

Introduction to supporting children to L

This is an online course. You need to use the internet and have access to a tablet, laptop or computer. After enrolling, your tutor will give you instructions on how to join your course online and how to use online resources.

This programme introduces you to how you can support children to learn. You may be looking to support children in your family with their homework or considering following a career path as a teaching assistant in schools. Through this course you will begin to explore the best ways to provide support and encourage them to learn.

Start Date: 12 February 2026
Start Time: 09:30
Lessons: 3
Weeks: 3
Hours: 7.50

Venue

Distance Online Learning
Learning Curve

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What will I learn on this course?

1. Develop an understanding of and be able explain Behavioural Learning Theory
2. How maths is taught and be able to demonstrate some activities to support this
3. Explore how writing is promoted in schools

Is this course suitable for me?

This course is designed to give you an insight into where you may like to develop your studies further and gives you the opportunity to ask the tutor any questions you may have regarding the progression courses.

Is there anything I need to know about the course?

Learners will be expected to attend all sessions and be prepared to complete any work set by the tutor – these need to be completed on a computer or laptop and emailed to the tutor before the next session.

As these sessions will be over zoom we ask the following: you have a good internet connection; if you have children at home please be mindful; you are in as comfortable and private a space as possible; any device with Alexa, Echo or similar is switched off prior to session start.

Zoom invites will be sent out just prior to the start of the course.

You will need to attend with a pen and paper to use for note taking.

What could I go on to do after this course?

Level 1 Award in Caring for Children

Level 2 Certificate in Supporting Teaching and Learning in Schools

Please note that progression onto the 'Level 2 Supporting Teaching and Learning in Schools' course will be dependent on your progress on this course and on tutor reference.

If you wish to explore your learning, work or career options, you can speak to a fully trained careers advisor on 0800 100 900. <https://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk>

If you need further advice please telephone 01634 338400.

How are digital skills used and enhanced on this course

You may have the opportunity to use computers with internet access in class time. You may need to use the internet for some or all of your course - using a mobile phone, tablet or computer. The tutor will speak to you about useful websites, apps and online resources which you may be asked to use for homework.

Attendance Policy

In order to get the most out of your course you will need to attend as many sessions as possible. We recommend at least 90%. If you do have a holiday booked during term time please let the tutor know in advance so that we can help you catch up on missed sessions and ensure that you still achieve the course outcomes. If you are unavoidably ill or unable to attend please contact 01634 338400 so that we can let your tutor know, and so they can send you any work you may have missed

Health and Safety

We try to make sure your class is as safe as possible. If you are worried about anything, please talk to your tutor or our Safeguarding Officer.

Will there be additional costs?

No

For e-learning courses - etiquette and safe learning

please make sure you and everyone at home are fully dressed when you are joining classes, and that no personal information (address, bank details) can be seen.