

October 2022 Derbyshire Occupational Therapy Degree Apprenticeship

Overview of:

- Teaching weeks
- Placement blocks
- Expected weeks of progress/3-way reviews

Detailed time-tables including assessment and submission dates will be provided for apprentices on the course. Mentor training as well as specific training for our placement documentation (where required) will be provided.

Important dates**Level 4 or Year 1**

17 October 2022	Induction and Teaching
28 November 2022	Teaching week
w/b 2 January 2023	Progress review 1 in this week
9 January 2023	Teaching week
27 February 2023	Teaching week
w/b 27 March 2023	Progress review 2 in this week
17 April 2023	Teaching week
24 April 2023	6 week placement block *
12 June 2023	Progress review 3 in this week
3 July 2023	Teaching week

Level 5 or Year 2

4 September 2023	Progress review 4 in this week
23 October 2023	Teaching week
4 December 2023	Teaching week
w/b 27 November 2023	Progress review 5 in this week
8 January 2024	8 week placement block *
w/b 19 February 2024	Progress review 6 in this week

18 March 2024	Teaching week
29 April 2024	Teaching week
w/b 13 May 2024	Progress review 7 in this week
3 June 2024	8 week placement block (role emerging) *
29 July 2024	2 days teaching
w/b 5 August 2024	Progress review 8 in this week

Level 6 or Year 3

w/b 28 October 2024	Progress review 9 this week
4 November 2024	2 days teaching Thu/Fri
11 November 2024	Teaching week
16 December 2024	Teaching week
w/b 20 January 2025	Progress review 10 this week
17 February 2025	Teaching week
31 May 2025	10 week placement block *
w/b 14 April 2025	Progress review 11 this week
30 June 2025	2 days teaching
w/b 7 July 2025	Progress review 12 this week
28 July 2025	2 days teaching
31 August 2025	Final assessments Wed/Thu/Fri

* Placements are outside apprentices' normal workplace and normally are outside their employing organisations. They should include a range of settings which can include: acute, community, mental health or learning disability. Role emerging placements are usually in the private or voluntary sector where there is not an occupational therapy service. Supervision from qualified occupational therapists will be provided.