

West Sussex Early Years Training Programme

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Courses of the Week




Face to Face

Heuristic and Loose Parts Play

“Cheap items like crates and buckets encourage children to be more active and creative than expensive play equipment, researchers have found. Introducing simple, everyday objects can cut sedentary behaviour by half, improve creativity and boost social and problem-solving skills”
Science Daily

This course will introduce you to heuristic and loose parts play through the use of objects such as treasure baskets. We will discuss how open-ended play experiences can engage children in deeper level learning.

Cost: Tokens 
Pay as you go £15

Click the links below to book:

[Monday 08/07/2019 - 19:00 - 21:30 - Roffey Millennium Hall, Horsham](#)

[Saturday 16/11/2019 - 09:30 - 12:30 - Wickbourne Centre, Littlehampton](#)

[Saturday 28/03/2020 - 09:30 - 12:30 - The Regis Centre, Bognor Regis](#)



Online

Cohort Tracking

Leaders need to know how to analyse the data of groups of children, like boys, children with SEND, etc. and evidence their progress to Ofsted.

You will learn the benefits of Cohort Tracking, what to measure and why, terminology used and how to evaluate children's progress data. You will improve your analytical skills and develop systematic and consistent systems for your setting.

The course consists of four modules and a sample Cohort Tracking exercise.
Duration: 1.5 hours

Cost: Tokens 
Pay as you go £10

To book:

TSub members please email IPEH.practice.improvement@westsussex.gov.uk and let us know which course(s) you would like.

Non TSub please pay via the [WSCC payment page](#) and then email us as above.



Additional course dates



Here are some new dates we have just scheduled:

Getting Ready for the new Ofsted Framework for Childminders

Tuesday 09 July 19:00-21:30

Langley Green Youth Centre, Crawley

Safeguarding and Child Protection in Early Years Refresher

Tuesday 16 July 2019 19:00 - 21:30

The Gattons Children and Family Centre, Burgess Hill

Last Chance to book...



We still have a few places available on these courses in July and August. Please click on the links for full details and to secure your place.

Safeguarding and Child Protection in Early Years Refresher

Monday 1 July 2019 19:00 - 21:30

The Wickbourne Centre, Littlehampton

Supporting Social Communication in the Early Years

Friday 5 July 2019 09:30 - 12:30

Billingshurst Community Centre

Paediatric First Aid Blended Learning

Friday 5 July 2019 09:30 - 16:30

Crawley Library

Paediatric First Aid (12 Hours)

Monday 5 and Tuesday 6 August 09:30 - 16:30

Jubilee Centre, East Grinstead



External training opportunity-

Develop and enhance your outdoor learning with Learning through Landscapes



Learning through Landscapes is a national charity supporting educational establishments to develop and enhance their outdoor learning.

Teach, Inspire, Protect (TIP) is an exciting, early years focused project which will support and inspire you to develop your setting's outdoor environment. TIP will be showcasing best practice linking to the Italian Reggio Emilia approach and the Emergent curriculum.

TIP is hosting a free workshop which will consider how we communicate, use materials and utilise our outdoor spaces to support child development and benefit the setting community.

Please dress for the weather, as some time will be spent outside. Food will be provided, so please advise us of any dietary requirements.

Date: Thursday 27 June

Time: 16:15 to 19:15

Cost: Free

Where: South Downs Centre, North Street, Midhurst, GU29 9DH

How to book: To register your interest please contact Claire Abercrombie on cabercrombie@ltdl.org.uk or 07795 931681.

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**West Sussex
Early Years
Training**

**2019
Childminder
Conference**

**Confident, Capable
Communicators**

**Hilton Avisford Park, Arundel
Saturday 19th October**



Save the Date!



The **Capable, Confident Communicators Conference** provides training opportunities throughout the day, including an unrivalled range of **workshops** aimed at giving you the expertise you need to support communication development in the early years.

We are pleased to feature workshops from **Mine Conkbayir**. Early Years Author, consultant and speaker, her book **Early Childhood Theories and Contemporary Issues** provides a good overview of child development theories and how these translate into practice, which can make a positive difference to how we understand babies and children and the ways in which we can help them to learn.

The workshops are directly designed for Childminders, making this an unmissable opportunity for childminding professionals to boost their communication knowledge and skills. Choose from some of our featured workshops below:

- **Building Brains Through Serve and Return** - Mine Conkbayir
- **Introduction to Makaton** - InStep Consultancy
- **Crucial Conversations** - University of Chichester
- **Talking is Childs Play** - NHS Speech and Language Therapy Team
- **It's Amazing How I Think** - Enable Children
- **Autistic Spectrum Disorders in Early Years** - University of Chichester
- **Supporting Children with Complex Communication**

Difficulties - NHS Speech and Language Therapy Team

- **Story Stuff** - Enable Children
- **Building Relationships/ACES** - Mine Conkbayir



Catering

The conference price **includes both breakfast and lunch** to enable you to meet colleagues, network and browse our exhibitor stalls. In addition refreshments will be provided throughout the day.

Pricing

- The cost of the conference is **£60** per person.
- If you are a **Training Subscription (Tsub) member** you can pay with your tokens - the conference cost is **3 tokens** which represents over **1/3 saving** on the non-member ticket price.
- You can also join together and **group purchase** a Tsub. If you join the Bronze package with 3 other colleagues your conference tickets will only cost **£37.50** each.

Booking

Bookings will be live shortly on Eventbrite.

