

Expected prior knowledge

This course is a balance of theory and practical strategies. It builds on the foundations established in the Level 1 Dyslexia Awareness course although there is no requirement for you to have done this first.

Please note that a Level 3 course is equivalent to an A level standard.

If you are uncertain about whether this course is for you, please contact one of the course tutors.

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**Gateway Qualifications
Level 3
Dyslexia Awareness**



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Is this course for me?

This course is for you if you

- are interested in dyslexia and want to further your understanding of dyslexia
- work with pupils with dyslexia between the ages of 5 and 18
- you work in a classroom setting and want to get better at differentiating for learners with dyslexia
- want to remove the barriers that dyslexia may create in a word based society

Certification

The qualification will be awarded based on activities completed during the sessions and compiled into a portfolio of evidence.

Content

You will learn

- different definitions of dyslexia
- characteristic features of dyslexia
- the social, emotional and behavioural impact of dyslexia
- what issues are faced by dyslexic learners when learning to read, spell and write
- how dyslexia may affect the development of numeracy skills
- what assessments are available and how they might be used
- many different strategies for addressing the barriers to learning that individuals with dyslexia may face, including use of assistive technology
- sources of support

Practicalities

Dates: Oct 10, 17, 31 (2017)

Nov 7, 14, 21 & 28

Dec 5

Time: 13.30—16.00.

Venue: Taverham High School

We can also run this course in your cluster if you provide the venue.

In addition to the above taught sessions you will be expected to do up to four hours of work in your own time.

Attendance: you will need to attend every session

Cost: £350 per person (£315 to DOS members), to include a toolkit of dyslexia friendly resources.

To apply: Contact Cathy Partington, DOS administrator

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