

Anya Felix

BTEC Level 3 in Health and Social Care



Anya Felix is studying a BTEC Level 3 in Health and Social Care at Richard Huish College, but since her college closed in mid-March she has been volunteering as a care worker at St Margaret's Hospice in Taunton.

Working at the hospice has been stressful, 'It's been tough - but it's brought home to me the importance of teamwork and compassion as well as how much we all take our everyday lives for granted'.

Anya's learned a lot from being a key worker, 'I've learned the importance of being productive and making the most of my time, but it is not a contest, it's about doing my best. It's been hard at times to stay motivated with my college work while studying at home, but I've tried to keep on top of it.'

'Even though this is a strange situation, I know the work I've been doing over the past few months has made a difference and working at the hospice has been an unforgettable experience. I'm grateful for what I've been able to do and the small part I've played in supporting the hospice and my community.'

With thanks to Richard Huish College and Anya.

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