

Integrated Working with Children and Families BA (Hons)
Top Up degree – Flexible and Distributed Learning (FDL).

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1) What does the FDL mean for me in terms of actual attendance at university?

If you select all of your modules for the online FDL route, you will be required to become actively engaged in online learning as a student, with your tutors and other students on your course. This means that you will be expected to be online approximately 10 hours per week; additionally, you will attend lectures once a month at the University on a Saturday during

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4) What modules will I be studying as a FT student?

You will be studying a total of 4 mandatory modules which will run over 2 academic semesters, they are:

IWCF 3003-Professional Practice and Inquiry

IWCF 3004- Advanced Studies in Holistic

IWCF 3005-Integrated Support for Children and Families: policy, practice and leadership

IWCF 3002-Dissertation

5) What modules will I be studying as a PT student?

You will be studying the same modules as above, but you will be able to choose which two modules to study in year 1 and which to study in year 2. The Dissertation must be taken in year 2.

6) Will it take me longer to study and finish my degree on the online FDL route? No, the face-to-face route or online FDL route either as a FT or PT student will be the same in terms of completion times.

7) Will it cost less to study the online FDL route?

No, the cost to complete the degree will be the same because students will have the benefits of tutorial input and guidance online and monthly face to face lectures on a par with students on the more traditional route of study.

8) When is the course induction?

The induction events will be on a Saturday in September (dates tbc) at the University of Worcester. All students will receive monthly newsletters before this event to give more details of the programme's schedule. You will also be invited to an online summer school, which will take place on 2 Saturdays (one in July, one in September, dates tbc).

9) What do I do if I have more questions?

Contact the Course Administrator Julie Woodhouse at j.woodhouse@worc.ac.uk or the Course Leader Angela Hodgkins at a.hodgkins@worc.ac.uk