

Assignment Structure – Module 4 (MQF Level 4)

Word Count: 1500 words

Assignment Questions:

Q1: Understand the value of play in early years.

Q2: Plan, lead and review play opportunities which support children's learning and development.

Q3: Promote enabling play environments.

Write in your own words and include examples from childcare settings. Avoid plagiarism.

Cover Page

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List all sections with page numbers.

Introduction (150–200 words)

Briefly explain:

- The importance of play in early childhood education
- How play supports children's learning and development
- The role of practitioners in creating positive play experiences

Main Body

Q1: Value of play in early years

Explain:

- Importance of play for children's physical, emotional, social, and cognitive development
- Different types of play and their benefits

Q2: Planning, leading and reviewing play opportunities

Explain:

- How practitioners plan activities based on children's needs and interests
- Leading play activities safely and effectively
- Reviewing activities to support future learning

Q3: Promoting enabling play environments

Explain:

- Importance of safe, stimulating, and inclusive play environments
- Indoor and outdoor play spaces
- Role of resources and practitioner support during play

Conclusion (150–200 words)

Summarise the importance of play and enabling environments in supporting children's learning and development.

Reference List

Include books, childcare frameworks, policies, and trusted educational sources.

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