

## Principles of British Wildlife Care and Rehabilitation Level 3

### Summary

This course will introduce you to the basic principles and ethics of wildlife care including rehabilitation and release, and develop your knowledge in the care and management of birds, small mammals, larger mammals, and marine mammals.

### Course Provider

Open Study College (OSC) 1760 Solihull Parkway,  
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### Qualification Accreditation

Quality Licence Scheme (QLS)

### Academic level

Level 3

### PET entry requirements

Level 2 English

### Format of course material

Paper-based

### Structure of course

1. Basic principles and ethics of wildlife care including rehabilitation and release
2. Care and management of birds
3. Care and management of small mammals
4. Care and management of larger mammals
5. Care and management of marine mammals
6. Rehabilitation considerations and release methods

### Assignments

There are six assignments.  
Assignments are to be submitted one at a time so the student can act on any feedback their tutor may give them.  
Assignments will be marked within 10 working days (but often sooner).

### Exam

None.

### Estimated completion time

80 hours

### Maximum course duration

The course needs to be completed within 12 months. If a course extension is required, prison staff to contact the course supplier directly.

### Prison support requirements

Support assessment submission (ideally scan to the tutor or post). It is recommended to make copies in case assignments get lost; Contact supplier for more info on assignment submission and course extension. See contact details are above in the 'Course provider' section.

### Supplier tutor's support

There is supplier tutor support available. Tutors will mark assignments and provide feedback and queries which can be

	<p>submitted by post or email via prison staff. Tutors will respond directly to learners but can send responses to prison staff if preferred.</p> <p>See 'Contact provider' section for more details</p>
<b>Certificate</b>	Learners receive a Certificate upon completion.
<b>Progress</b>	<p>Canine Science; Feline studies</p> <p>To discuss any progression routes, call our free Advice Line on 0800 048 7520 on Tuesdays (10-12pm and 2-4pm) and Thursdays (10am-12pm and 2-6pm).</p>