in Canine Care and Welfare is designed for learners of the age of 16 and over, who are currently working with Canines and wishing to formalise their learning or for those Learners who are new to Canine care.

There are no entry requirements for this qualification however, it is expected for Learners to have working knowledge of at least level 2.

## **What does the qualification cover?**

The SEG Awards Level 3 Award in Canine Care and Welfare has been designed to provide learners with the knowledge required to begin a career in Canine care, or to provide a formal qualification to those already working within Canine care.

The qualification covers:

- Care of Canines in Settings - Learners will identify the needs of Canines when in kennels, home boarding facilities and day care. This will include identifying welfare needs, health needs and emotional needs. Learners will know the risks posed to people working with animals and will be introduced to these risks, gaining the knowledge on how to minimise them.
- Canine Behaviour - Learners will explore body language and behaviour signals seen in Canines. This includes the causes and signs of different undesirable behaviours and techniques used to modify behaviours. Aggression will also be examined, including how to recognise the signs and situations leading up to aggressive behaviour.

## **What could this qualification lead to?**

Learners may progress on to employment within Canine settings.

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Learners could also look to progress within various other regulated qualifications within the Animal Care sector that Skills and Education Group Awards offers, to expand on their knowledge and experience in animal care further.

### **FURTHER INFORMATION**

Further information on the qualification can be found on the Skills and Education Group Awards website.