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Vulnerable Groups – Re-engaging

Thrive Awareness Session

This session is aimed at:

Head teachers, Deputy / Assistant Headteachers, Senior Leaders, SENCO, Teachers and school based staff, local authority advisers and school improvement professionals

Thrive

Find out about the **preventative, reparative and pragmatic** Thrive Approach and how it is being used in Norfolk and elsewhere to help our vulnerable and challenging children re-engage with life and learning. This information sharing session is with Lynne Gerlach (one of Thrive's creators) and Chris Davies (Norfolk trainer)

- The Thrive approach was devised over a 15 year period by a multi-disciplinary team with backgrounds in social work, education, psychotherapy and child psychology (www.thriveftc.com)
- After a successful Thrive multi-disciplinary pilot project in North Devon, Devon County Council (one of Norfolk's statistical neighbours) commissioned its roll-out across the whole county, currently underway
- It is a dynamic, developmental approach, drawing on the latest developments in neuroscience, attachment theory, child development and the role of creativity and play in developing emotional resilience.
- It provides evidence-based outcomes showing incremental progress
- Thriveftc provides a systematic approach to the early identification of emotional developmental need so that differentiated provision to address those needs can be put in place quickly
- The practice of Thriveftc is underpinned by ThriveftcOnline, an assessment and extensive planning resource. ThriveftcOnline is easy to use and ensures a systematic approach with measurable outcomes
- The Thriveftc approach is used in schools and early years settings in multiple locations across the UK including Torbay, Devon, Cornwall, Norfolk, East Sussex, Rotherham and Bristol

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Date: Tuesday April 30th 2013 (4:00 – 5:30pm)

Venue: Tuckswood Primary School, Allendale Road, Norwich.NR4 6BP

Course fee: FREE (registration required before 23/04/2013)

How to book: www.cpd.norfolk.gov.uk/sdms/

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