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Helping with Reading



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What does the course cover?

This course is for those who want to build confidence around helping their children with reading as homework and developing their child's reading skills in everyday life.

How will I be assessed?

To complete this course, you will attend 4 x 2-hour sessions (classroom or virtual) and complete a minimum of 4-hours homework.

Who is it suitable for?

The course is for adults (19+) who are parents, guardians and carers who want to help primary school aged children with reading at home in support of the English they may be doing at school.

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Prevent

Click on this [link](#) to watch a 2-minute video that explains what Prevent is. We ask you to watch it so you are aware of Prevent and ways it is used to help keep people safe within the context of Further Education.

Safeguarding

If you feel unsafe or concerned when you are learning with us talk to your assessor, or email Paula.brown@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk. Any incidents, issues or concerns will be treated in confidence. If you have wider concerns about yourself, another adult or a child please look at the Central Bedfordshire Council [safeguarding webpage](#) where you will find information about how to report an issue, incident or concern.

Equal Opportunities

We are committed to the promotion of equality, diversity, and inclusion in all its activities, and seek to remove any barriers to learning that may exist, through:

- An inclusive and welcoming environment
- Provision of inclusive learning that meets individual and group needs
- Respecting and valuing each other
- Co-operating and sharing ideas
- Openness, honesty, integrity and trust
- Clear and effective communication

Values



Values are important to us and something we take account of when we are delivering learning.

The values we work with are:

- Respect and tolerance
- Democracy
- The rule of law
- Individual liberty

How are these values applied in our learning?

- By agreeing group ground rules and making group decisions
- By ensuring class discussions are respectful and everyone is allowed to voice ideas and opinions
- Understanding that people have diverse beliefs and backgrounds
- Challenging the use of stereotypes, labels and prejudice in discussions and activities

Contact us

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