

Visit Leader Training

A and B (Day)



Meet the trainer:

Graham Lodge

Responsible to providing advice, support, training &

monitoring of educational visits.

Graham has worked in education for 32 years having trained as a Geography & PE Teacher then working in Outdoor Education managing Outdoor Centres and for 25 years also being an Outdoor Education Adviser.

Graham is on the Executive of the National Outdoor Education Advisers Panel and the Board of the Learning Outside the Classroom Council.

He has been a school governor & has involved in running a wide range of visits both local & abroad. He holds high level outdoor activity coaching & instructional awards in sailing, kayak/canoe, dragon boat, snorkel, climbing, mountaineering, skiing etc!

Graham is passionate about the power of Learning Outside the Classroom and its ability to open up experiences in the wider world & to create memorable, exciting education for all pupils.



Who is it for?

Teachers, Senior Leaders, Headteachers, Governors, Primary phase, Secondary phase, Special, Subject Leaders

What is it about?

Visit Leader Training is focused on active risk assessment and group management on educational visits and off-site activities

It is a OEAP certificated course transferable between employers.

The course covers the identification of relevant significant hazards and the importance of placing of successful control measures including supervision and group management strategies.

Important information

- The course is not EVC training.
- The course is offered in support of the leader's role in educational visits and off-site activities. It remains the role of the employer (e.g. head of establishment or educational visit Co-ordinator) to determine the leader's suitability and competence to undertake a leadership role on any particular visit or venture.
- The scheme provides practical training in leading groups out of doors. It does not take the place of LA briefings / training on the management of educational visits although these may be included in this training.



Outdoor Education Advisers Panel certificated course transferable between employers.



ECVB4/T 13/02/2013 Whitlingham Outdoor Education Centre

ECVB4/U 05/03/2013 Holt Hall Environmental and Outdoor Learning Centre

ECVB4/V 18/06/2013 Holt Hall Environmental and Outdoor Learning Centre



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Visit Leader Training Part A (Theory)

Who is it for?

All

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The course is offered in support of the leader's role in educational visits and off-site activities. It remains the role of the employer (e.g. head of establishment, senior youth worker or Educational Visit Co-ordinator) to determine the leader's suitability and competence to undertake a leadership role on any particular visit or venture.

What will I get out of it?

- This is a Nationally recognised & certified course.
- It covers how to plan safe visits that comply with National & Local guidance, including how to use Evolve to plan visits.
- This Theory Part A course can be delivered locally in schools or clusters to reduce costs & travel & can be day time or after school.
- It is advised that this is then consolidated with the Part B Practical course wherever possible.
- This course will raise confidence & competence that should support commitment in leading effective & safe visits.

Visit Leader Training Part B (Practical)

Who is it for?

All

What is it about?

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The course covers the identification of relevant significant hazards and the importance of placing of successful control measures including supervision and group management strategies

The course is offered in support of the leader's role in educational visits and off-site activities.

The scheme provides practical training in leading groups out of doors, including road crossings, near water safety and basic way finding.

What will I get out of it?

- This is a Nationally recognised & certified course.
- It covers how to plan & lead safe visits that comply with National & Local guidance, including practical sessions in leading groups safely along & across roads as well as near water safety.
- This Practical Part B course can be delivered locally in schools or clusters to reduce costs & travel & can be day time or after school. Subject to suitable local locations with walking routes & near water access.
- It is advised that this is course follows from Part A Theory.
- This course will raise confidence & competence that should support commitment in leading effective & safe visits.

Important information

Delegates need to attend wearing suitable outdoor clothing and footwear.



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